

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

WP(C) No.1115/2026

**PWD R&B Contractors
Association**

.....Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr. Ankur Sharma, Advocate

Vs

Union Territory of J&K and others

..... Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Dewakar Sharma, Dy. AG

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MOHD. YOUSUF WANI, JUDGE

ORDER
24.04.2026

1. Mr. Dewakar Sharma, learned Dy. AG appears and accepts notice in the matter for the respondents. He seeks and is granted opportunity for filing of reply/objections.
2. Heard the learned counsel for the applicant/petitioner in respect of his prayer for grant of interim relief. Also heard the learned counsel for the non-applicants/respondents in rebuttal. Considered the rival submissions.
3. Perused the interim application supported with an affidavit. Also perused the main petition and the copies of the documents enclosed with the same as **Annexures** thereto.
4. List on **15.05.2026**.
5. In the meantime, subject to any vacation/modification upon the consideration of objections/arguments of the other side and till further orders, the non-applicants/respondents 5, 6 & 7 are directed to entertain the final payment bills of the contractors affiliated with applicant/petitioner association for dealing with the same under rules without insisting upon the Royalty

Clearance Certificates, however subject to their furnishing of affidavits on individual basis that they shall be bound to pay the royalty and to get the royalty clearance certificates, if directed by this Court.

(Mohd. Yousuf Wani)
Judge

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24.04.2026
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