

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

**Case:-WP(C) No.835/2025
CM No.1997/2025**

Partap Singh and anr.

.... Petitioner(s)

Through:- Mr. Sumant Sudan, Advocate vice
Mr. Mohit Kumar, Advocate

V/s

UT of J&K and others

.....Respondent(s)

Through:- Ms Nazia Fazal, Assisting counsel
vice Mrs. Monika Kohli, Sr. AAG
for official respondents.
Mr. Jagpaul Singh, Advocate for
private respondent.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJAY PARIHAR, JUDGE

ORDER
02.02.2026

It was submitted by learned counsel for the petitioners that the matter is at initial stage and pleadings are yet to be completed.

After going through the record of the case, it appears that the dispute between the parties is regarding apportionment of Shamlat land over which the parties are stated to have possessory rights.

Given the nature of the dispute, there are chances of settlement, if explored by the process of mediation.

In view of the above, the matter is referred for mediation and parties are directed to appear before the Coordinator, Main Mediation Centre, High Court of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, at Jammu, on 25.02.2026 enabling him to send the matter to the Mediator.

**(SANJAY PARIHAR)
JUDGE**