

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

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 8918/2026

Ravikant Soni S/o Shri Shankar Lal Soni, Aged About 36 Years,
R/o Behind Krichi Mandi, Shikar, At Present Residing At B-303, A-
3 Heights, Motera, Sabarmati, Ahmedabad.

-----Petitioner

Versus

Kaushalya Soni D/o Jagdish Prasad Soni, R/o Near Laxminath
Temple, Rajaldesar, Churu (Rajasthan).

-----Respondent

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. Ranjeet Joshi
Mr. Abhijit Joshi
Mr. Kapil Bissa
Mr. Reena Gupta

For Respondent(s) : -

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE KULDEEP MATHUR

Order

24/04/2026

1. Heard. Perused the impugned order.
2. The petitioner, by way of filing the present civil writ petition, prayed for quashing of the impugned orders dated 11.02.2026 and 27.02.2026 passed by the learned Family Court Churu in Case No.20/2023. He has also prayed that the petitioner may be provided one opportunity to cross-examination the witness of the respondent namely Jagdish Prasad Soni.
3. Having perused the case file, this Court *prima facie* finds that sufficient opportunities to cross-examination the aforesaid witness of the respondent were provided by the learned trial court, however, the petitioner could not avail the same. However, keeping in view the principles of natural justice and right to a fair

trial, this Court deems it just and proper to dispose of the present Civil Writ Petition with a direction to the learned trial court to provide one last opportunity to the petitioner to cross-examine the witness of the respondent namely Jagdish Prasad Soni, on the next date fixed by it, subject to payment of cost to the tune of Rs.2,000/- by the petitioner to the witness of the respondent namely Jagdish Prasad Soni through his counsel. It is made clear that no further opportunity to cross-examine the aforesaid witness shall be extended to the petitioner.

4. The impugned orders dated 11.02.2026 and 27.02.2026 passed by the learned Family Court Churu in Case No.20/2023 are quashed and set aside.

5. In view of aforesaid, the present Civil Writ Petition is disposed of in the above terms.

6. Stay application also stands disposed of.

(KULDEEP MATHUR),J