S. No. 144 Regular

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JAMMU & KASHMIR AND LADAKH **AT SRINAGAR**

WP(Crl) 137/2023

MUNEER AHMAD SHEIKH

...Petitioner(s)/Appellant(s)

Through: Mr. Mohammad Saleem Mir, Advocate

 $\mathbf{V}\mathbf{s}$

UNION TERRITORY OF J AND K AND ORS

...Respondent(s)

Through: Mr. Jehangir Ahmad Dar, GA

CORAM:

HON'BLE MS JUSTICE MOKSHA KHAJURIA KAZMI, JUDGE

ORDER

Learned counsel for the respondents submitted that the detention order bearing No. DIVCOM-"K"/302/2022 16.11.2022 issued by Divisional Commissioner, Kashmir, challenged in the writ petition has outlived its life rendering the instant petition infructuous.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that despite the impugned detention order having outlived its life, the detenue continues to be in detention.

Perusal of the impugned detention order reveals that the same has been issued on 16.11.2022 which came to be executed on 21.01.2023 and was valid for a period of one year which has expired on 21.01.2024.

In view of above, the instant petition is dismissed as infructuous. The detenue shall be released from preventive detention forthwith, if not required in any other case.

> (MOKSHA KHAJURIA KAZMI) **JUDGE**

SRINAGAR 13.09.2024 Mohammad Yaseen Dar