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1-	25/01/2022	The appeal of Mr. Ihsan Ullah presented today by Mr. Noor Muhammad Khattak Advocate may be entered in the Institution Register and put up to the Worthy Chairman for proper order please. REGISTRAR,
2-		This case is entrusted to S. Bench at Peshawar for preliminary hearing to be put there on <u>67/63/22</u> . CHAIRMAN
	7-3-2022	Due to retirement of the Honoble Chairman the case is edjourned to ome up for the case is the case is before on? The Came is before on? Reader
	07.06.2022	Junior to counsel for the appellant present.
		Lawyers are on general strike, therefore, case is adjourned to 28.07.2022 for preliminary hearing before S.B.
		(Rozina Rehman) Member(J)



BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL,

SERVICE APPEAL NO. 104 /2022

IHSAN ULLAH

V/S

ENERGY & POWER DEPTT:

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Dated :_ 01.2022

APPELLANT

NOOR MOHAWMAD KHATTAK ADVOCATE 0345-9383141

BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

APPEAL NO/2022	
Engr. Ihsan Ullah, Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18) Energy &	<u>&</u>
Power Department, Peshawar APPELLAN	T
<u>VERSUS</u>	
1- The Secretary to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa through Chief Secretary Peshawar.	а,
2- The Secretary to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhw Fnerov & Power Department, Peshawar.	
3- The Secretary to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Establishment Department, Peshawar.	
4- The Electrical Inspector, Electrical Inspectorate, Khybo Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.	
5- Muhammad Mumtaz Khan Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) (BPS-18) Energy & Power Department Peshawar.	oi it,
DECDONDENT	·C

APPEAL UNDER SECTION-4 OF THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL ACT, 1974 AGAINST THE SONORITY LIST OF DEPUTY ELECTRIC INSPECTORS (BPS-18) & DEPUTY ELECTRIC INSPECTOR (TECHNOLOGIST) ISSUED VIDE IMPUGNED NOTIFICATIONS DATED 15-10-2021 & 10-01-2022 IN THE ELECTRIC INSPECTORATE OF ENERGY AND POWER DEPARTMENT GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA AND AGAINST NOT TAKING ACTION ON THE DEPARTMENTAL APPEAL OF APPELLANT WITHIN THE STATUTORY PERIOD OF NINETY DAYS

PRAYER:

That on acceptance of this appeal the impugned seniority list notified on 15.10.2021 &10.1.2022 may very kindly be declared as illegal, unconstitutional and ineffective upon the rights of the appellant. That the respondents may very kindly be directed to exclude/delete the name of the private respondent No. 5 from the seniority list of the Deputy Electric Inspectors (BPS-18) degree holder engineers for onward promotion to BPS-19 in the upcoming P.S.B. Any other remedy which this august Tribunal deems fit that may also be awarded in favor of the appellant.

R/SHEWETH: ON FACTS:

- That the appellant is serving as Deputy Electrical Inspector (BPS 18) in the Electric Inspectorate of Energy & Power Department Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar.
 Copy of the Promotion order dated 25-05-2018 is attached as annexure ------A.
- 2. That in the Electric Inspectorate of the respondent department two distinct cadres of officers are working against two different posts in BPS-18, one is those who have accreditation from the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) called 'Engineers' while the 2nd cadre having nexus with National Technology Council (NTC) are termed as 'Technologists' so these two different cadres cannot be taken into consideration equal with each other.
- 3. That by virtue of having qualification and registration with PEC, the appellant is an Engineer while the private respondent No. 5 is purely a Technologists.
- 4. That despite the facts both these factions have separate nomenclatures and services rules, however, with utter disregard of and law and rules on the subject the respondent department in consultation with Respondent No.3 has unilaterally and abruptly issued a final joint seniority list of these two different cadres of Engineers and Technologists (BPS-18).

Copy of Seniority lists as annexure-----B

- 5. That the respondent department has issued the final seniority list in haste and hurry manner without caring to the observation and reservation of the appellant over the tentative seniority list within the stipulated time period. That as a matter of fact the respondent department has issued the notification merely on presumption purporting that seniority of BPS -17 officers is common.
- 6. That based on laws and policies of PEC & HEC the two different factions have been bifurcated into two separate nomenclature of posts in BPS 18 i.e Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18) for Engineers and Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) BPS-18 through Standing Services Rules(SSRC).

Copy of service rules is attached as annexure-----C.

7. That under the provision and spirit of Rule 17 of the APT Rules 1989 the inter-se seniority is determined amongst

officers of the same post/cadre and must not be of the two distant posts/cadres. Besides, there must be a separate seniority of each cadre, however, in contravention of the rules both the contrast entities have been merged malafidely just to pave way for promotion of the private respondent No.5 to BPS 19. So under the definition of Section 27(5A)of the PEC Act 1976 and the existing service rules for BPS-19, the respondent department is debarred from doing so either to equalize the private respondent No. 5 with the appellant.

- 8. That merging the Technologist with Engineers invariably means violation of Article 143 of the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan 1973, however, the respondent department is adamant and reiterated to do what is not warranted by the law of the land and rules on the subject.
- 9. That feeling aggrieved the appellant preferred Departmental appeal to respondent No.2 but the same was not responded till date within the stipulated time period.
 Copy of the Departmental appeal is attached as annexure
- **10.** That appellant feeling highly aggrieved and having no other adequate remedy filed the instant appeal on the following grounds amongst the others.

GROUNDS:

- A- That impugned seniority of the private respondent No.5 is against the law, facts, norms of natural justice and materials on the record hence not tenable and liable to be set aside.
- B- That appellant has not been treated by the respondent Department in accordance with law and rules on the subject noted above and as such the respondents violated Article 4 and 25 of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan 1973.
- C- That, the treatment meted out to the appellant clearly based on discrimination and malafide and as such the respondents violated the principle of natural justice.
- D- That issuance of seniority notification is against Section 8 of the KP Civil Servants Act 1973 read with Rule 17 of KP Civil Servants APT Rules 1989.
- E- That merging the two different entities i.e Technology post/cadre with Engineering posts/cadre violates the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Act 1976 and Article 143 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973.

- F- That the impugned seniority notification whereby the private respondent has been declared senor to the appellant in clear violation of section 8 & 9 of the Civil servant Act, 1973 read with rule 7 of the appointment, promotion and transfer rules, 1989.
- G- That appellant is fully entitled for his promotion to BPS 19 in essence of the prevailing Rules and it is utmost essential to rectify and modify the seniority list.
- H- That the respondents acted in arbitrary and malafide manner while issuing the impugned seniority notification of the private respondent and ignoring the appellant.
- I- That the appellant deserves to be accommodated at due and proper place of seniority in preference to the private respondent No.5 in accordance with law, rules, maxims, dictums and rulings of superior courts.
- J- That appellant seeks permission to advance other grounds and proofs at the time of hearing.

It is therefore, most humbly prayed that the appeal of the appellant may very graciously be accepted as prayed for, please.

Dated: 21-01-2022.

APPELLANT

THSANIHLAH

THROUGH:

NOOR MOHAMINAD KHATTAK ADVOCATE SUPREME COURT

KAMRAN KHAN

KHANZAD GULABVOCATE

BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

SERVICE APPEAL NO.____/2022

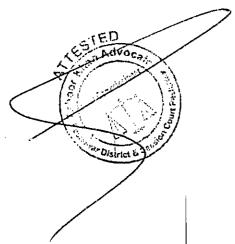
IHSAN ULLAH

VS

GOVTI OF K.P & OTHERS

AFFIDAVIT

Stated on oath that the contents of the accompanying service appeal are correct to best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed from this Honorable Service Tribunal.



DEPONENT

CERTIFICATE:

Certify that no earlier service appeal has been filed by the appellant in the instant matter before this Honorable Service Tribunal.

CERTIFICATION



BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL. PESHAWAR

SERVICE APPE	AL No	/2022
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Ihsan Ullah

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Energy and Power Dept.

APPLICATION FOR RESTRAINING THE RESPONDENTS NOT TO PUT UP THE IMPUGNED SENIORITY LISTS BEFORE THE UPCOMING P.S.B FOR ONWARD PROMOTION TO BPS-19 TILL THE DISPOSAL OF THE ABOVE MENTIONED APPEAL.

R/SHEWETH:

- That the above mentioned appeal along with this application 1has been filed by the appellant before this august service Tribunal in which no date has been fixed so far.
- That appellant filed the above mentioned appeal against the 2incorrect seniority lists and on the basis of that lists the respondents are going to conduct PSB for promotion of the private respondents to the post of BPS-19.
- That all the three ingredients necessary for the stay is in 3favor of the appellant.
- That the impugned seniority lists have been issued by the 4respondents in utter disregard of law and prevailing Rules.
- That the contents of the appeal may please be consider as 5part and parcel of this application.

It is therefore, most humbly prayed that on acceptance of this application the respondents may please be restrained not to put up the impugned seniority lists before the upcoming PSB for onward promotion to BPS-19 till the disposal of the above mentioned service appeal.

Dated: 21.01.2022

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IHSAN ULLAH

THROUGH:

NOOR MOHAMMAD KHATTAK

ADVOCATE



ANNEX A" GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA ENERGY & POWER DEPARTMENT

1" Floor, Block A, Wali Khan, Multiplex, Civil Socretariat, Peshawar Tel: 091-9223625, Fax No: 091-9223624

Dated Peshawar the, 25-05-2018

NOTIFICATION

No. SO(Estt)/E&P/ 5-10/APU/Electric Inspector/2018: In pursuance of the provisions under Rules 4 (1) (a) of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants (Appointment Promotion and Transfer) Rules, 1989, the Competent Authority on recommendation of the Provincial Selection Board is pleased to promote the following officers of Electric Inspectorate, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa with immediate effect subject to the condition of probation period for one year:-

	Name of the	Promoted			
NO.	Officer	From	То		
1.	Mr. Ihsanullah	Assistant Electric Inspector (BPS-17).	Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18)		
2.	Mr. Arifullah	Assistant Electric Inspector (BPS-17).	Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18)		

Secretary
Energy & Power Department

Endst; No & Date Even:

Copy forwarded to the: --

1. Accountant General, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

2. Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Flnance Department.

3. Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Establishment Department.

4. Electric Inspector, Electric Inspectorate, Peshawar.

5. P.S to Secretary Energy & Power Department.

6. Officers concerned.

Section Officer (Estt)

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Energy and Power Department 1st Floor, Block-A, Abdul Wali Khan Multiplex Civil Secretariat Peshawar Tel. 091-9210895 - Fax 091-9223624

NOTIFICATION

15th October, 2021 Dated Peshawar, the

In pursuance of section-8 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servant Act 1973 read with Rule-17 of Civil Servant (Appointment, Promotion and Transfer) Rules 1989 and in light of the guidance/advice of Establishment Department received vide No. SO(O&M)E&AD/8-7/2020 dated 23rd September 2021, the competent Authority is pleased to notify and circulate the final seniority list of the Electric Inspectorate of the Energy and Power Department of the Deputy Electric Inspectors (BPS-18) to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa for information of all concerned:-

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.[ia	Date of	Date of 1st Entry	Regular appoi	upuisiuĄb	promotion to present post	Present Posting	٠.
	S.#	Name of Officer	Academic Qualification	Birth and Domicile	inta Govt: Service	Date	BPS	Method of recruitment		· · · ;
					5	6	7	8	9 Deputy Electric Inspector	
-	1	2 Muhammad Mumtaz	3	7 75 4052	23-10-1985	03-10-2018	18	By Promotion (Permanent)	(Holding charge of Electric Inspector Provincial)	;· <u>,</u>
,	1	Khari S/O Taj Muhammad	B-Tech (Hon) & DAE	10-05-1962	23-10-7333			By Promotion	Deputy Electric Inspector	· .
	<u> </u>	Engr. Ihsanullah S/O	B.Sc Electrical Engineering	20-04-1984	28-03-2009	25-05-2018	18	(Permanent)	Abbottabad Region	
/]. 2	Hayat Khan	Registered with PEC	<u> </u>			<u> </u>	By Promotion	Deputy Electric Inspector Bannu	
/	3	Engr Arifullah	M Sc Electrical Engineering	14-03-1985	26-03-2009	25-05-2018	18	(Permanent)	Region	<u> </u>
	3	S/O Salim Khan	Registered with PEC		<u></u>		<u>1</u>			

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2) Electric Inspector Provincial, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar

3) Section Officer (O&M), Establishment and Administration Department (Regulation Wing), Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar, with reference to his letter No. SO(O&M)E&AD/8-7/2020 dated 17th March, 2021 and No. SO(O&M)E&AD/8-7/2020 dated 17th March, 2021.

4) PS to Secretary Energy & Power Department Peshawar

5) PS to Special Secretary Energy & Power Department Peshawar.

6) PA to Additional Secretary (Power), Energy & Power Department Peshawar
7) PA to Deputy Secretary (Power), Energy & Power Department Peshawar

Officers concerned.

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NOTIFICATION

Dated Peshawar, the /c/ll January, 2022 179-0

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S.#	Name of Officer	Academic Qualification	Date of Birth and	Date of 1st Entry into Govt:	Regular appoi	intment/p	romotion to present post	Present Posting
Ŀ			Domicile	Service	Date	BPS	Method of recruitment	
1	2	3	. 4	5	6	7.	8	9
1	Muhammad Mumtaz Khan S/O Taj Muhammad	M.Sc. in Electrical Engineering, B-Tech. (Hon) & DAE	10-05-1962	23-10-1985	03-10-2018	18	By Promotion (Permanent)	Deputy Electric Inspector (Holding charge of Electric Inspector Provincial)
2	Engr. Ihsanullah S/O Hayat Khan	B.Sc Electrical Engineering Registered with PEC	20-04-1984	28-03-2009	25-05-2018	18	By Promotion (Permanent)	Deputy Electric Inspector Abbottabad Region
3	Engr. Arifullah S/O Salim Khan	M.Sc Electrical Engineering Registered with PEC	14-03-1985	26-03-2009	25-05-2018	18	By Promotion (Permanent)	Deputy Electric Inspector Bannu Region

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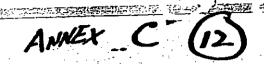
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7) PA to Additional Secretary (Admn), Energy & Power Department Peshawar

8) PA to Deputy Secretary (Power), Energy & Power Department Peshawar

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GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA ENERGY & POWER DEPARTMENT

House No. 69, Street No. 3, Shami Road, Peshawar Tel. 091-9212647 - Fax 091-9212657

Dated Peshawar, the 16_/07/2010

NOTIFICATION

No. SOG (E&P) / 5 – 10 / Electric Inspector / 2009. In pursuance of the provisions contained in sub-rule (2) of the North-West Frontier Province, Civil Servants (Appointment, Promotion and Transfer) Rules, 1989, Energy & Power Department, in consultation with Establishment Department, Finance Department, Law, Parliamentary Affairs & Human Rights Department and Public Service Commission, hereby directs that the following amendments shall be made in the Imgation & Power Department's Notification No. ROL/1&P/II-26/03, dated 17-08-2005:-

AMENDMENT

In the Appendix, -

(i) Against serial No. 1, for the existing entries, the following shall be substituted in the respective columns, namely,

	3.	4.	5.
*(a)	Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering from a recognized University with seven years experience in the relevant field and registered as professional Engineer with Pakistan Engineering Council; or	32 – 45 Years	By promotion, on the basis of seniority-cum-fitness from amongst Deputy Electric Inspectors having seven years service in BPS-18 or twelve years service in BPS-17 and above as Assistant Electric Inspector,
*(b)	Bacilelor Degree in Electrical Engineering from a recognized University with ten years experience in the relevant field and registered as professional Engineer with Pakistan Engineering Councit.		"Provided that if no suitable candidate is available for promotion then by initial recruitment."

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ii) After serial No. 1, the following new entries shall be inserted in the respective columns, namely,

1	2.	3.	4.	5.
*1A	Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18)	"(a) Master's Degree in Electrical Engineering from a recognized University with five years experience in the relevant field and registered as professional Engineer with Pakistan Engineering Council; or "(b) Bachelor Degree in Electrical Engineering from a recognized University with seven years expended and registered as professional Engineer with Pakistan Engineering Council.	25 - 40 Years	By promotion, on the basis of seniority-cum-fitness from amongst Assistant Electric Inspectors having B. Sc. Degree in Electric Engineering with five years service as such: "Provided that if no suitable candidate is available for promotion then by initial recruitment."

(iii) Against serial No. 8, for the existing entries in columns No. 5, the following shall be substituted, namely

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- * (a) Fifty percent by initial recruitment; and
- (b) Fifty percent by promotion, on the basis of seniority-cum-fitness, from amongst the Senior Clerks with three-years experience of Accounts matters, preparation of budget, estimates, reconciliation of Accounts",

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Against serial No. 9, the following shall be substituted in the respective columns, namely,

1	2.	 3.	4.	5.
 9	Computer Operator (BPS-12)	2 nd Class graduation with Diploma in IT from Technical Education or its	Board of Years	By initial recruitment

Note: Service Rules for this post have been notified by the Establishment Department vide Notification No. SOR-IV (ED) 3 – 2 / 07, dated 02-02-2007 and Finance Department vide Notification No. KC / FD / SO (FR) 7 ~ 3 / 2001, dated 12-07-2010.

Secretary to Govt. of Knyber Pakhtunkhwa Energy & Power Department.

Endst. No. SOG (E&P) / 5 - 10 / Electric Inspector / 2009 2964 - 70. dated Peshawar, the 16 /07/2010.

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- Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Establishment Department.
- 2. Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Finance Department.
- 3. Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Law, Parliamentary Affairs & Human Rights Department
- 4. Secretary, Public Service Commission, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
- Electric Inspector, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar with the request to provide ten copies of the Notification when published in the Government Gazzette.
- 6. Manager, Government Printing & Stationery Department, KPK.
- 7. PS to Secretary, Energy & Power Department, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

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Section Officer (General)

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ENERGY & POWER DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Peshawar, dated the 14-09-2018

No. SC(E)/E&P/5-1/S.M/E.I/2016/Vol-II:- In pursuance of the provisions contained in sub-rule(2) of rule 3 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants (Appointment, Promotion and Transfer) Rules, 1989, the Energy & Power Department, in consultation with the Establishment Department and the Finance Department, hereby directs that in this Department's Notification No. SOG(E&P)/5-10/Electric Inspector/2009, dated 16-10-2010, the following further amendment shall be made, namely:

In the Appendix, after Serial No. 1A, the following new entries shall be inserted, in the respective columns,

S.No	Nomenclature of the post	Minimum qualification for appointment by initial recruitment.	Age limit <u>.</u>	Method of recruitment
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
"1B.	Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) (BPS-18)	-	_	By promotion, on the basis of seniority-cum- fitness, from amongst the Assistant Electric Inspectors with five (05) years service as such, having qualification of B.Tech (Hon)".

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Endst. No. SO(E)/E&P/5-1/S.M/E.I/2016/Vol-II,

Dated, Peshawar the, 14-09-2018

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 - 2. Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Finance Department.
 - 3 Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Law Department.4.
- √ 4. Electric Inspector, Electric Inspectorate, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, with the request to provide tencopies of the Notification when published in the Government gazette.
 - 5. Manager Government Printing & Stationer Department, Peshawar, KPK.
 - 6. PS to Secretary Energy & Power Department.

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To

The worthy Chief Secretary.

Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa,

Peshawar.

ANNEX D

Subject:

APPEAL AGAINST THE FINAL SENIORITY LIST OF DEPUTY ELECTRIC INSPECTORS (BPS-18) ISSUED VIDE NOTIFICATION No. S.O (E.I)/E&P/5-10/UPA/2021/184-10 DATED 15/10/2021 IN ELECTRIC INSPECTORATE OF ENERGY & POWER DEPARTMENT GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA

Dear Sir,

With due reverence, it is submitted that, on advice of the Establishment department, the administrative department of Energy & Power vide notification No. S.O (E.I)/E&P/5-10/UPA/2021/184-10 Dated 15/10/2021 has issued a final joint seniority list of two distinct Posts/Cadres of Engineers and Technologists in BPS-18 despite having their distinct/separate nomenclatures as Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18) for engineers and Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) (BPS-18) for technologists and having distinct/separate services rules for each.

The subject final notification has been issued without consideration and decision in the appeal submitted against the tentative seniority list within prescribed time period.

Issuance of such notification is against Section-8 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants Act 1973 read with Rule-17 of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants (Appointment, Promotion and Transfer) Rules 1989 and merging the Technology post/cadre with Engineering posts/cadre violates the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Act 1976 and Article 143 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973.

(Copies of Subject Notification and previous Appeal at Annexure-I)

Grounds and facts:





The following grounds and facts, on the basis of relevant laws/rules/policies, are submitted;

1. The notification has been issued on the presumption that the officers in the subject notification have had a joint seniority list in (BPS-17). In this regard, it is clarified that the BPS-17 posts have a common nomenclature as Assistant Electric Inspector (BPS-17) occupied by the Technologists through 50% quota created in violation of the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Act 1976 thus violating Article 143 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 just for accommodation rather than creation of respective posts for Technologists, thus encroaching the engineering positions in BPS-17. Whereas the positions of Engineers and Technologists have been segregated in BPS-18 with distinct nomenclatures as Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18) for Engineers and Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) (BPS-18) for Technologists through Standing Service Rules Committee (SSRC) to comply with Pakistan Engineering Council Act 1976, Article 143 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 and requirements of National Technology Council respectively. It is further clarified that both the posts/cadres/streams in BPS-18 have separate service rules for promotion to each.

(Copied of Service Rules for BPS-17 & BPS-18 at Annexure-II)

It is also submitted that engineering and technology are two distinct disciplines 2. of knowledge with separate accreditation councils i.e. Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) for Engineering whereas National Technology Council (NTC) for Technology as envisaged in Higher Education Commission (HEC) letter No. 8-61/A&A/2017/HEC/3811 dated 04/05/2017 and National Qualification Framework (NFQ) of Pakistan 2015 publicly available at official website www.hec.gov.pk of HEC. In light of which, the nonequivalence has been previously communicated to Mr. Muhammad Mamtaz (officer at S.No.1 of the tentative seniority list) by the administrative department Energy & Power department vide its letter No. SO (E.I)/E&P/5-10/E.I/Vol-I/2009/199-2 dated 19/01/2017 in reply to his appeal for promotion. Based on these laws and policies of PEC and HEC, the two cadres have been segregated into the above mentioned two separate BPS-18, i.e. DEI nomenclature posts (BPS-18) Engineers





DEI(Technologist)(BPS-18) for Technologists, through Standing Service Rules Committee (SSRC)

(Copy of HEC letter at Annexure-III).

3. As per provisions and spirit of Rule-17 under part-VI of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants (Appointment, Promotion & Transfer) Rules 1989, the interse seniority is determined/exists amorigst officers of the same post/cadre. There is no inter-se seniority amongst officers of two different/distinct posts/cadres and that inter-se seniority amongst officers of each post/cadre is determined separately. In contravention to the Rule *ibid*, the two different/distinct Cadres/ Posts have been malafidely merged into one to favour the officer at S. No. 1 of the seniority list for his unlawful promotion to BPS-19 which requires an engineer registered with Pakistan Engineering Council under Section 27(5A) of the PEC Act 1976 and the existing service rules for BPS-19.

Merging the Technologist with Engineers Invariably means violation of Section 27(5A) of PEC Act 1976 (Act of the Parliament) which is also violation of Article 143 of the Constitution of Pakistan 1973 which provides that law of the Parliament shall prevail in case of repugnancy in laws of the Province/Provincial Assembly and the Parliament. Hence, no provincial law/rule can be enacted/framed in repugnancy to the PEC Act 1976.

(Copy of K.P. Civil Servants Appointment, Promotion & Transfer Rules 1989 at Annexure-IV)

4. The subject final seniority list is not only against the merit, HEC's policy, provisions and spirit of Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Act 1976, spirit of Supreme Court of Pakistan Judgment SC 2018 SCMR 2098 and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants (Appointment, Promotion & Transfer) Rules 1989 but also in sheer violation of Section-8 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants Act 1973, by spirit of which the seniority of each post/cadre should be determined/administered separately and the seniority of a Civil Servant is to be reckoned in relation to the other Civil Servants belonging to the same post/cadre.





(Copies of Section-8 of Civil Servants Act 1973 & SC 2018 SCMR 2098 at Annexure-V)

Keeping in view the above, it is, therefore, very humbly prayed that the Subject notification may be cancelled/set aside as this will set a bad precedence for future and that revised notifications for each post/cadre i.e. Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18) and Deputy Electric Inspector (Technologist) (BPS-18) may be separately issued to honor the laws/rules of the land, please.

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Engr. Ihsan Ulah, Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18), Officer at S. No.2 of the Seniority List. 20-10-202

Engr. Arif Ullah, Deputy Electric Inspector (BPS-18), Officer at S. No.3 of the Seniority List.

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The Secretary Energy and Power department to intervene into the matter for necessary action, please.





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