

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

CJ Court

Case: WP(C) No. 405 of 2022

Narayan Dutt and Others

.....Appellant/Petitioner(s)

Through :- Sh. Rakesh Kumar, Advocate
v/s

Union of India and Others

.....Respondent(s)

Through :- Sh. Vishal Sharma, ASGI for 1 to 3
Sh. S.S.Nanda, Sr. AAG for R-4,5 and 6

CORAM:

HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SINDHU SHARMA, JUDGE

ORDER

01. The land of the petitioners was requisitioned for the military purposes in the year 1950.

02. The argument of learned counsel for the petitioners is that the requisition is for a temporary period and the respondents cannot keep the land indefinitely. They have either to acquire it or to return it.

03. Sh. Vishal Sharma, learned Assistant Solicitor General of India, appearing for respondent Nos. 1 to 3, submits that a policy decision has already been taken to acquire the land for which necessary formalities are to be completed.

04. He prays for and is allowed a month's time to file counter affidavit.

05. Sh. S.S.Nanda, learned Senior Additional Advocate General, appearing for respondent Nos. 4, 5 and 6 may also file counter affidavit within the same time.

06. Two weeks thereafter are allowed to the petitioners for filing rejoinder affidavit.

07. List for admission/final disposal on 21st May 2022.

(SINDHU SHARMA)
JUDGE

(PANKAJ MITHAL)
CHIEF JUSTICE

JAMMU
04.03.2022
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