

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

OWP No. 163/2004

Ram Rattan Sharma

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

Through: Mr. R. S Thakur, Sr. Advocate with  
Mr. Vasharan Thakur, Advocate

**Vs**

U.O.I and Ors.

.....Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Sumant Sudan, Advocate vice  
Mr. Vishal Sharma, DSGI

**Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAHUL BHARTI, JUDGE**

**ORDER**

**16.11.2023**

1. In terms of an order dated 19.09.2023, this Court came to implead Defence Estates Officer, Jammu as respondent No. 4 in the writ petition. On behalf of newly impleaded respondent No. 4- Defence Estates Officer Jammu, Mr. <sup>सर्वोच्च न्यायाधीश</sup> Vishal Sharma, learned DSGI came to accept notice and was afforded four weeks' time to comply with the direction given in terms of an order dated 20.07.2023 which is to the effect as to how the subject matter land in the present writ petition came to become subject matter of requisition for use and occupation of the Union of India.
2. Today, Mr. Sumant Sudan, Advocate appearing vice Mr. Vishal Sharma, learned DSGI submits that the incumbent serving as respondent No. 4 has been transferred and the joining of the new incumbent is awaited, as such, Mr. Vishal Sharma, learned DSGI is in

state of handicap to address this Court on the aspect as directed in terms of order dated 20.07.2023.

3. A last and final opportunity in this regard is granted to Mr. Vishal Sharma, learned DSGI to address this Court as directed in terms of order dated 20.07.2023.
4. List on 05.12.2023.

**(Rahul Bharti)**  
**Judge**

**Jammu**  
**16.11.2023**  
Rikul Sharma

