

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

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 13297/2026

Harbansh Singh S/o Shri Darshan Singh, Aged About 60 Years,
R/o 48-F, Gram Panchayat 9Ff (Badopal), Tehsil Srikanpur,
District Sriganganagar, Rajasthan, Presently Junior Technical
Assistant, Panchayat Samiti Raisinghnagar, Zila Parishad,
Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.

-----Petitioner

Versus

1. The State Of Rajasthan, Through The Principal Secretary,
Rural Development And Panchayati Raj Department,
Government Of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
2. District Program Coordinator Cum District Collector,
Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.
3. Chief Executive Officer Cum Additional District Program
Coordinator, Mgnrega, Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.
4. The Vikas Adhikari, Panchayat Samiti Raisinghnagar
Sriganganagar, Rajasthan.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. S.D. Goswami
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Narendra Gehlot, PP

**HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU
(VACATION JUDGE)**

Order

25/06/2026

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in an identical writ petitions a co-ordinate Bench of this Court has been passed an interim order. The petitioner has relied upon the order of the co-ordinate Bench passed in *S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.8769/2025 as well as passed in S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.9405/2026.*

The co-ordinate Bench in S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.8769/2025 passed the following order on 28.04.2025 which is reproduced here as under:-

"1. Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that in an identical writ petition being S.B. Civil Writ Petition No.3195/2023, a Co-ordinate Bench of this Court vide order dated 28.02.2023 passed the following interim order:

"No assistance of lawyers is available today.

The petitioner present in person has shown the letter dated 01.07.2008, by which, they were given recruitment, in which, the age limit was 65 years. He has also referred to Rule 256 SubRule (E) of the Rajasthan Panchayati Raj Rules 1996.

Issue notice to the respondents, returnable within four weeks.

In the meanwhile, the respondents are directed to continue the services of the petitioner on the post of Junior Technical Assistant in Panchayat Samiti Bagora, District Jalore."

2. In view of the above, Issue notice. Issue notice of stay application also.

3. Notices be filed in two sets within a period of one week. On the same being filed, one set be given 'dasti' to learned counsel for the petitioner for service through registered post acknowledgment due. Notices be made returnable on 20.05.2025.

4. Postal receipts of the 'dasti' notices be filed within a period of one week from the date of receipt of 'dasti' notices.

5. Meanwhile, the services of the petitioner shall not be terminated.

6. Connect with S.B. C.W.P. No.7498/2025."

Thereafter, a Coordinate Bench of this Court also passed an interim order in S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 9405/2026. Learned counsel submits that the case of the present petitioner is identical to those of the petitioners in the aforesaid writ petitions. It is further submitted that the petitioner is being superannuated upon attaining the age of 60 years, whereas he is entitled to continue in service up to the age of 65 years in terms of the circular dated 11.07.2017. Learned counsel further submits that the respondents are proceeding to relieve the petitioner today itself. In these circumstances, having regard to the facts and urgency of the matter, this Court is inclined to interfere.



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

The petitioner shall also service an additional copy upon the learned counsel for the respective departments.

Meanwhile, the services of the petitioner shall not be terminated.

Connect with S.B. CWP No.8769/2025 and 9405/2026.

(BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU),VJ

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