

# HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE FOR RAJASTHAN AT JODHPUR

S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 3890/2025



----Petitioner



## Versus

- The State Of Rajasthan, Through Secretary, Education Department, Government Of Rajasthan, Government Secretariat, Jaipur
- 2. The Director, Secondary Education, Rajasthan, bikaner, Rajasthan
- 3. The Assistant Director, Secondary Education, Rajasthan, bikaner, Rajasthan
- 4. The Chief Block Education Officer, Srivijaynagar, District Anoopgarh, Rajasthjan.

----Respondents

For Petitioner(s) : Ms. Shreshtha Mathur

Mr. Puna Ram Sen

For Respondent(s) :

#### HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ARUN MONGA

#### Order

### 11/02/2025

Learned counsel for the petitioner, *inter alia*, contends that the petitioner is being made to suffer the consequences of her having filed a complaint of sexual harassment against the Principal of the School, where she was working as a Lecturer.

Notwithstanding, that the inquiry conducted pursuant to the complaint indicted the Principal, pursuant to which his services have been put in the category of Awaiting Posting Order ('APO'), but at the same time petitioner is being further victimised despite the fact that she was the one, who suffered the earlier





victimisation at the hands of the Principal by conveying her that not only the Principal, she also is required to be transferred out of the institution, where she is currently teaching, even though there is no fault of her whatsoever in the indictment of the Principal.

Vide impugned order dated 27.11.2024 her services were initially kept in the category of APO and subsequently vide another order dated 23.12.2024 she has been transferred to PM Shri Manilal Pandya Govt. Senior Secondary School, Simalwara, District Dungarpur, which is stated to be 800 kms away from her current place of posting.

Learned counsel would further contend that the petitioner is unmarried single lady with the additional responsibility of her widow ailing mother, who is undergoing treatment of Ischemic heart disease.

Issue notice, returnable on 20.03.2025.

Liberty is granted to serve through the nominated counsel.

Meanwhile, the petitioner shall be allowed to discharge her duties at her current institution/place of posting. In case, she has been formally relieved, the same will not come in her way for reporting/joining back on duty.

(ARUN MONGA),J

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