

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

WP(C) No. 2577/2025

Ashok Kumar Handa

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. G.S. Thakur, Advocate.

Vs

UT of J&K & Ors.

.....Respondents

Through:

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

ORDER

(17.09.2025)

- 01.** Issue notice to the respondents.
- 02.** Ms. Chetna Manhas, Assisting Counsel to Mrs. Monika Kohli, learned Senior Additional Advocate General, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent No. 5. She seeks time to file reply to the writ petition.
- 03.** Needful be done by the next date of hearing.
- 04.** Notice shall go to respondent Nos. 1 to 4 subject to petitioner's taking necessary steps within a week's time.
- 05.** List on 12.11.2025.
- 06.** Respondents shall also furnish the status with regard to the acquisition proceedings along with their reply.

**(SANJAY DHAR)
JUDGE**

**JAMMU
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