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

CCP(S) No. 146/2026

In

WP(C) No. 2914/2024

Colonel Joy Deep Singh Kotwal & Ors.

.....Petitioners

Through: Mr. Rajesh Bhushan, Advocate.

Vs

Brigadier Gurmeet Singh Shan

.....Respondent

Through:

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAHUL BHARTI, JUDGE

ORDER
(29.05.2026)

- 01.** Chief Secretary, UT of J&K, Commissioner/Secretary to Govt., Home Department, UT of J&K and Director, Sainik Welfare Department, Jammu, were three respondents in a writ petition-WP(C) No. 2914/2024 preferred by four petitioners which came to be *disposed of* by this Court in terms of an order dated **03.01.2025** on the basis of consent of the counsel of both sides.
- 02.** Three writ-respondents came to be directed to accord consideration to the case of the petitioners strictly in conformity with the **S.O. 676 of 2022** subject to the eligibility of the petitioners.
- 03.** The consideration exercise was to be carried out within a period of six weeks from the date of service of certified copy of said

order along with the writ petition and annexures therewith upon the writ-respondent No. 3-**Director, Sainik Welfare Department, Jammu.**

04. The first leg of compliance was to be done by the respondent No. 3-**Director, Sainik Welfare Department, Jammu,** whereupon in case of favorable consideration coming from his end the other two respondents were then directed to re-fix the pay of the petitioners.

05. The petitioners come forward with the present contempt petition alleging that nothing in the name of compliance has taken place from the end of the respondents, in particular the sole contemnor/respondent herein who figured as respondent No. 3 in the writ petition.

06. Issue notice to the respondent/contemnor-Brigadier Gurmeet Singh Shan (Retd.).

07. Petitioners to furnish registered postal cover for the service of the respondent/contemnor within a period of seven days, whereupon the learned Registrar Judicial, Jammu to issue notice to the said respondent/contemnor.

08. List on **20.07.2026.**

(RAHUL BHARTI)
JUDGE

JAMMU
29.05.2026

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