

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3204/2026

Balu Ram S/o Bhura Ram

-----Petitioner

Versus

The State Of Rajasthan

-----Respondent

For Petitioner(s) : Ms. Swati Sharma

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE GANESH RAM MEENA
Order

19/02/2026

Learned counsel for the petitioner submits that already there are three fair price shops at gram panchayat Bhopawas and the respondents have issued advertisement dated 20.01.2026 for issuance of additional fair price shop license.

Counsel further submits that it is the policy of the State Government that a fair price shop license holder should be allocated at least 500 ration cards.

Issue notice/s to the respondent/s, returnable within four weeks.

Notice of stay application be also issued.

In the meantime, the respondents would be at liberty to proceed with the selection process for the additional fair price shop license, however, they shall not reduce the number of ration cards of the petitioner's fair price shop less than 500 and respondents can issue fair price shop license for additional ration cards above 500.

(GANESH RAM MEENA),J