HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN AT JODHPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 2087/2026

Ratan Singh Jugtawat S/o Shri Prakash Singh Jugtawat, Aged About 45 Years, R/o Behind Municipality, Balotra (Rural), Distt. - Balotra (Rajasthan) 344022.

----Petitioner

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through The Principal Secretary, Cooperative Department, Sahkar Bhawan, Bhawani Singh Road, Jaipur (Rajasthan).
2. The Registrar, Cooperative Societies, Government Of Rajasthan, Sahkar Bhawan, Jaipur (Rajasthan).
3. Balotra Urban Cooperative Bank Ltd., Balotra Through Its Managing Director/ Chairman, Near Telephone Exchange, Industrial Area, Balotra (Rajasthan).
4. Nakshatra Placement Agency, Through Its Proprietor/manager, Outside Suraj Pol, Jalore (Rajasthan).

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Kuldeep Prajapat
For Respondent(s)	:	--

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE MUNNURI LAXMAN

Order

03/02/2026

1. Heard on the interim stay application.

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the petitioner submits that the petitioner was initially recruited to the post of Clerk by the direct contract method and subsequently, his nature of contract has been changed from direct recruitment to indirect recruitment. Presently, he is working through a placement agency, and the Bank has also taken a decision to regularize the persons

who have been working with the Bank since 2005. In this regard, a Resolution has been passed and the same was forwarded to the Government of Rajasthan, which is under consideration. While such consideration of the Resolution is pending and no action has been taken till date, however, they are proposing to go for direct recruitment, ignoring the claim of the petitioner, who has been working with the Bank for more than 21 years.

3. Considering the years of service of the petitioner and the Resolution which is pending consideration, the present writ petition requires hearing.

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

5. Post the matter on ***23.03.2026***.

6. Meanwhile, the respondents are directed not to dispense with the services of the petitioner.

(MUNNURI LAXMAN),J

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