

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

**CPSW No. 36/2012 in  
SWP No. 2496/2011  
c/w  
SWP No. 2496/2011  
CPSW No. 513/2014**

**Manoj Kumari**

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

Through: Mr. C.M Koul, Sr. Advocate with  
Mr. A.R. Bhat, Advocate

**Vs**

**Gulzar Ahmed Qureshi & Ors.**

..... Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Raman Sharma, AAG with  
Ms. Jagmeet Kour, Advocate  
Mr. Ashok Sharma, Advocate

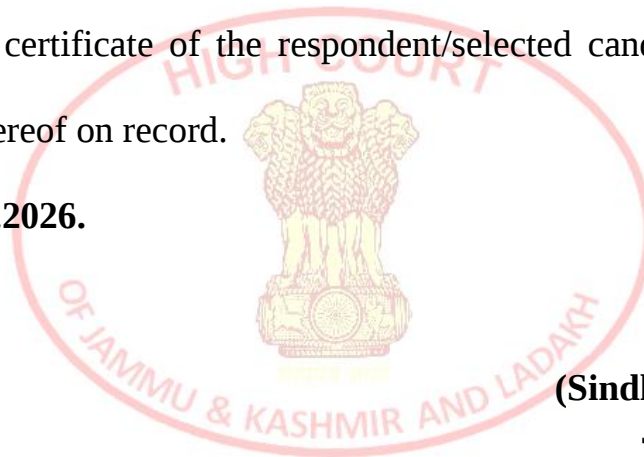
**Coram: HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE SINDHU SHARMA, JUDGE**

**ORDER**

**14.08.2026**

1. The respondents, in terms of order dated 06.07.2026, have produced the record. Perusal of the record reveals that the original application form of respondent-Arti Devi, her appointment order, educational testimonials, as well as the record relating to her marriage, are not available on the file.
2. The challenge to the appointment of respondent-Arti Devi was primarily on the ground that she was not a resident of the area for which the post of ReT was advertised and that the record had been manipulated to enable her to apply for and secure the appointment.
3. Perusal of the file further reveals that, although the record pertaining to the other applicants is available, the record pertaining to respondent No. 5 is not on file.

4. The communication of the Zonal Education Officer, Doongi, Rajouri, reveals that Shri Babu Ram, father-in-law of the selected candidate, was holding charge of the ReT selection at ZEO, Doongi, at the relevant time. Although the original file pertaining to the other candidates has been traced, the original file pertaining to respondent No. 5 has not been traced.
5. In view of the aforesaid position, the Director, School Education, Jammu, shall file an affidavit explaining the position and, in case the original record is available, shall produce the same on the next date of hearing.
6. The Director, School Education, Jammu, shall also ascertain the status of the marriage certificate of the respondent/selected candidate and place a photocopy thereof on record.
7. List on **18.09.2026**.



**(Sindhu Sharma)**  
**Judge**

Jammu  
14.08.2026  
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