

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

WP(C)/2866/2022

CM/6405/2023

CM/7223/2022

S . K. Bhat

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

Through: -

Mr. Syed Faisal Qadri, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Mir Adnan Zahoor, Advocate.

V/s

Union Territory of J&K and Ors.

... Respondent(s)

Through:-

Mr. Ilyaz Nazir Laway, GA for R-1 to 3.
Mr. Azhar Ul Amin, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Noman Shafi, Advocate for 4 & 5.

CORAM:

HON'BLE MR JUSTICE M. A. CHOWDHARY, JUDGE.

(ORDER)

07.05.2026

Learned counsel for the respondent Nos. 4 and 5 submits that the reply filed on behalf of respondent Nos. 4 and 5 be treated as counter affidavit on their behalf.

Learned counsel for official respondent Nos. 1 to 3 seeks and is granted further time for filing of counter affidavit. Needful be done within a period of three weeks with an advance copy to the other side and in the event of filing of the counter affidavit, rejoinder be filed within a period of two weeks thereafter.

List on **16th of July, 2026.**

**(M. A. CHOWDHARY)
JUDGE**

SRINAGAR

May, 7th 2026.

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