

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

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 6553/2026

Shri Rinku Tak S/o Shri Rajendra Kumar Ji Tak, Aged About 31 Years, Through Sole Proprietor For Sky Restaurant And Bar, Resident Of Khariya Mithapur, Tehsil Bilara, District Jodhpur, Rajasthan.

----Petitioner

Versus

1. State Of Rajasthan, Through Excise Commissioner, Udaipur.
2. The Excise Commisissioner, Udaipur
3. The District Excise Officer, Jodhpur

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Ms. Kamini Joshi
For Respondent(s)	:	--

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP MATHUR

Order

25/03/2026

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the Excise Commissioner, Udaipur, and the Licensing Authority, Excise Department, Rajasthan, vide order dated 17.03.2026, in utter disregard of the provisions contained in Section 34 of the Rajasthan Excise Act, 1950 and Rule 4 of the Rules of 1973 (as amended in 2004), and without affording any opportunity of hearing to the petitioner, have cancelled its restaurant/club bar licence, being Licence No. 2025-2026-01378 dated 16.03.2026, despite the petitioner having deposited the requisite renewal fee with the respondents.

The matter requires consideration.

Issue notice.



Issue notice of the stay application as well.

In the meanwhile, and until further orders, the effect and operation of the order dated 17.03.2026 issued by the Excise Commissioner, Udaipur, and the Licensing Authority, Excise Department, Rajasthan, cancelling the petitioner's restaurant/club bar licence bearing Licence No. 2025-2026-01378 dated 16.03.2026, shall remain stayed.

(KULDEEP MATHUR),J

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