

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

**WP(C) No. 2595/2025
CM No. 5990/2025**

Farid Hussain

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

Through: Mr. Rahul Pant, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Aniruddh Sharma, Advocate.

Vs

UT of J&K & Ors.

..... Respondent(s)

Through: Ms. Nisha Kangotra, Advocate vice
Mr. S. S. Nanda, Sr. AAG for R-1.
Mr. Sachin Dogra, Advocate for R-2.

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

**ORDER
(19.09.2025)**

- 01.** The petitioner, who has been working as 'Work Supervisor' in the Jammu Development Authority (JDA), through the medium of this petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, seeks quashment of Notice No. JDA/Esstt/346-47 dated 08.09.2025, whereby he has been asked to show cause within fourteen days of the receipt of the notice, as to why his regularization order dated 27.11.2002 issued in his favour be not declared as invalid and withdrawn with consequential recovery of benefits drawn by him on account of alleged irregular appointment.
- 02.** The impugned show cause notice has been assailed on many grounds as mentioned in this petition.
- 03.** Heard.

04. Issue notice to the respondents.
05. Notice waived by Ms. Nisha Kangotra, Advocate appearing vice Mr. S. S. Nanda, learned Sr. AAG on behalf of respondent No. 1 and Mr. Sachin Dogra, Advocate on behalf of respondent Nos. 2 to 4.
06. Reply/objections be filed within four weeks.
07. List on **07.11.2025**.
08. Meanwhile, the impugned Show Cause Notice No. JDA/Esstt/346-47 dated 08.09.2025 is stayed, subject to objections from the other side and till the next date of hearing.

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