

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3427/2026

Sanju Varghese S/o A.D. Varghese, Aged About 48 Years, R/o House No. 2, Sanwalia Vihar, Near Miraj Malhar Apartment, Shobhagpura Matth, Udaipur Rajasthan (PIN-313001).

----Petitioner

Versus

1. Managing Committee, St. Gregorios Senior Secondary School, Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan Through Its Manager.
2. Director, Secondary Education, Bikaner,
3. Central Board Of Secondary Education, Rajasthan, Through Its Regional Officer, Todarmal Marg, Ajmer.
4. Principal, St. Gregorios Senior Secondary School, Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan.
5. St. Gregorios Orthodox Church Society (Regd.), Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan Through Its Chairman.

----Respondents

Connected With

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3422/2026

Abhishek Anthony S/o Shri T.D. Anthony, Aged About 40 Years, R/o Plot No. 28, Samta Nagar, Behind Ashok Vihar, Sector-3, Udaipur-313002 (Rajasthan)

----Petitioner

Versus

1. Managing Committee, St. Gregorios Senior Secondary School, Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan Through Its Manager.
2. Director, Secondary Education, Bikaner,
3. Central Board Of Secondary Education, Rajasthan Through Its Regional Officer, Todarmal Marg, Ajmer.
4. Principal, St. Gregorios Senior Secondary School, Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan
5. St. Gregorios Orthodox Church Society (Regd.), Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan Through Its Manager.

----Respondents

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3488/2026

Smt. Anita Kurian Wife Of Shri Greeni Peter, Aged About 57 Years, R/o 16, R-Road, New Keshav Nagar, University Road, Udaipur Rajasthan (PIN-313001).

----Petitioner

Versus

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2. Director, Secondary Education, Bikaner,
3. Central Board Of Secondary Education, Rajasthan Through Its Regional Officer, Todarmal Marg, Ajmer.
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5. St. Gregorios Orthodox Church Society (Regd.), Khara Kua, New Bhupalpura, Udaipur, Rajasthan Through Its Manager.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Mr. D.P. Sharma, Adv.
For Respondent(s) : Mr. Utkarsh Dubey, Adv.

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ANIL KUMAR UPMAN

Order

14/05/2026

1. The petitioners had already filed appeals under Section 18 of the Rajasthan Non-Government Educational Institutions Act, 1989 (for short, 'the Act of 1989') before the Rajasthan Government Education Tribunal challenging the order of termination of their services.
2. Since, seat of the Presiding Officer at Tribunal was vacant, therefore, the present writ petitions were preferred before this Court.
3. Vide order dated 13.03.2026, this Court directed the petitioners to withdraw their appeals pending before the Tribunal against their termination order as a condition to pursue these writ petitions.
4. Learned counsel appearing for the petitioners submits that in pursuance of the directions issued by this Court, the petitioners

filed separate applications before the learned Tribunal to withdraw their appeals, but no order could have been passed as seat of the Presiding Officer was lying vacant. Learned counsel submits that now the Presiding Officer has joined the duties and in view of changed circumstances, petitioners may be allowed to withdraw these writ petitions to pursue the remedy of appeal. Simultaneously, the petitioners will also seek direction to withdraw their applications filed under the directions of this Court to withdraw the appeals pending before the Tribunal. He further submits that learned Tribunal may be directed to expeditiously decide the stay applications filed along with appeals.

5. In view of above, these writ petitions are dismissed as withdrawn with liberty to the petitioners to pursue their appeals, pending before the Tribunal, under Section 18 of the Act of 1989 against the order of termination of their services. Learned Tribunal is also requested to decide the stay applications expeditiously, preferably within a period of four weeks from the receipt of certified copy of this order.

6. Learned Tribunal shall not grant any causal adjournment in the appeals.

(ANIL KUMAR UPMAN),J