



Jammu & Kashmir Cricket Association

(Affiliated to Board of Control for Cricket in India)

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Ref. No. JKCA/Secy/JMU/38-45

Dated: 02.06.2026

ORDER

1. Whereas, a circular bearing reference No. JKCA/PR/Circular/SGM/2026 purportedly dated 01.06.2026 was issued by Shri Javid Ahmad Kitab, President, JKCA, seeking to suspend all legal representation on behalf of the Jammu & Kashmir Cricket Association pending a proposed Special General Meeting; and
2. Whereas, the said circular was in fact issued and circulated on 02.06.2026 while carrying the back date of 01.06.2026; and
3. Whereas, Rule 52 of the Constitution of the Jammu & Kashmir Cricket Association expressly provides that the Association shall sue or be sued in the name of the Secretary, who shall contest or defend legal proceedings by engaging appropriate lawyers, thereby vesting authority relating to legal proceedings and legal representation exclusively in the office of the Honorary Secretary; and
4. Whereas, no provision of the JKCA Constitution authorizes the President to unilaterally suspend advocates, revoke legal engagements, withdraw vakalatnamas, prohibit payment of legal fees, or interfere with legal proceedings being conducted on behalf of the Association; and
5. Whereas, the Honorary Secretary, Vice President, Treasurer and Elected Members of Apex Council, have, by Resolution dated 02.06.2026, declared the said circular to be contrary to Rule 52 of the JKCA Constitution and beyond the authority of the President;
6. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in the undersigned under Rule 52 of the JKCA Constitution and in pursuance of the aforesaid Resolution, it is hereby ordered as follows:
 - i. The circular titled "Suspension of Legal Representation" bearing reference No. JKCA/PR/Circular/SGM/2026 and purportedly dated 01.06.2026 is hereby declared ultra vires the JKCA Constitution, without jurisdiction, non est, void ab initio and incapable of creating any legal obligation or consequence upon the Association.
 - ii. The aforesaid circular shall not be acted upon by any office bearer, affiliated club, advocate, legal practitioner, employee, court, tribunal, authority or any other person dealing with the affairs of JKCA.
 - iii. All vakalatnamas, legal authorisations, engagements of advocates, pleadings, instructions and legal proceedings previously initiated, prosecuted or defended by or through the Honorary Secretary under Rule 52 of the JKCA Constitution shall remain valid, subsisting and fully operative.
 - iv. All advocates, law firms and legal practitioners engaged by JKCA through the office of the Honorary Secretary are hereby authorised and directed to continue representing the





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Association before all courts, tribunals, quasi-judicial authorities, arbitrators, commissions and other forums without interruption.

- v. It is further clarified that JKCA, as on date, is not a society, as the Registration of its constitution is pending registration before the Competent Authority under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 and, therefore, reliance upon Section 6 of the said Act for issuance of the impugned circular is wholly misconceived and legally untenable.
- vi. All concerned courts, tribunals, authorities, the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI), affiliated clubs, members and stakeholders are requested to take note of this order and act accordingly.
- vii. This order shall come into force with immediate effect.

By Order

Sd/-
(Honorary Secretary)
Jammu & Kashmir Cricket Association



Copy to:

1. All Advocates and Legal Counsel engaged by JKCA.
2. The Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI).
3. All Affiliated Clubs/Units of JKCA.
4. All Office Bearers and Apex Council Members.
5. Concerned Courts, Tribunals and Authorities.
6. Secretary, Bar Council of Jammu and Kashmir.
7. Office Record.