

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

WP(C) No. 762/2022

Jahan Ara and others .....Appellant(s)/Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr. Virender Bhat, Advocate

**vs**

Union Territory of J&K and others ..... Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. S. S. Nanda, Sr. AAG

**Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAJNESH OSWAL, JUDGE**

**ORDER**

The petitioners have prayed for issuance of writ of prohibition directing the respondents not take over the possession of the land of the petitioners. It is further stated in the writ petition that the respondents have demolished the structures existing on spot on 27.03.2022. Mr. Virender Bhat, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that the respondents cannot dispossess the petitioners without adopting due process of law.

Notice

Mr. S. S. Nanda, Sr. AAG accepts notice on behalf of the respondents. Mr. Nanda, seeks time to file response and he simultaneously submits that the respondents have already taken the possession once they demolished the structures as per own admission of the petitioners.

List on 21.04.2022.

Meanwhile, till next date before the Bench, status quo with regard to the nature of the property in dispute as also with regard to the possession of the property as it exists today, shall be maintained.

**(RAJNESH OSWAL)  
JUDGE**

**Jammu**  
04.04.2022  
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