

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

D.B. Civil Writ (PIL) Petition No. 4398/2025

Mohammad Iqbal S/o Shri Mohammad Rafik

-----Petitioner

Versus

The State Of Rajasthan and Ors.

-----Respondents

For Petitioner(s)	:	Ms. Simran Sain
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Manoj Sharma, AAG assisted by Mr. Abhishek Sharma Mr. Parikshit Singh with Mr. Rahul Sain

HON'BLE THE ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE MR. SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU

Order

18/03/2026

Learned counsel for respondent No.5 submits that he is filing the reply in the course of the day.

As regards counsel for the respondent Nos.1 to 4 are concerned, they seek further time to file reply.

We had, vide order dated 12.02.2026, granted three weeks time to the respective counsel to file their reply with a caveat that if they do not file reply, the concerned officer-in-charge shall remain present before the Court. However, the concerned officer-in-charge is not present on behalf of respondent Nos.1 to 4 even on today.

Let a cost of Rs.20,000/-, as penalty, be imposed on concerned officer-in-charge for not filing the reply and not performing their duties. The amount shall be deposited and

deducted from their personal salary. A departmental action shall also be taken against the concerned officer-in-charge.

List after four weeks.

In the meanwhile, reply be also filed.

(BALJINDER SINGH SANDHU),J (SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA),ACTING CJ

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