BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUAL. **PESHAWAR**

Appeal No. 1274/2015

Date of Institution

12.11.2015

Date of Decision

15.12.2017

Fazalullah Ex-Constable No. 3231, Police Lines, Mardan.

.. (Appellant)

<u>VERSUS</u>

The Inspector General of Police, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar and two others.

(Respondents)

MR. NOOR MUHAMMAD KHATTAK, Advocate

For appellant

MR. KABEERULLAH KHATTAK,

Addl. Advocate General

...For respondents.

MR. NIAZ MUHAMMAD KHAN,

MR. MUHAMMAD AMIN KHAN KUNDI,

CHAIRMAN MEMBER

JUDGMENT

NIAZ MUIHAMMAD KHAN, CHAIRMAN.-Arguments of the learned counsel for the parties heard and record perused

FACTS

The appellant was dismissed from service on 11.08.2015 against which he filed departmental appeal on 24.08.2015. The same was decided on 17.09.2015 and the penalty of dismissal was converted into compulsory retirement. According to the appellant the decision of the appellate authority was communicated to him on



30.10.2015 and thereafter he filed the present service appeal on 12.11.2015. The charge against the appellant was his involvement in illegal activities.

ARGUMENTS.

- 3. The learned counsel for the appellant argued that only charge sheet was issued without any statement of allegations. That in the charge sheet no specific charge was framed and only a general assertion of illegal activities was mentioned. That on such vague charge no proceedings could be initiated against the appellant. He further argued that by not framing specific charge, the appellant was deprived of his defence. He contended that no right of cross-examination was afforded to the appellant nor any right of defence was afforded to him. That no personal hearing was given to the appellant nor the copy of enquiry report was provided to the appellant.
- 4. On the other hand, the learned Addl. AG argued that the present appeal is time barred. That the proceedings were imitated on the basis of a complaint of one Muhammad Asif. That the enquiry officer recorded the statement of witnesses and also put some questions on the witnesses including the appellant. That the case is proved against the appellant.

CONCLUSION.

5. Regarding the objection of the learned AAG that the departmental appeal is time barred, this Tribunal is of the view that there is no record that the decision of the departmental appeal was communicated to the appellant on the same or any day thereafter. It was incumbent upon the department to have proved the communication in order to bring this appeal outside the period of limitation. The application for condonation of delay would be read with para-4 of the memorandum



of appeal. Since the communication has not been proved by the department, there is

no need of condonation as the appeal is held to be within time.

6. On merit, the charge is vague as there is no mention of any complaint or

even any specific act of the appellant. In such situation, the concerned civil servant

would not be in a position to reply or defend that under which charge he was being

tried.

7. Admittedly, no final show cause notice was issued nor any personal hearing

was afforded. The witnesses were also not cross-examined by the appellant. In such

situation, the elements of due processes was not complied with. This Tribunal has

already decided many appeals including service appeal No. 1014/2014 decided on

23.11.2017 entitled "Saqib Gul Vs. District Police Officer, Mansehra and others"

by holding that even under the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Police Rules, 1975 issuance of

final show cause with the enquiry report is must. Non issuance of statement of

allegations is also another lacuna.

8. Consequently, this appeal is accepted and the appellant is reinstated in

service. The department is however, at liberty to hold denovo proceedings within a

period of ninety days from the date of receipt of this judgment. The issue of back

benefits shall be subject to the final outcome of the denovo proceedings. Parties are

left to bear their own costs. File be consigned to the record room.

(NIAZ MUIHAMMAD KHA CHAIRMAN

(MUHAMMAD AMIN KHAN KUNDI) MEMBER

ANNOUNCED 15.12.2017

.17.07.2017

Counsel for the appellant present. Mr. Kabirullah Khattak, Assistant AG for the respondents also present. The Learned Executive Member Mr. Gul Zeb Khan is away for interviews in the office of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Public Service commission therefore, due to incomplete bench the case is adjourned for further proceedings to 13.11.2017 before D.B.

(Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi) Member

13.11.2017

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Usman Ghani, District Attorney alongwith Attaur Rahman, S.I (Legal) for the respondents present. The learned counsel for the appellant requested for adjournment. Granted. To come up for arguments on 15.12.2017 before the D.B.

Member

Chairman

CHAIRMAN

15.12.2017

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Kabeerullah Khattak, Addl. Advocate General alongwith Attaur Rahman, S.I (Legal) for respondents present. Arguments heard and record perused.

This appeal is accepted as per our detailed judgment of today. Parties are left to bear their own costs. File be consigned to the record room.

MEMBER

ANNOUNCED 15.12.2017

18.08.2016

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Ziaullah, GP for the respondents present. Submit rejoinder. Case to come for arguments

on 10.11.2016.

Member A

Member

10.11.2016

Clerk to counsel for the appellant and Addl: AG for respondents present. Clerk to counsel for the appellant requested for adjournment as his counsel was busy before the Peshawar High Court, Peshawar. Adjourned. To come up for arguments on 20.03.2017.

(PIR BAKHSH SHAH) MEMBER

(MUHAMMAD AAMIR NAZIR) MEMBER

20.03.2017

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Atta Ur Rahman (SI) alongwith Assistant: AG for the respondents present. Argument could not be heard due to incomplete bench. To come up for final hearing on 17.07.2017 before D.B.

Chairman

25.11.2015

Counsel for the appellant present. Learned counsel for the appellant argued that the appellant was serving as Constable when subjected to inquiry on the allegations of professional miscounduct and dismissed from service vide impugned order dated 11.8.2015 where against he preferred departmental appeal on 24.8.2015 which was partially allowed and punishment modified and converted into that of compulsory retirement vide order dated 17.9.2015 communicated to the appellant on 30.10.2015 and hence the instant service appeal against the order of appellate authority on 12.11.2015.

That no statement of allegations were ever issued to the appellant nor show cause notice served nor chance of personal hearing was afforded to the appellant and hence the proceedings are nullity in the eyes of law.

Points urged need consideration. Admit. Subject to deposit of security and process fee within 10 days, notices be issued to the respondents for written reply/comments for 22.3.2016 before S.B.

22.03.2016

Appellant Deposited Security & Prosess F

Appellant in person and Mr. Khalid (Mathin) d, Constable alongwith Addl: A.G for respondents present. Written reply not submitted. Requested for adjournment. Last opportunity granted. To come up for written reply/comments on 27.4.2016 before S.B.

Charman

27.4.2016

Appellant in person and Mr. Muhammad Ghani, SI alongwith Addl: A.G for respondents present. Written reply by the respondents submitted. The appeal is assigned to D.B for rejoinder and final hearing for 18.08.2016...

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BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

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FAZLULLAH

VS

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APPELLANT

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ADVOCATE

BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

APPEAL NO. 1274 /2015

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Mr. Fazalullah, Ex. Constable No. 3231,

Police lines Mardan Appellant

VERSUS

- 1- The Inspector General of Police, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.
- 2- The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Mardan Region-I Mardan.
- 3- The District Police Officer, District Mardan.

...... Respondents

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 4 OF THE KHYBER **SERVICE TRIBUNAL PAKHTUNKHWA** ACT AGAINST THE IMPUGNED ORDER DATED 11-08-2015 WHEREBY THE APPELLANT WAS DISMISSED FROM SERVICE WITHOUT CONDUCTING REGULAR INOUIRY IN THE MATTER AND AGAINST THE APPELLATE ORDER 17-09-2015 COMMUNICATE DATED TO APPELLANT ON **30.10.2015 WHEREBY** THE PUNISHMENT OF DISMISSAL WAS CONVERTED INTO COMPULSORY RETIREMENT FROM SERVICE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT

PRAYER:

That on acceptance of this appeal the impugned orders dated 11-08-2015 and 17-09-2015 may very kindly be set aside and the respondents may please be directed to re-instate the appellant with all back benefits. Any other remedy which this august Tribunal deems fit that may also be awarded in favor of the appellant.

R/SHEWETH: ON FACTS:

- 1- That appellant was appointed as Constable in the respondent Department vide order dated 01/07/1991. That after appointment the appellant started performing his duty quite efficiently and up to the entire satisfaction of his superiors.
- 2- That appellant while serving as constable at police post casualty Mardan Medical Complex Mardan, the appellant served with charge sheet without statement of allegation vide dated 14-07-2015 on the allegations that appellant has

- 3- That vide impugned order dated 11-08-2015 the major punishment of Dismissal was imposed on the appellant by the respondent No.3 without conducting regular inquiry in the matter and under a wrong law i.e. Police Rules 1975. Copy of the impugned order is attached as annexure
- **5-** That appellant having no other remedy prefer the instant appeal on the following grounds amongst the others.

GROUNDS:

- A- That the impugned orders dated 11-08-2015 and 17.9.2015 are against the law, facts, norms of natural justice and materials on the record hence not tenable and liable to be set aside.
- B- That the 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 no show cause notice has been served on the appellant by the respondent No.3 before issuing the impugned order dated 11.8.2015 against the appellant.
- D- That no chance of personal hearing/ defense has been given to the appellant which is mandatory under amended E & D rules 2011.

- E- That no regular inquiry has been conducted in the matter of appellant which is as per Supreme Court judgment is necessary in cases of punitive actions against the civil servant.
- F- That the respondent acted in arbitrary and malafide manner while issuing the impugned orders dated 11-08-2015 and 17.9.2015.
- G- That the action has been taken against the appellant by the respondent No.3 under the misconception of law and as such the impugned order is void ab anitio in the eyes of law.
- H- That appellant seeks permission to advance other grounds and proofs at the time of hearing.

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

Dated: 11.11.2015

APPELLANT

FAZALULLAH

THROUGH:

NOOR MOHAMMAD KHATTAK

ADVOCATE

BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

APPEAL NO	÷ .	/2015
VS	5	POLICE DEPTT:

APPLICATION FOR CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING THE ABOVE NOTED APPEAL

R.SHEWETH:

FAZLULLAH

- 1- That the appellant has filed an appeal along with this application in which no date has been fixed so for.
- 2- That the appellant prays for the condonation of delay in filing the above noted appeal inter alia on the following grounds:

GROUNDS OF APPLICATION:

- A- That valuable rights of the appellant are involved in the case hence the appeal deserve to decide on merit.
- B- That it has been the consistent view of the Superior Courts that cases should be decided on merit rather on technicalities including the limitation. The same is reported in 2004 PLC (CS) 1014 and 2003 PLC (CS) 76.

It is therefore prayed that on acceptance of this application the delay in filing the above noted appeal may please be condoned.

APPELLANT

FAZLULLAH

THROUGH:

NOOR MOHAMMAD KHATTAK ADVOCATE

TIARGE SHEET UNDER FPR POLICE RULES 1975

I, Gul Afzal Khan District Police Officer, Mardan as competent authority is neby charge you Constable Fazalullah (2014) as follows.

That you constable, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Convolex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and a so involved in illegal activities.

This amounts to grave misconduct on your part, warranting departmental action arguest you, as defined in section - 6 (1) (a) of the LPK Police Rules 1975.

By reason of the above, you appear to be guilty of misconduct under section – 02 (iii) of the KPK Police Rules 1975 and has rendered yourself liable to all or any of the penalties as specified in section - 04 (i) a & b of the said Rules.

- You are therefore, directed to submit your written defense within seven days of the receipt of this charge sheet to the enquiry officer.
- Your written defence if any, should reach to the enquiry officer within the specified period, failing which, it shall be presumed that you have no defense to put-in and in that case, an ex-parte action shall follow against you.
- 4. Intimate whether you desired to be heard in person.

(GUL AFZALAHAN)
District Police Officer,
(2) Mardan.

ATTESTED

الم. والمهارج شبط نبر APP1975 المرسوس فاوت مول - در سائل حرام المعلقة كو فركم إليك سي فبنت كارا موركات - الله فتلف فعانات مين عنرل دلولك علاوہ خوال می رفاع دی ہے۔ سال لویا ہم 171 کی سے سے المنت كارد كالزرعمم سي تعمات على حيكر كيولى مين والول عروض الله عاد الزام الركواكيا - رسلا ناجائز طور رحمه کافیل کا عهر صافحال کررا ہے ۔ اور غیر قانون ر گرموں میں ملوث ہے۔ مان جواماً صروب مول -رمائی مال مجمع میں تعا فيومًا لا بيور فيلع حوال مين تعيات تحا - مرأس وقت في اللاع ملی ار الکے وظرام کو الیاورسے ختیات سمول کرماے باکرندی عدوران وی ورسائی اکر میں سے منات از قسم رس برون براور کے عبل کا بادا فی میں OP ماج موال عافی جمل ماہ نظام كولمك لآع بربوره حيد كالمال ترقياب كرنه كاحكم حادرى علادہ ازیں مائل روز اول سے تاحال کی غیر قان فیرتری ور منیورسی ارسی میں ماہت ہیں رہ جانے اور زمن ماہے خلف کول وری زمان شامیت نبیل مول کے سام کا گزشتہ العارد كان المرائد والمراه المال الم الكعالوه عرفه طازمت بال ماون بالالاحماجانه احكامات كالعل كرته بول كيم كان شكارت كاوقع

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

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MARDAN DISTRICT

ORDER

My this order will dispose of the departmental inquiry, which is conducted against Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, it has been reported against Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Complex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities. His this attitude adversely reflected on his performance, while discharge his official duty which is an indiscipline act and grass misconduct on his part as defined in rule 2(iii) of Police Rules 1975.

In this connection, Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, were issued charge sheets vide this office Nos. 1007/R, dated 14.07.2015 and also proceeded against departmentally through the Mian Imitiaz Gul DSP/Lega Mardan, who after fulfilling necessary process, submitted his findings to the undersigned vide his office endorsements Nos. 826/LB dated 07.08.2015 as the allegations have been established against him and recommended him for suitable punishment.

The undersigned agreed with the findings of enquiry officer and the alleged Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, is hereby dismissed from service, in exercise of the power vested in me under the above quoted rules.

Order	announced	

(Gul Afzal Afridi) District Police Officer, Mardan.

No. 7018-231R dated Mardan the 118-12015

Copy for information and necessary action to:-

- 1. The Deputy Inspector General of Police Mardan Region-1, Mardan.
- 2. The S.P. Operations, Mardan.
- 3. The DSP/HQrs Mardan.
- 4. The Pay Officer (DPO) Mardan.
- 5. The E.C (DPO) Mardan.
- The OASI (DPO) Mardan.

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The Honourable,

Deputy Inspector General of Police,

Mardan Region-I, Mardan.

subject:

APPEAL FOR RE-INSTATEMENT IN SERVICE.

Respected Sir,

It is humbly submitted as under:-

FACTS.

The petitioner was proceeded against departmentally on the allegations that while posted at Police Post Casualty Mardan Medical complex used the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities. After departmental enquiry the petitioner was dismissed vide OB NO. 1342 dated 07.08.2015 from Service by worthy District Police Officer, Mardan. Hence agrrieved this appeal for re-instatement in Service.

GROUNDS FOR APPEAL.

- 1. That the order of learned District Police officer is severe and harsh.
- 2. That the order is in contrary to the law and facts on record.
- That the petitioner has neither used the rank of Head Constable as a false nor has been involved

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in illegal activities.

- That the petitioner while performing duties

 in 2004 in District Swabi was promoted in the

 list of C-II Head Constable by Mr. Qasi Jameel

 Khan the then District Police Officer Swabi in good

 performance in a Narcotic case.
- F.R.P to Police Lines Swabi as Head Constable vide the attached daily diary report No.35 dated 22.04.2004.
- 6. That the petitioner was also transferred from Police Lines, Mardan to MMC as Head Constable vide the attached daily diary report NO.14 dated 12.08.2015.
- 7. That if the petitioner was not Head Constable then it shouldhave been rectified by the concerned authority in my posting and transfer order.
- order.

 8. That the whole departmental enquiry has been conducted expert. Neither any evidence has been been recorded neither the petitioner has been given opportunity to cross-examine witness.
- 9. That the petitioner has been enither heard



personally nor given final Show Cause Notice while passing the dismissal order.

That the petitioner has got un-blamished service record of 24 years and has performed all his duties to the satisfiction of superior and there is no complaint during the whole career.

In view of the above it is requested that the petitioner may kindly be re-instated in Service to meet the end of justice and obliged.

Dated: 24.08.2015

Yours Obediently

(FAZAL ULLAH)
Ex.Head Constable NO. 3231
Police Lines, Mardan.

ATTESTED

ORDER.

This order will di pose-off the appeal preferred by Ex-Constable Fazalullah No. 3231 of Mardan District Police against the order of his dismissal from service issued by the District Police Officer, Mardan vide OB: No. 1342 dated 07.08.2015.

Brief facts of the case are that he while posted at Police Post Casualty Mardan Medical Complex was recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities. His this attitude adversely reflected on his performance, while discharging his official duty which is an indiscipline act and gross misconduct on his part. In this connection he was issued charge sheet and also proceeded against departmentally through Deputy Superintendent of Police Legal, Mardan, who after fulfilling necessary process, submitted his findings to District Police Officer, Mardan and the allegation were established against him for suitable punishment, the District Police, Mardan agreed with the findings of enquiry Officer and the alleged Constable was dismissed from service.

I have perused the record and also heard the appellant in person in orderly room held in this office on 09.09.2015 & his case was also secretly verified from I/C District Security Branch, Mardan, and in his report the defaulter official was found guilty of the misconduct and also reported that he is not fit for further service as he earned bad name for the Police department. Having examined the case carefully, the punishment is too harsh, keeping in view his prolong service, poor family circumstances, the order of District Police Officer, Mardan issued vide his office OB: No. 1342 dated 07.08.2015 is hereby converted into compulsory retirement from service with immediate effect.

(MUHAMMAD SAEED)PSP
Deputy Inspector General of Police,
Mardan Region-I, Mardan.

No. 10 21 /ES, Dated Mardan the 17 - 9 - /2015.

Copy to District Police Officer, Mardan for information & necessary action w/r to his office Memo: No. 982/LB dated 31.08.2015. His Service record is returned

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VAKALATNAMA

IN	THE COURT OF KPK Serv	vice Tribuna Peshawas	~
-		OF 2015	
	Faz-lullah	(APPELLANT) (PLAINTIFF) (PETITIONER)	
	<u>VERSUS</u>		
-	Police Departmen	(RESPONDENT) (DEFENDANT)	
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BEFORE THE HONOURABLE SERVICE TRIBUNAL KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA, PESHAWAR.

Service Appeal No. 1274/2015.

Fazalullah Ex-Constable No. 3231......Appellant

VERSUS.

District Police Officer, Mardan	
& others	Respondents

Parawise comments on behalf of respondents are submitted as under:-. Respectfully Sheweth:

PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS:-

- 1. That the appellant has not come to this Honourable Tribunal with clean hands.
- 2. That the appellant has got no cause of action.
- 3. That the appellant has concealed material facts from this Honourable Tribunal.
- 4. That the appellant is estopped by his own conduct, by law to bring the instant appeal.
- 5. That the present appeal is bad in its present form hence not maintainable and liable to be dismissed.
- 6. That the appeal is bad due to non-joinder of necessary parties and mis-joinder of unnecessary parties.
- 7. That the instant appeal is barred by law & limitation.

REPLY ON FACTS.

- 1. Pertains to record, hence no comments.
- 2. Correct, hence, no comments.
- 3. Part 1st of this para is correct, however, the later part is totally incorrect, as proper departmental enquiry was conducted through Mian Imtiaz Gul the then DSP/Legal of District Mardan. The appellant was found guilty of the allegations & punished, as deserved, under the relevant rules/law.
- 4. Correct to the extent of dismissal from service & then conversion of his punishment of dismissal to compulsory retirement by the appellate authority. However, the later part of this para regarding late communication of the subsequent punishment is incorrect. The appellant, was infact informed in time & provided all that he requested for.
- 5. Incorrect. The appellant's this appeal holds no legal grounds to standon as he has committed misconduct under the relevant rules/law.

REPLY ON GROUNDS:-

- A. Incorrect. The impugned orders are just & in accordance with law, facts & norms of natural justice with material on record. Hence, tenable in the eyes of law.
- B. Incorrect. The appellant has been treated as per rules/law & there is no violation of any article of the Constitution of Pakistan, 1973.
- C. Incorrect. The appellant has been dealt under rules/law, hence, denied.
- D. Incorrect the appellant was provided all opportunities of self-defence including personal hearing during departmental proceedings.
- E. Incorrect. Proper departmental enquiry was conducted as per rules/law.
- F. Incorrect & baseless. The respondents have acted under the relevant rules/law & the impugned orders are, therefore, tenable in the eyes of law.
- G. Incorrect. There is no misconception of law by the respondent No. 3 & his action was under the proper rules/law, hence, tenable in the eyes of law.
- H. The respondents also seek permission of this Honourable Tribunal to present further/additional, if any, grounds etc. at the time of arguments.

PRAYER:-

It is therefore, prayed that the appellant's plea holds no legal grounds and he does not deserve to be retained more in service as prayed for. His appeal may please be dismissed with costs.

Provincial Police Officer, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

(Respondent No. 01)

Dy: Inspector General of Police, Mardan Region-I, Mardan. (Respondent No. 02)

> District Police Officer, Mardan.

(Respondent No. 03)

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT POLICE OFFICER, MARDAN

No. $\frac{1007}{1007}$ /R/D.A-P.R-1975.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION UNDER KPK POLICE RULES – 1975

I, Gul Afzal Khan District Police Officer, Mardan as competent authority am of the opinion that Constable Fazalullah No. 3231, rendered himself liable to be proceeded against as he committed the following acts/omission within the meaning of section-02 (iii) of KPK Police Rules 1975.

STATEMENT OF ALLEGATIONS

That Constable Fazalullah No. 3231, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Complex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities.

- 2. For the purpose of scrutinizing the conduct of the said official with reference to the above allegations Mr: Mian imtaiz Gul DSP/Legal Mardan is appointed as Enquiry Officer.
- 3. The enquiry officer shall conduct proceedings in accordance with provisions of Police Rules 1975 and shall provide reasonable opportunity of defense and hearing to the accused official, record its findings and make within twenty five (25) days of the receipt of this order, recommendation as to punishment or other appropriate action against the accused officer.
- 4. The accused officer shall join the proceedings on the date, time and place fixed by the Enquiry Officer.

(GUL AFZAZ ZHAN)

District Police Officer,

Q Mardan

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT POLICE OFFICER, MARDAN

No. $\frac{1007}{R}$, dated Mardan the $\frac{14-7-2015}{R}$

Copy of above is forwarded to the:

- 1. DSP/Legal Mardan for initiating proceedings against the accused official / Officer namely Constable Fazalullah No. 3231, under Police Rules, 1975.
- 2. Constable Fazalullah No. 3231, with the directions to appear before the Enquiry Officer on the date, time and place fixed by the enquiry officer for the purpose of enquiry proceedings.

23/01/015

CHARGE SHEET UNDER KPK POLICE RULES 1975

I, Gul Afzal Khan District Police Officer, Mardan as competent authority hereby charge you Constable Fazalullah 3231 as follows.

That you constable, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Complex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities.

This amounts to grave misconduct on your part, warranting departmental action against you, as defined in section - 6 (i) (a) of the KPK Police Rules 1975.

- 1. By reason of the above, you appear to be guilty of misconduct under section 02 (iii) of the KPK Police Rules 1975 and has rendered yourself liable to all or any of the penalties as specified in section 04 (i) a & b of the said Rules.
- 2. You are therefore, directed to submit your written defense within seven days of the receipt of this charge sheet to the enquiry officer.
- Your written defence if any, should reach to the enquiry officer within the specified period, failing which, it shall be presumed that you have no defense to put-in and in that case, an ex-parte action shall follow against you.
- 4. Intimate whether you desired to be heard in person.

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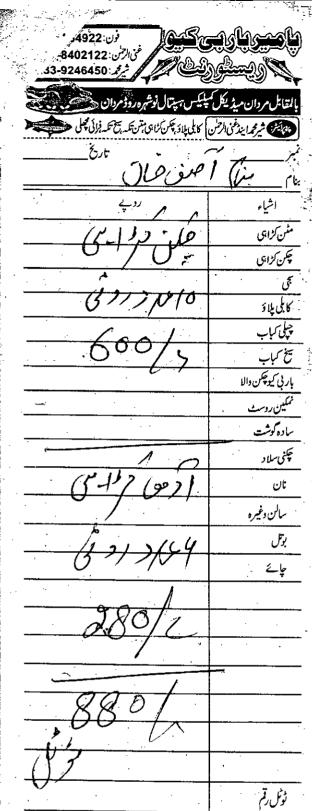
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FINDING:-

This Departmental Enquiry has been conducted against Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, in accordance with provisions of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Police Disciplinary Rules 1975 on below mentioned charges:-

"That you Constable, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Complex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities.

- 1. On the basis of said allegation, he was issued charge sheet and I was appointed as Enquiry Officer vide office Endst: No. 1007/R dated 14.07.2015.
- 2. On receipt of enquiry papers, I summoned defaulter official and on his attendance, I handed over charge sheet with summary of allegation to him who submitted reply to it.
- 3. In order to prove the allegation against defaulter official, I recorded statement of Asif and Shamsur Rehman which were placed on file. Thereafter I recorded statement of defaulter official who denied all the allegation rather he stated that he was performing duty as Guard Commander for the last 17/18 months. He further stated that on account of his good performance in PS Choota Lahore District Swabi, he was promoted as Head Constable C-II by DPO Swabi in the year 2004. He also stated that he had handed over many persons who were working on commission with medical stores to SMT Police but he did not produce any documents in this regard except copies of two complaints u/s 107/151 CrPC being chalianed by ASI Hidayatur Rehman of PS Sheikh Mlatoon who had quarreled with each other.

4. Conclusion/Recommendation:-

I. From the statement of Asif and Shamsur Rehman it has been established that defaulter official by using his official status was involved in receiving money from those persons who work on commission in Medical Stores. Besides it during inquiry some owner of Medical Stores disclosed that defaulter official, while posted at MMC, was regularly receiving cash amount from these persons who work on commission with Medical Stores but owner of those Medical Stores did not give me statement in writing due to fear of enmity. It is pertinent to note that many persons, who work on commission in medical stores, are wondering inside premises of Mardan Medical Complex. Whenever any medicines /test etc are prescribed /advised to any patient, these persons try to get medical prescription etc from patient and take them to their medical store, with whom they work on commission, for purchase of medicines. Entry of such type persons and hand carts are prohibited inside premises of Hospital but

defaulter official, instead of taking action against those persons, was receiving cash money etc from them which is gross misconduct on his part.

- II. His service book was also checked. It revealed that he was appointed as constable on 01.07.1991.
 During 24 years of service he has earned 05 good entries with ten bad entries. Moreover he was once previously discharged from service on account of absence from duty with effect from 11.12.2007 vide
 OB No. 1195 dated 09.07.2009 and later on the appellate authority re-instated him in service, as he produced medical certificate, vide office order No. 2538/ES dated 30.08.2010.
- III. It is further submitted that defaulter official claims himself to be as C-II Head Constable but neither there is any proper entry in his service book to show his promotion as Head Constable C-II nor there is any copy of written order of competent authority in service book.
- IV. As per record of Lines Officer, he was posted as Guard Commander MMC on 12.03.2014 and closed to line on 04.05.2014. Again he was sent as Guard Commander MMC on 05.05.2014 vide DD No. 86 while as per Police Rule 18-1 Guard Commanders are required to be changed /replaced after 03 months but the said provision of Police Rule was violated because he remained as Guard Commander for more than 14 months continuously from 05:05.2014 to July 2015.
- V. It is also astonishing to notice that how an efficial of the rank of constable was posted as guard commander by lines officer/RI. That officer, who had sent constable Fazlullah as Guard Commander Mardan Medical Complex, is also liable to be proceed against departmentally.
- VI. It has been that he is residing at SMT Town in rented Bangolow type home while on the other hand he also stated that one of his son is abroad at Belgium. However his standard of living is beyond his reasonable means.
- VII. A CD cassette showing recording /conversation of some medical stores owner/workers regarding receiving of money from them by defaulter official has also been obtained and placed on record.
- VIII. As such the allegations has been established against the constable Fazlullah No. 3231 and he is recommended for suitable punishment.

Submitted please.

He is dismissed John Survice Oly

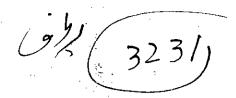
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(MIAN LMTIAZ GUL)

DSP Legal Mardan.

Enquiry Officer

POLICE DEPARTMENT



MARDAN DISTRICT

ORDER

My this order will dispose of the departmental inquiry, which is conducted against Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, it has been reported against Constable Fazlullah No. 400, while posted at PP Casualty Mardan Medical Complex, is recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities. His this attitude adversely reflected on his performance, while discharge his official duty which is an indiscipline act and grass misconduct on his part as defined in rule 2(iii) of Police Rules 1975.

In this connection, Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, were issued charge sheets vide this office Nos. 1007/R, dated 14.07.2015 and also proceeded against departmentally through the Mian Imitiaz Gul DSP/Lega Mardan, who after fulfilling necessary process, submitted his findings to the undersigned vide his office endorsements Nos. 826/LB dated 07.08.2015 as the allegations have been established against him and recommended him for suitable punishment.

The undersigned agreed with the findings of enquiry officer and the alleged Constable Fazlullah No. 3231, is hereby dismissed from service, in exercise of the power vested in me under the above quoted rules.

Order announced

O.B.No. 1342

No. 7018-23/R dated Mardan the 1118-12015

(Gul Afzal Afridi) District Police Officer, Mardan.

Copy for information and necessary action to-

- 1. The Deputy Inspector General of Police Mardan Region-1, Mardan.
- 2. The S.P Operations, Mardan.
- 3. The DSP/HQrs Mardan.
- 4. The Pay Officer (DPO) Mardan.
- 5. The E.C (DPO) Mardan.
- 6. The OASI (DPO) Mardan.

ORDER.

This order will dispose-off the appeal preferred by Ex-Constable Fazalullah No. 3231 of Mardan District Police against the order of his dismissal from service issued by the District Police Officer, Mardan vide OB: No. 1342 dated 07.08.2015.

Brief facts of the case are that he while posted at Police Post Casualty Mardan Medical Complex was recommended for departmental proceeding by using the rank of Head Constable and also involved in illegal activities. His this attitude adversely reflected on his performance, while discharging his official duty which is an indiscipline act and gross misconduct on his part. In this connection he was issued charge sheet and also proceeded against departmentally turough Deputy Superintendent of Police Legal, Mardan, who after fulfilling necessary process, submitted his findings to District Police Officer, Mardan and the allegation were established against him for suitable punishment, the District Police, Mardan agreed with the findings of enquiry Officer and the alleged Constable was dismissed from service.

I have perused the record and also heard the appellant in person in orderly room held in this office on 09.09 2015 & his case was also secretly verified from I/C District Security Branch, Mardan, and in his report the defaulter official was found guilty of the misconduct and also reported that he is not fit for further service as he earned bad name for the Police department.. Having examined the case carefully, the punishment is too harsh, keeping in view his prolong service, poor family circumstances, the order of District Police Officer, Mardan issued vide his office OB: No. 1342 dated 07.08.2015 is hereby converted into compulsory retiren ent from service with immediate effect.

ORDER ANNOUNCED.

(MUHAMMAD SAEED)PSP
Deputy Inspector General of Police,
Mardan Region-I, Mardan.

No. 5621 /ES, Dated Mardan he 17 - 9 -

Copy to District Police Officer, Mardan for information & necessary action w/r to his office Memo: No. 982/LF dated 31.08.2015. His Service record is returned herewith.

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BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

APPEAL No.1274/2015

FAZALULLAH

VS

POLICE: DEPTT

REJOINDER ON BEHALF OF APPELLANT IN RESPONSE TO THE REPLY SUBMITTED BY THE RESPONDENTS

R/SHEWETH:

All the preliminary objections raised by the respondents are incorrect and baseless and not in accordance with law and rules rather the respondents are estopped due to their own conduct to raise any objection at this stage of the appeal.

ON FACTS:

- 1- Admitted correct by the respondents hence need no comments.
- 2- Admitted correct by the respondents hence need no comments.
- 3- Incorrect and not replied accordingly. That vide impugned order dated 11-08-2015 the major punishment of dismissal was imposed on the appellant by the respondent No.3 with out conducting regular inquiry in the matter and without giving the opportunity of personal hearing to appellant.
- 4- Incorrect and not replied accordingly. That the appellant filed Departmental appeal against the impugned order dated 11-08-2015 vide dated 24-08-2015. That on the said appeal the appellate authority converted the punishment of Dismissal to that of another major punishment of Compulsory retirement from service with immediate effect vide order dated 17-09-2015 communicated to appellant on 30-10-2015.
- 5- Incorrect and not replied accordingly hence denied.

GROUNDS: (A to E):

All the grounds of main appeal are correct and in accordance with law and prevailing rules and that of the respondent are incorrect, baseless and not in accordance with law and Rules

hence denied. That the impugned order dated 11-08-2015 issued by the respondents are against the law, facts, norms of natural justice and materials on the record hence not tenable and liable to be set aside. That no charge sheet no show cause notice and chance of personnel hearing/defense has been given to the appellant. That no regular inquiry has been conducted against the appellant which is as per Supreme Court judgments is necessary in punitive actions against civil servants. That respondent No.3 acted in arbitrary and malafide manner while issuing the impugned order dated 11-08-2015 against the appellant.

It is therefore most humbly prayed that on acceptance of this rejoinder the appeal of the appellant may be accepted in favor of the appellant.

APPELLANT

FAZALULLAH

THROUGH:

NOOR MOHAMMAD KHATTAK

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SYED IMDAD HUSSAIN

ADVOCATES

KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICÉ TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR

No 2743 /ST

Dated 26 / 12 / 2017

To

The District Police Officer, Government of Khyber Pahtunkhwa, Mardan.

Subject:

JUDGEMENT/ ORDER IN APPEAL NO. 1274/15, MR.FAZALULLAH.

I am directed to forward herewith a certified copy of Judgment/order dated 15/12/2017 passed by this Tribunal on the above subject for strict compliance.

Encl: As above

REGISTRAR KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL PESHAWAR.