

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

CPOWP No 71/2015

Inhabitants of Village Maira AkhnoorAppellant(s)/Petitioner(s)

Through: None

Vs

State of J&K Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Y.A. Tak, Advocate
Mr. S.S. Nanda, Sr. AAG for R 2 to 4

Coram: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAVED IQBAL WANI, JUDGE

ORDER

In the contempt petition violation of order dated 8th of May 2015 is being alleged by the respondents having been passed in OWP 554/2015 whereby the respondent No. 7 had been restrained from carrying on the digging operations thereby converting the user of land from agricultural to non-agricultural purposes and without obtaining environmental clearance from the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA).

Compliance / status report had been filed by the respondent No 3 (Sub Divisional Police Officer, Akhnoor) wherein, it is being stated that compliance to the order passed by this Court the answering respondent along with SDM Akhnoor –respondent No 2 and SHO Police Station Akhnoor conducted joint visits of the spot on 10th June 2015 and respondent 1 (Ram sara, Proprietor of the land was directed not to carry on the digging operation in the land in question in presence of some local inhabitants. It has been further stated in the compliance/status report that the answering respondents undertaken in future to have strict vigil over for respondent No 1 and also to restrain him

for digging operation, and for the purpose depute two officials from Police Post, Jourian , permanently deputed on spot. The order of the Court stated to have been implemented in letter and spirit.

Having regard to the aforesaid position, seemingly, there will be compliance of the order passed by this Court violation of which is alleged in the instant contempt petition, as such, contempt proceedings are closed and contempt petition stands disposed of .

In case, the petitioners shall have any grievance regarding the compliance of the order passed by this Court, the petitioners shall be free to seek revival of the instant petition within eight weeks on the date of the passing of this order.

Jammu
29.10.2021
Javid

