

**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN AT
JODHPUR**

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 1854/2026

Dharmveer Choudhary S/o Shri Narayan Lal Choudhary, Aged
About 41 Years, R/o Gayatri Nagar, Mavli, District Udaipur.

-----Petitioner

Versus

1. Ajmer Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Ltd., Through Its Managing Director, Vidyut Bhawan, Makadwali Road, Panchsheel Nagar, Ajmer.
2. The Secretary (Admn.), Ajmer Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Ltd. Vidyut Bhawan, Makadwali Road, Panchsheel Nagar, Ajmer.
3. The Chief Engineer, Ajmer Vidyut Vitaran Nigam Ltd., Udaipur Division, Udaipur.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Naresh Singh

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MUNNURI LAXMAN

Order

03/02/2026

1. Heard on the stay application.
2. The present writ petition has been challenging the challenging the departmental enquiry initiated in pursuance of the memorandum dated 23.04.2025.
3. The submission of learned counsel for the petitioner is that the allegations in the departmental charge-sheet and the allegations in the criminal case are one and the same. He submits that if the departmental proceedings are allowed to continue, the petitioner will get prejudiced in pleading the defense in the criminal case, therefore, he seeks stay of the impugned disciplinary proceedings.

4. This Court, finds that the allegations in the present departmental charge-sheet and the allegations in the criminal case are similar. The allegations are relating to embezzlement, and such allegations are overlapping.

5. In the said facts and circumstances, there shall be a stay on the impugned disciplinary proceedings dated 23.04.2025 (Annexure-2).

6. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable within a period of four weeks.

7. List the matter on **23.03.2026**.

(MUNNURI LAXMAN),J