

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN
BENCH AT JAIPUR

D.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 8656/2025

M/s Raidant Digitek Network Ltd & Ors.

-----Petitioners

Versus

Comissioner Of Income Tax (Tds)

-----Respondent

For Petitioner(s)	:	Mr. Ayush Gupta, Adv. Mr. Sunil Mukhi, Adv. through VC
For Respondent(s)	:	Mr. Prath Vashishtha, Adv. on behalf of Mr. Shantanu Sharma, Adv.

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE DINESH MEHTA

Order

21/07/2025

1. It is stated that in terms of Section 279 and Section 293D of Income Tax Act, 1961, the Central Government has introduced the Faceless Regime even to the provisions relation to Section 279 i.e. for prosecution for offences under Sections 275-A, 275-B, 276, 276-A, 276-B, 276-BB, 276-C, 276-CC, 276-D, 277, 277-A, 278 of the Act. However, without seeking sanction under the Faceless Regime, action has been taken by the respondents vide order dated 27.08.2024 and the petitioners are sought to be prosecuted.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Notice regarding stay as well.

4. Mr. Parth Vashishtha, Adv. appearing for Mr. Shantanu Sharma, Adv. accepts notice on behalf of respondent and seeks time to file reply. May do so, on or before the next date of hearing with a copy in advance to the counsel opposite.

5. In the meanwhile, until further orders, respondent is restrained from proceeding further on the basis of the order dated 27.08.2024, till the pendency of this case, and all the consequential action shall remain stayed.

6. The proceedings on the basis of the order dated 27.08.2024 before the concerned Court shall also remain stayed.

7. List this matter after four weeks along with D.B. Civil Writ Petition Nos.8635/2025, 8643/2025 & 8650/2025.

(DINESH MEHTA), J.

(SANJEEV PRAKASH SHARMA), J.

HEENA/MAHIMA/23