



In the Court of Additional Commissioner, Jammu
(With the powers of Divisional Commissioner)
(Rail Head Complex, Jammu)
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File No
ARA/0000000418/2022

Date of Institution
13.10.2022

Date of Decision
18/10/2022

1. Krishan Gopal Puri Aged 82 S/o Lt. Nathu Ram Puri R/o Taraf Tajwal, Ward No. 6 Kathua A/p C/o Rupali Sharma R/o H. No. 45, Garden Avenue, Talab Tillo Road, Jammu.

.....Petitioner

V/s

1. U.T of J&K through Tehsildar, Kathua
2. Madan Gopal Puri S/o Lt. Nathu Ram Puri R/o Taraf Tajwal Ward No. 6, Kathua.

.....Respondents

In the matter of:

Revision petition against the order of Additional Deputy Commissioner, Kathua dated 28.11.2018 dismissing the appeal of petitioner for non-prosecution and against the order of Tehsildar, Kathua dated 09.12.1983 refusing to attest the mutation of 02 Kanals 01 marlas of land comprising Khasra No. 787 khewat No. 405 Khata No. 773 dated 11.05.1983 on the ground that gift is hit by Section 31 of Agrarian Reforms Act; with a prayer for setting aside the same and directing respondent No. 1 to attest the mutation in terms of gift deed dated 11.05.1983.

ORDER

The present revision petition against the order of Additional Deputy Commissioner, Kathua dated 28.11.2018 dismissing the appeal of petitioner for non-prosecution and against the order of Tehsildar, Kathua dated 09.12.1983 refusing to attest the mutation of 02 Kanals 01 marlas of land comprising Khasra No. 787 khewat No. 405 Khata No. 773 dated 11.05.1983 on the ground that gift is hit by Section 31 of Agrarian Reforms Act; with a prayer for setting aside the same and directing respondent No. 1 to attest the mutation in terms of gift deed dated 11.05.1983 has been transferred to this court by the Ld. Divisional Commissioner, Jammu. Ld. Counsel for the petitioner appeared and argued the matter. While examining the case file it has been observed that the impugned order of Tehsildar Kathua dated 09.12.1983 which was subject matter of appeal before Additional Deputy Commissioner, Kathua has been passed in terms of Agrarian Reforms Act 1976. This court lacks jurisdiction to adjudicate upon the matter as the powers of revision under Agrarian Reforms Act are not vested to this Court. Therefore the case is dismissed in limine for lack of jurisdiction. The petitioner is at liberty to challenge the same before the competent forum, if he, choses so. Case file be consigned to records after due completion.

Sd/-

Pawan Kumar Sharma, JKAS
Additional Commissioner, Jammu
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Announced
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