

Serial No.107
Supp. Cause List-I

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT SRINAGAR**

WP(C) 2157/2026 CM(5863/2026)

ABDUL HAMID NATH

...Petitioner(s)/Appellant(s).

Through: Mr. Aqib Aijaz, Advocate

Vs.

**DIRECTOR TOURISM
KASHMIR AND OTHERS**

...Respondent(s).

Through: Mr. Haris Khan, Advocate vice
Mr. Bikramdeep Singh, Dy.AG

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MOHD YOUSUF WANI, JUDGE

ORDER

30.09.2026

1. Reply has not been filed in the matter.
2. The respondents are directed to ensure the filing of the reply/objections in the matter positively by the next date of hearing.
3. Heard the learned counsel for the applicant/petitioner in respect of his prayer for grant of interim relief and considered his submissions. Perused the interim application supported with an affidavit. Also perused the main petition and the copies of documents enclosed with the same as annexures thereto.
4. List on **13th November 2026**.
5. In the meantime, the non-applicant/respondent No.3- Joint Commissioner (Planning), Srinagar Municipal Corporation is directed to revisit his decision as communicated by him to the non-applicant/respondent No.2- Assistant Director Tourism (Registration),

Directorate of Tourism, Kashmir under No. SMC/JCP/1135-37 dated 09.01.2026, in the light of the building permission already granted by the Srinagar Municipal Corporation under No. SMC/2022/717 dated 15.09.2022, read with the communication dated 09.12.2025, and all other documents having been placed on the record of the file, with an opportunity of being heard in person to the petitioner. The respondent No.3 shall submit a status report to the court within a period of two weeks.

SRINAGAR
30.09.2026
Opinder

(MOHD YOUSUF WANI)
JUDGE

