BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICES TRIBUNAL, PESHAWAR AT CAMP COURT ABBOTTABAD.

Appeal No. 110/2019

Date of Institution

23.01.2019

Date of Decision

17.09.2020

Gul Muhammad S/O of Sadbar Khan, Resident of Pattan, Tehsil Pattan, District Kohistan Lower/Police Constable (BPS-07) at Dassu Kohistan.

(Appellant)

<u>VERSUS</u>

Regional Police Officer, Hazara Region Abbottabad and one other.

(Respondents)

Present:

MR. ABDUL SABOOR KHAN,

Advocate

- For Appellant.

MR. MUHAMMAD RIAZ KHAN PAINDAKHEL,

Assistant Advocate General

For respondents.

MR. MIAN MUHAMMAD,

MR. MUHAMMAD JAMAL KHAN

-- MEMBER(Executive)

--- **MEMBER(Judicial)**

JUDGEMENT.

MIAN MUHAMMAD, MEMBER:- Brief facts of the case are that the appellant was serving as constable (BPS-07) in respondent-department. He was imposed major penalty of dismissal from service vide order dated 20.01.2014 on the allegation of involvement in criminal case nominated in FIR NO.29 dated 25.02.2013 under Section 9 (C) of Control of Narcotic Substances Act 1997, Police Station Lal Muhammad Shaheed Besham District Shangla. On conclusion of the trial, the appellant was sentenced and convicted (life imprisonment and fine of Rs. 1,00,000) by the Trial Court. The appellant challenged it before the Peshawar High Court but the Peshawar High Court also maintained the judgement of the lower court. The appellant also challenged the judgement of both the courts before the

august Supreme Court of Pakistan and the apex court accepted appeal of the appellant and acquitted him of the charges level against him, vide detailed judgement dated 12.09.2018. Thereafter, the appellant filed departmental appeal on 05.10.2018 which was partially accepted to the extent that the appellant was reinstated in service but the intervening period was treated as leave without pay, vide order dated 30.11.2018, hence, the present service appeal.

- 02. We have heard the pro and counter arguments put forth by the learned counsels for the parties and perused the available record as well as additional material/relevant court cases in support of their respective plea.
- O3. The learned counsel for the appellant vehemently contended that since the appellant was in custody and it was beyond control of the appellant to attend his duty, therefore, he was entitled to all back benefits. He referred to second proviso under Section-17 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Civil Servants Act, 1973 which stipulates that "provided further that where a civil servant has, under an order which is later set aside, been dismissed or removed from service or reduced in rank, he shall, on setting aside of such order, be entitled to such arrears of pay as the authority setting aside such order may determine". In support of his arguments, he relied on para-6 and 7 of the 2013 SCMR 752, 2003 SCMR 726 and 1999 SCMR 2870.
- 04. The learned Assistant Advocate General advanced counter arguments that being a personnel of disciplined Force, the appellant was nominated in FIR No. 29 dated 25.02.2013 under Section 9(C) of CNSA and his acquittal was the outcome of "benefit of doubt" extended to him by the court. Moreover, departmental proceedings and judicial proceedings may start from an identical charge(s), can run parallel to each other on the same set of facts and yet may end differently. It was

further contended that the appellant did not actually perform his duty, hence, "no work no pay" is the principle applied to him. The department has already taken a lenient view when major penalty of "dismissal from service" was set aside and he was reinstated in service, declaring the period when he was out of service, as "Leave without pay". He relied on 2004 SCMR 13089 (citation-C) and judgement of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Services Tribunal dated 02.12.2019 in service appeal No. 1230/2018 titled Zahoor Iqbal versus PPO and others.

O5. Spirit of the Court cases relied on in support of the plea of the appellant particularly that of 2004 SCMR 1308, is that there must be some documentary evidence to establish the fact that the appellant during the intervening period when he remained out of service, was not engaged in work anywhere to gain financial benefits. Similarly, in Civil Appeal No. 1230/2018 titled Zahoor Iqbal versus Provincial Police Officer Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and others; The Services Tribunal even took into account the lenient view of respondent-department when the major penalty of "dismissal from service" was converted into "reduction in pay by two stages" and it set aside that penalty. The appellant was reinstated in service w.e.f 08.05.2018 but without any financial.

Of. As a sequel to the above, we have arrived at the conclusion that the appellant was acquitted as a result of "benefit of doubt" which also stands honourable acquittal as interpreted by the august Supreme Court of Pakistan. The respondent department has taken a lenient view by converting his major penalty of dismissal from service after having considered his plausible reasons on 29.11.2019 in orderly room. Thus, he has been given departmental relief after due consideration to his plea at the department level. As he was out of service since 25.02.2013 till 30.11.2018 and he actually did not perform duty in the respondent-department due to his own conduct, therefore, the authority while reinstating the appellant in service, has

rightly treated the period of his absence as "leave without pay". We, therefore, find no merit in the case to intervene the order dated 30.11.2018, as such the appeal is dismissed. Parties are left to bear their own costs. File be consigned to the record room.

ANNOUNCED 17.09.2020

> (MIAN MUHAMMAD) MEMBER(E)

Camp Court Abbottabad

(MUHAMMAD JAMAL KHAN) MEMBER(J)

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•	17.09.2020	Present.			
		Mr. Abdul Saboor Khan For appellant Advocate			
		Mr. Muhammad Riaz Khan Paindakhel, Assistant Advocate General For respondents			
	•	Vide our detailed judgment of today, we, therefore			
		find no merit in the case to intervene the order dated			
		30.11.2018, as such the appeal is dismissed. File be			
		consigned to the record room.			
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	[(Muhammad Jamal Khan) Member (Judicial)			
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17.12.2019

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Ziaullah, Deputy District Attorney alongwith Mr. Akhtar Zaman, Inspector (Legal) for the respondents present. Learned counsel for the appellant requested for adjournment. Adjourned to 23.01.2020 for arguments before D.B at Camp Court Abbottabad.

(Hussain Shah)

Member
Camp Court Abbottabad

(M. Amin Khan Kundi)

Member
Camp Court Abbottabad

23.01.2020

Appellant in person present. Mr. Muhammad Jan, DDA for the respondents present. Due to general strike of the bar on the call of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Bar Council, the case is adjourned. To come up for further proceedings on 17.02.2020 before D.B at camp court Abbottabad.

Member

Member
Camp Court A/Abad

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Akhtar Zaman, Inspector alongwith Mr. Muhammad Bilal Khan, Deputy District Attorney for the respondents present. Representative of the department submitted written reply on behalf of respondents No. 1 & 2. Case to come up for rejoinder and arguments on 10.09.2019 before D.B at Camp Court Abbottabad.

(Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi) Member Camp Court Abbottabad

17.09.2019

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Muhammad Bilal Khan, Deputy District Attorney for the respondents present. Learned counsel for the appellant requested for adjournment. Case to come up for rejoinder and arguments on 20.11.2019 before D.B at

Camp Court Abbottabad.

(Hussain Shah)

Member

Camp Court Abbottabad

(Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi) Member Camp Court Abbottabad

20.11.2019

Counsel for the appellant present. Mr. Usman Ghani, District Attorney alongwith Mr. Akhtar Zaman, Inspector for respondents present. Learned counsel for the appellant seeks adjournment. Adjourned but as a last chance. To come up for arguments on 17.12.2019 before D.B at Camp Court, Abbottabad.

Member

Mèmber
Camp Court Abbottabad

20.05.2019

Counsel for the appellant Gul Muhammad present. Preliminary arguments heard. It was contended by learned counsel for the appellant that the appellant was serving in Education Department. He was imposed major penalty of dismissal from service vide order dated 20.01.2014 on the allegation of involvement in criminal case vide FIR No. 29 dated 25.02.2013 under section 9 (C) of CNSA Police Station Lal Muhammad Shaheed Besham District Shangla. It was further contended that after conclusion of the trial, the appellant was sentenced and convicted by the trial court. The appellant challenged the said before the worthy High Court but the worthy High Court also maintained the judgment of the lower court. It was further contended that the appellant also challenged the judgment of both the courts before the august Supreme Court of Pakistan and the apex court accepted the appeal of the appellant and acquitted him from the charges level against him vide detail judgment dated 12.09.2018. Thereafter, the appellant filed departmental appeal on 05.10.2018 which was partially accepted to the extent that the appellant was reinstated in service but the intervening period was treated as leave without pay instead of back benefits hence, the present service appeal. Learned counsel for the appellant further contended that since the appellant was in custody and it was beyond the control of the appellant to attend the duty therefore, the appellant was entitled for back benefits.

The contention raised by the learned counsel for the appellant need consideration. The appeal is admitted for regular hearing subject to limitation and all other legal objections. The appellant is directed to deposit security and process fee within 10 days thereafter, notice be issued to the respondents for written reply/comments for 10.07.2019 before S.B at Camp Court Abbottabad.

Appollant Deposited Security & Process Fee

> (Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi) Member

Camp Court Abbottabad

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FORM OF ORDER SHEET

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	Case No	110 /2019		
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1-	23/1/2019	The appeal of Mr. Gul Muhammad received today by post through Mr. Abdul Saboor Khan Advocate may be entered in the		
2-	25-1-19	Institution Register and put up to the Worthy Chairman for proper order please. REGISTRAR This case is entrusted to touring S. Bench at A.Abad for preliminary hearing to be put up there on 21-3-19.		
	\	CHAIRMAN		
21.03.2019		None present on behalf of the appellant. Notice be issued to appellant and his counsel for attendance and preliminary hearing for 20.05.2019 before S.B at Camp Court Abbottabad.		
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BEFORE THE SERVICE TRIBUNAL K.P.K PESHAWAR

Service appeal No 10 of 2019

Gul Muhammad......Appellant

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APPEAL

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Dated 19.01.2019

GUL MUHAMMAD
(Appellant)

Through:-

ABDUL SABOOR KHAN Advocate High Court

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BEFORE THE SERVICE TRIBUNAL K.P.K PESHAWAR

Khyber Pakhtakhwa Service Tribunal

Diary No. 48

Dated 23/1/2019

Service appeal No 10 of 2019

Gul Muhammad, Son of Sadbar Khan, resident of Pattan, Tehsil Pattan, District Kohistan Lower/Police Constable BPS 07 at Dassu Kohistan.

....Appellant

VERSUS

- 1) Regional Police Officer, Hazara Region Abbottabad.
- District Police Officer, District Kohistan at Dassu.

.....Respondents

Registral.

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 4 OF KPK SERVICE TRIBUNAL ACT, 1974 AGAINST THE ORDER DATED 30.11.2018 WHEREBY RESPONDENT NO 01 PARTIALLY ALLOWED **DEPARTMENTAL** APPEAL THE APPELLANT, REINSTATED HIM INTO SERVICE, BUT PERIOD OF ABSENCE HAS BEEN TREATED WITHOUT PAY, INSTEAD OF WITH PAY.

PRAYER:-

On acceptance of the instant appeal, the period of absence of the appellant treated as leave without pay may graciously be modified to with Pay and respondents be directed to give/grant back benefits, back service and other admissible perks and privileges to the appellant in consequence of his reinstatement into service, vide order dated 30.11.2018.

Respectfully Sheweth:-

- 1. That, appellant was appointed as police constable at District Kohistan on 23.07.1998.
- 2. That, on 25.02.2013, petitioner was falsely involved by local police of police station Besham, District Shangla in a false case vide FIR No 29 dated 25.02.2013 under section 9(C) of CNSA, 1997, due to said reason, Respondent No 02 dismissed the appellant from service vide order dated 20.08.2014.

(Copy of order dated 20.08.2014 is annexed as annexure "A").

3. That, the appellant was acquitted of the false charges by the August

Supreme Court of Pakistan vide Judgment dated 12.09.2018.

(Copy of Judgment dated 12.09.2018 is annexed as annexure "B").

4. That, after earning clean acquittal, appellant filed a departmental appeal with respondent No 01 on 05.10.2018. which was allowed and appellant was reinstated into service vide order dated 30.11.2018 but the period of absence and the period in which the appellant remained out of service was treated as leave without pay instead of with pay/back benefits.

(Copies of departmental appeal and order dated 30.11.2018 are annexed as annexure "C & D").

the extent of treating the period of absence as leave without pay instead of with pay, hence ,this appeal inter alia on the following amongst other grounds.

GROUNDS:-

A) That, appellant remained behind the bars in the aforesaid criminal case with effect from 25.02.2013 till he was released from Jail on 19.09.2018 in consequence of the judgment of the apex court dated 12.02.2018.

- B) That, the appellant was not paid his salaries/Jail allowances during his incarceration with effect from 25.02.2013 till he was released on 19.09.2018 for which he was entitled as under trial prisoner under the law on the subject.
- C) That, the appellant never remained willfully absent from duty and during the intervening period he was also not enjoying any gainful job, therefore, he is legally entitled to back benefits, but Respondent No 01 did not grant the same vide order dated 30.11.2018 despite having reinstated him into service.
- D) That, it is well settled by now that reinstatement of an employee into service is always followed by back benefits of the intervening period.
- E) That, the appellate authority (Respondent No 01) has not cited any legal reason for treating the period of absence of the appellant as leave without pay, hence to the extent of which, order dated 30.11.2018 passed by respondent no 01 calls for modification treating the period of absence as leave with pay.

PRAYER:-

On acceptance of the instant appeal, the period of absence of the appellant treated as leave without pay may graciously be modified to with Pay and respondents be directed to give/grant back benefits, back service and other admissible perks and privileges to the appellant in consequence of his reinstatement into service, vide order dated 30.11.2018.

Dated 19.01.2019

Gul Muhammad (Appellant)

Through:-

ABBUL SABOOR KHAN Advocate High Court

VERIFICATION:

I, Gul Muhammad, Son of Sadbar Khan, resident of Pattan, Tehsil Pattan, District Kohistan Lower/Police Constable BPS 07 at Dassu Kohistan, do hereby solemnly affirm and declare that the contents of fore-going Appeal are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed or suppressed form this Honorable Tribunal.

GUL MUĤAMMAD

BEFORE THE SERVICE TRIBUNAL K.P.K PESHAWAR

Service appeal No _____of 2018

Gul Muhammad......Appellant

VERSUS

APPEAL

AFFIDAVIT

I, GUL MUHAMMAD, SON OF SADBAR KHAN, RESIDENT \mathbf{OF} PATTAN, TEHSIL PATTAN. **KOHISTAN** DISTRICT LOWER/POLICE CONSTABLE BPS 07 AT DASSU KOHISTAN. DO HERBY SOLEMNLY AFFIRM AND DECLARE ON OATH THAT THE NO SUCH SUBJECT MATTER APPEAL HAS EVER BEEN FILED BEFORE THIS HONORABLE COURT NOR DECIDED. THAT THE CONTENTS OF FORE-GOING AFFIDAVIT ARE TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND CONCEALED HAS BEEN NOTHING SUPPRESSED **FROM THIS HONOURABLE** TRIBUNAL.

Dated: 19.01.2019

GUL MUHAMMAD DEPONENT



BEFORE THE SERVICE TRIBUNAL K.P.K PESHAWAR

Service appeal No _____of 2018

Gul Muhammad......Appellant

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APPEAL

CORRECT ADDRESSES OF THE PARTIES

APPELLANT:

Gul Muhammad, Son of Sadbar Khan, resident of Pattan, Tehsil Pattan, District Kohistan Lower/Police Constable BPS 07 at Dassu Kohistan.

RESPONDENTS:

- 1) Regional Police Officer, Hazara Region Abbottabad.
- 2) District Police Officer, District Kohistan at Dassu.

Dated 19.01.2019

GUL MUHAMMAD (Appellant)

Through:-

ABDUL SABOOR KHAN
Advocate High Court

The order will dis

Gul Mohammad No. 152 on the

Daily Diary No. 17, dated 23-0

Police Station Battera reported

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The order will dispose of the departmental enquiry initiated against <u>Constable</u>

<u>Gul Mohammad No. 152</u> on the score of allegations that he absented him-self from duty vide

Daily Diary No. 17, dated 23-02-2013 without any leaved permission to his seniors. MHC

Police Station Battera reported that he being a member of discipline force involved in

criminal case vide FIR No. 29, dated 25-02-2013 w/s 9-CNSA Police Station Lal Mohammad

Shaheed Besham District Shangla.

On this Mr. Saeed Ahmad Malik DSP/Hqrs: Dassu was appointed as enquiry officer and he submitted finding report that, till decision of court enquiry will be pending, of the decision of court, the enquiry of accused constable again sent to DSP/Hqrs: for further comments/ enquiry. During the enquiry it came to the notice that trail court of Session Judge Shangla announced decision in the case. The Session Judge awarded life imprisonment and fine Rs. 100000/- (one lac) rupees. The decision of the court obtained which is attached with enquiry file.

From the circumstances mentioned above it is evident that he was habitual trafficker/peddler of narcotics. His involvement in the case shows that he is a black stigma for police force and brought had name of the police department, hence due to his involvement in above mentioned case he is dismissed from service from the date of absence under Police disciplinary Rules – 1975 with immediate effect.

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District Police Officer,

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Dated: 201 01 12014

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(MUHAMMAD NASM)
District & Sessions Judge/Zilla Qazi,
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PRESENT:

Mr. Justice Asif Saced Ki

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Mr. Justice Syed Mansoor Ali Shah

Criminal Appeal No. 415 of 2017

(Against the judgment dated 15.01.2015 passed by the Peshawar High Court, Mingora Bench (Dar-ul-Qaza), Swat in Criminal Appeal No. 222 of 2013)

Gul Muhammad

...Appellant

versus

The State, etc.

...Respondents

For the appellant:

Mr. Ziaur Rehman Khan, ASC

For the State:

Mr. Zaniu Yousaf Qureshi, Advocate-General,

Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Date of hearing:

12.09.2018

JUDGMENT

Asif Saced Khan Khosa, J.: Gul Muhammad appellant had allegedly been apprehended by a raiding party while carrying a bag containing Charas weighing 12 kilograms and subsequently some samples taken from the recovered substance had statedly been tested positive by the Chemical Examiner. In this backdrop the appellant was booked in case FIR No. 29 registered at Police Station Besham, District Shangla on 25.02.2013 for an offence under section 9(c) of the Control of Narcotic Substances Act, 1997 and after a regular trial the appellant was convicted by the trial court for the said offence and was sentenced to imprisonment for

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Court Associate Court of Pakistani life and to pay fine which conviction and sentence of the appellant were subsequently upheld and maintained by the High Court. Hence, the present appeal by leave of this Court granted on 21.08.2017.

- 2. Leave to appeal had been granted in this case in order to reappraise the evidence and with the assistance of the learned counsel for the parties we have indertaken that exercise.
- According to the processing the the alleged recovery of 3. ssession the recovered narcotic substance from the substance was handed over by Muhammad Zaman Khan, S.H.O. complainant (PW1) to Muhammad Ali, Moharrir for safe custody of the recovered substance at the local Police Station but the record shows that the said Muhammad Ali, Moharrir had neither been produced before the trial court nor he had made any statement under section 161, Cr.P.C. confirming safe custody of the recovered substance. It is also evident from the record that some samples of the recovered substance had later on been handed over to Mansoor Ahmed, F.C. for their transmission to the office of the Chemical Examiner but even the said Mansoor Ahmed, F.C. had not been produced before the trial court and no statement of his under section 161, Cr.P.C. had been recorded. This shows that safe custody of the recovered substance and safe transmission of the samples of the recovered substance to the office of the Chemical Examiner had never been established before the trial court through any independent evidence. It has already been held by this Court in the cases of Amjad Ali v. The State (2012 SCMR 577) and Ikramullah and others v. The State (2015 SCMR 1002) that in a case where safe custody of the recovered substance or safe transmission of the samples of the recovered substance is not proved by the prosecution there an accused person cannot be convicted in such a case.
 - 4. For what has been discussed above this appeal is allowed, the conviction and sentence of the appellant recorded and upheld

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Dated:

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The Superintendent, Central Jail Haripur.

Subject:

RELEASE WARRANT:

Criminal Appeal No.415 of 2017

Gul Muhammad

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The State and others

CASE FIR NO.29 DATED 25.02.2013 UIS 9 (C) CNSA PIS BESHAM DISTRICT SHANGLA.

Whereas, accused Gul Muhammad s/o Sadbar Khan r/o Pattan, District charged in case FIR No. 29 dated 25.02.2013 u/s 9 (C) CNSA, Police Station Besham, District Shangla. The said accused was convicted and sentenced u/s 9 (C) CNSA for life imprisonment and to pay a fine of Rs. 1,000,00/-(One lacs) or in default thereof to undergo one year SI. Benefit of section 382 (B) Cr.P.c was extended to the accused by the then Sessions Judge/Zilla Qazi, Shangla at Camp Court, Swat vide Judgment dated 18.09.2013

And whereas the convict preferred Criminal Appeal No.222 of 2013 before, Hon'ble the Peshawar High Court Mingora Bench(Dar-ul-Qaza), Swat, which was dismissed vide Judgment dated 15.01.2015.

And whereas the convict preferred Criminal Appeal No.415 of 2017 before apex Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad against the Judgement dated 15.01.2015 passed by Hon'ble the Peshawar High Court Mingora Bench (Dar-ul-Qaza) Swat. The appeal has been allowed by The Supreme Court of Pakistan and the conviction and sentence of the appellant recorded and upheld by the Courts below has been set aside and the accused has been acquitted of the charge by extending the benefit of doubt vide Judgment dated 12.09.2018 (Attested copy of Judgment is enclosed).

Now, this is authorize & require you, to release forthwith the said convict in the subject case, if, not required otherwi

> signature and seal of the Given under

September 2019.

ssions/Judee/Zilla Qazi, SHANGLA

Sourt today on 19th

REINSTATEMENT IN SERVICE A

Respected sir,

It is submitted that: -

1. I was appointed as Constable in District Kohistan on- 23.07.1998.

2. During my posting in PS Battera I was dismissed from serive on the following allegation:

"that I absented myself from duty vide Daily Diary No. 17, dated without any leave /permission to my senior Officers, MHC Police Station Barrera reported that he being a member of discipline force involved in criminal case vide FIR No. 29, dated 25.02.2013 u/s 9-CNSA Police Station Lal Muhammad Shaheed Bisham District Shangla".

3. I was awarded punishment of life imprisonment and fine rupee RS.100000 /- by the order of session Judge Shangla in the above cited case.

4. I preferred an appeal before the honorable Supreme court of Pakistan against the order of session judge district Shangla and the board of honorable 3 judges work kind enough to acquit me with the following remarks:-

"For what has been discussed above this appeal is allowed, the conviction and sentences of the appellant recorded and upheld by the courts below are set aside and he is acquitted of the charge by extending the benefit of doubt to him. He shall be released from the jail forthwith if no required to be detained in connection with any other case".

5. I herby solemnly affirm and declare that on the day of occurrence I was sitting on the hotal in Basham for taking tea where a number of persons were also sitting for taking meal and tea. A bag was also put by one person near to my chair without my knowledge. Suddenly a Police party of PS Bisham raided to hotel and took in to possession the sad back and put Chars init and victimized me in the same. Reasons were that a few days earlier an altercation took place between me and a Constable (DFC) in PS Bisham closed to the Inspector Muhamad Zaman SHO PS Basham as he used abusive language against the Haza-No. 4869 /A, lice). They hit a plan an why the honorable judg charges level against me. ra Police and I forbade him not to use such like a mars against us (Hazara Police). They hit a plan and implicated me in a fabricated narcotic case. That is why the honorable judges Supreme Court of Pakistan acquitted me of the

... 6. In the light of above humble submissions I request in your kind honor that I may kindly be reinstated in service keeping in view judgment of the honorable of supreme court of Pakistan and my explanation please.

7. I shall pray for your long life and prosperity.

Yours obedient Servant

(Gul Muhammad)

Ex-Constable Kohistan Police

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ORDER

This order is hereby passed to dispose off departmental appeal under Rule 11-A of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Police Rules 1975 submitted by Ex-Constable Gul Muhammad No.152 Kohistan District against the order of minor punishment i.e. Dismissal From Service awarded to him by the DPO Kohistan vide his OB No. 07, dated 20.01.2014.

Facts leading to punishment awarded to him are that he absented from duty vide Daily Diary No.17, dated 23.02.2013 without any leave/permission from his senior. MHC Police Station Baltera reported that he being a member of disciplined force involved in criminal case vide FIR No.29, dated 25.02.2013 u/s 9-CNSA Police Station Lal Muhammad Shaheed Besham District Shangla.

He was awarded i.e. life imprisonment and Fine Rs 100000/-(One-Lack) by the District & Session Judge, Shangla, Camp Court at Swat, vide Judgment dated 21.08.2017. The decision of District & Sessions Judge, Shangla was also maintained by Honorable Peshawar High Court Mingora Bench (Darul Qaza) Swat.

The appellant was released from the August Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad, vide judgment dated 12.09.2018.

After receiving his appeal, comments of DPO were sought, which were perused. The undersigned called appellant in O.R on 29.11.2018 where he explained plausible reasons. Therefore, due to August Supreme Court of Pakistan, Islamabad, vide judgment dated 12.09.2018 and his prolonged service I take lenient view and punishment awarded to him i.e. *Dismissal from Service* is set aside. He is reinstated in service. The period of absence and the period in which he remained out of service is treated as leave without pay and to be kept under special report for next five months.

REGIONAL ROLIGE OFFICER Hazara Region Abbottabad

No. 5690 /PA, dated Abbottabad the

30/11

/2018.

Copy of above is forwarded to the DPO Upper Kohistan w/r to his office Memo: No: 699, dated 22.10.2018 for information and necessary action.

Service Roll & Fauji Missal containing enquiry file are returned for your

office record.

REGIONAL POLICE OFFICER
Hazara Region Abbottabad

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Attested & Accepted Abdul Saboor Khan Advocate High Cout

BEFORE HONORABLE KHYBER <u>PAKHTUNKHWA</u> SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR, CAMP COURT, ABBOTTABAD

SERVICE APPEAL NO. 110 /2019

Gul Mohammad No. 02 Constable District Upper Kohistan......APPELLANT

VERSUS

- 1. Regional Police Officer Hazara Range, Abbottabad.

PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS

- 1. That the appellant has no cause of action to file the instant appeal.
- 2. That the appellant has no focus standi.
- 3. That the appellant did not cause to this Honorable tribunal with clean hands.
- 4. That the appellant concealed and distorted the material facts from this honorable tribunal.
- 5. That the present appeal is hopelessly time barred.
- 6. That the present appeal has been filed just to pressurize and blackmail the respondents.
- That all the proceedings have been done by the competent authority as
 per rule & law, hence the appeal is liable to dismissed without any
 further proceedings.

COMMENTS

FACTS

Para-wise comments on behalf of respondents are as under.

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c. In correct that, the appellant was dismissed from service on dated 20-01-2014 from police department by competent authority. The appellant remained absent and did not provide service for the department, so he does not entitled for grant any kind of benefit from the government.

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PRAYERs

In view of above it is therefore, most humbly prayed that the instant service appeal does not hold any legal force which may graciously be dismissed.

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VERSUS

- 1. Regional Police Officer Hazara Range, Abbottabad.

VERIFICATION

Verified on oath that the contents of foregoing appeal are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and nothing has been concealed from this honorable court.

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AFFIDAVIT/COUNTER AFFIDAVIT

It is solemnly affirmed and declared that the content of the para-wise comments to the appellant file by constable Gul Mohammad No. 2 of this district are correct to the best of our knowledge and nothing has been concealed from this honorable Tribunal/Court.

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PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS

- 1. That the appellant has no cause of action to file the instant appeal.
- 2. That the appellant has no focus standi.
- 3. That the appellant did not cause to this Honorable tribunal with clean hands
- 4. That the appellant concealed and distorted the material facts from this honorable tribunal.
- 5. That the present appeal is hopelessly time barred.
- 6. That the present appeal has been filed just to pressurize and blackmail the respondents.
- 7. That all the proceedings have been done by the competent authority as per rule & law, hence the appeal is liable to dismissed without any further proceedings.

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