

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

S.B. Writ Contempt Petition No. 1164/2025
CNR: RJHC010694632025
URN: WCP / 1164U / 2025

Avinash Dave & Ors.

-----Petitioners

Versus

State Of Rajasthan & Ors.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Yash Pal Khileree
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Sher Singh Rathore

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHOK KUMAR JAIN

Order

13/07/2026

1. Instant contempt petition is filed by petitioners alleging non compliance and violation of order dated 12.03.2025 in writ petition No.5900/2025, wherein a Co-ordinate Bench while disposing of the writ petition has directed the respondents as under:-

"4. Having heard learned counsel for the parties, this Court deems it appropriate to direct the respondents to continue the petitioners' engagement until regular recruitment to the post of Nursing Officer takes place in District Pali."

2. Learned counsel appearing on behalf of the respondents submits that they are not engaging any person on contract basis rather persons who were regularly selected were given employment, who were engaged and deputed against the post of contractual employees. He further submits that there is no post lying vacant in the District Pali and the respondents does not require service of any of the petitioner on contractual basis.

3. During course of argument learned counsel for the petitioners has placed on record Order No.382 dated 26.03.2026 and also order dated 09.07.2026 issued by the CMHO, Pali which indicate that contractual engagement were made in Pali District, which is in clear breach of the order dated 12.03.2025.

4. This Court has already directed the respondents to continue petitioners' engagement until regular recruitment to the post of Nursing Officer takes place in District Pali which means if any of the vacancy is available then petitioners are entitled to continue against the vacant posts. The orders placed on record clearly indicate that certain contractual engagements were made by CMHO after approval from Higher Authorities. It appears that the respondents have committed wilful disobedience of order dated 12.03.2025 and to consider the case further it is appropriate to call respondents in person before this Court to explain their conduct why an order of punishment be not passed against them for wilful and deliberate disobedience of order dated 12.03.2025. The respondents are directed to appear on 20.07.2026.

5. List the matter on 20.07.2026.

(ASHOK KUMAR JAIN),J