

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

OWP No. 166/2006

IA No. 99001/2010[D- 669/2010]

IA No. 1349/2012

IA No. 1170/2013

IA No. 952/2009

IA No. 647/2026

**Mandir Laxmi Narayan Ji Maharaj
& Anr**

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

Through: Mr. Paramveer Singh, Advocate vice
Mr. R.K. Jain, Sr. Advocate.

V/s

State of J&K & Ors.

..... Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Atul Verma, Advocate vice
Mr. Adarsh Sharma, Advocate.
Mr. Rohit Kohli, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Raghav Gaind, Advocate.

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

ORDER
(26.02.2026)

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Mr. Suresh Kumar Sharma-Commissioner-cum-Receiver (applicant) is present in person.

01. The instant application has been filed by the applicant (Commissioner-cum-Receiver), for release of amount along with accrued interest thereon from the corpus deposited before this Court stating that the amount of Rs. 1,00,17,282/- (Rupees One Crore Seventeen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Two only), was deposited with this Court and that the interest also accrued thereon and that the amount required to be released in favour of the applicant for effectively administering and managing the affairs of the Mandir and the Deity Shri Laxmi Narayan Ji Maharaj.
02. This Court vide order interim order dated 24.11.2025, had observed that the Commissioner-cum-Receiver shall be entitled to withdraw the

amount by laying a motion at any given point of time as and when required, as may be deemed fit at his end.

03. Learned counsel for the parties have stated no objection to this application, as such, this application, for the reasons assigned therein, is allowed and the amount of Rs. 1,00,17,282/- along with interest is ordered to be released in favour of the Commissioner-cum-Receiver. Registry shall transfer the afore-stated amount to the account of the Deity, the details whereof to be supplied by the Commissioner-cum-Receiver.
04. Application stands '*disposed of*'.

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Rajesh Sharma, as intervener in this petition, submits that his electricity connection has been disconnected on the recommendation of the Commissioner-cum-Receiver, by the Electric Department and he and his family has been suffering on this count. He is directed to approach to the Commissioner-cum-Receiver who undertakes to consider the request to make arrangements with the Electric Department for grant of new connection, in his favour.

List for final hearing on **14.05.2026**.

(M A CHOWDHARY)
JUDGE

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