

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

CJ Court

Case: CPSW No. 481/2016 in
SWP No. 1505/2014

Saparna Sharma

..... Appellant/Petitioner(s)

Through: None

Vs

Babita Rakhwal and another

..... Respondent(s)

Through: Ms. Saliqa Sheikh, Assisting counsel to
Mr. Raman Sharma, AAG

Coram: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE

ORDER

04.05.2026

Vide this petition, the petitioner seeks initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondents for willful/intentional defiance of the order dated July 16, 2016, rendered in SWP No.1505/2014.

A bare reading of the order referred to above reveals that the petition preferred by the petitioner was disposed of by the Writ Court with an observation that the objections raised by the petitioner as regards the ineligibility of respondent No. 5 for appointment as teacher would be decided by the authorities and if, any adverse order is to be passed against respondent No. 5, it would be incumbent upon the authorities to afford notice and hearing to the private respondents.

The petition is pending since 2016 and nearly a decade has gone. None is present either on behalf of the petitioner to clarify if anything actually survives in the matter.

That being so, this Court is choiceless but to dismiss the petition for non-prosecution.

**(ARUN PALLI)
CHIEF JUSTICE**

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