

**HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH
AT JAMMU****CJ Court**Case: CPSW No. 491/2016 in
[SWP No. 2268/2003]

Bikramjeet Singh Appellant/Petitioner(s)

Through: Mr. Rahil Raja, Advocate

Vs

B.R. Sharma and others Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Suneel Malhotra, GA

CORAM: HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE**ORDER**

04.05.2026

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that per the stand set out in para-3 of the compliance report, to consider the claim of the petitioner against the lowest Class-IV post under SRO 43 of 1994, the matter was sent to the Administrative Department (Commissioner/Secretary to Govt; Housing and Urban Development Department) for grant of relaxation in qualification. Followed by a reminder dated February 06, 2017. But response of the Administrative Department was still awaited.

He submits that nearly a decade has gone by, but nothing is brought on record to show if the Administrative Department had even taken up the matter or ever responded to the communications referred to above.

Faced with this, learned counsel for the respondents prays for a short accommodation to seek instructions. It is made clear that if a fresh affidavit indicating the progress, if any, as also the explanation as to why the matter continues to be pending is not filed, appropriate orders shall follow.

Adjourned to 20.05.2026.

**(ARUN PALLI)
CHIEF JUSTICE****Jammu**

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Pawan Chopra/Secy