

Item No. S-4

M/s Vats Agencies vs. State of H. P. & Ors.

CWP No. 2773 of 2026

11.03.2026 Present: Mr. Hamender Singh Chandel, Advocate, for the petitioner.

Ms. Priyanka Chauhan, Deputy Advocate General, for respondents No. 1 and 2.

Mr. Abhishek Nagta, Advocate, for respondent No. 3.

Inter alia contends that notice inviting bids was issued for leasing out/renting out of its sale shop at Manali by the respondent-Khadi Board for the purposes of the sale of Khadi Village Industries products. Reference is made to Clause 1(i)-regarding the Scope of Services (Page 28) and the terms and conditions for renting out the sale shop (Page 36), whereby reference is made to Clauses 3, 6 and 14.

Accordingly, it is submitted that respondent No. 6-Toy Ville's application itself (Page 143) was for the purpose of cafeteria, trading of toys and baby clothes and was liable to be rejected at the outset on the technical bid itself, while referring to the bid of the petitioner (Page 184) to show that he had specially shown marketing of local woolen products, shawls, local cap and mufflers etc.

Notice. Ms. Priyanka Chauhan, Deputy Advocate General and Mr. Abhishek Nagta, Advocate,

appear and accept service of notice on behalf of the respective respondents.

Issue notice for the service of respondents No. 4 to 6, returnable for **22.04.2026**, on taking steps within one week.

(G. S. Sandhawalia)
Chief Justice

(Bipin C. Negi)
Judge

11th March, 2026_(sanjeev)