



**HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD**

**WRIT - C No. - 10002 of 2026**

Smt Pushpawati

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

State Of U.P. And 4 Others

.....Respondent(s)

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Counsel for Petitioner(s) : Prashant Kumar

Counsel for Respondent(s) : Amit Kumar Singh, C.S.C., Pankaj  
Kumar Gupta

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**Court No. - 37**

**HON'BLE VINOD DIWAKAR, J.**

1. Heard learned counsel for the petitioner and learned counsel for the respondents.
2. The present petition has been filed by the petitioner, stating that initially the petitioner was made Gram Pradhan by the District Magistrate vide order dated 23.2.2026 after falling a vacancy. Subsequently, after three days without recording any reason, by exercising the power under Section 12(J) of the U.P. Panchayat Raj Adhiniyam, 1947, the District Magistrate reviewed his order and appointed Pankaj Kumar s/o Mr. Ram Vilas as Pradhan on 26.2.2026. No reason has been recorded as to why the order has been reviewed.
3. Learned State Counsel seeks and granted time to take instructions.
4. Learned counsel for respondents No. 2 and 4 also seek and are granted time to take instructions.
5. Put up on 16.4.2026 as fresh.

**(Vinod Diwakar,J.)**

**March 24, 2026**

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