26.09.2023

Learned counsel for the appellant present. Preliminary arguments heard.

Learned counsel for the appellant contended that absence of the appellant from duty was not willful rather the same was on account of severe illness of his father; that the appellant had submitted application for leave to the competent Authority, however the same was neither accepted nor rejected; that the procedure required in Rule-9 of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Government Servants (Efficiency & Discipline) Rules, 2011 was not complied with, therefore, the impugned orders are not sustainable in the eye of law.

Points agitated during preliminary hearing need consideration, therefore, the appeal in hand is admitted to regular hearing subject to all legal and valid objections including the question of limitation. The appellant is directed to deposit security fee within 07 days. Respondents be summoned through TCS, the expenses of which be deposited by the appellant within three days. To come up for written reply/comments on 11.12.2023 before the S.B at Camp Court Abbottabad. Parcha Peshi given to learned counsel for the appellant.

(Salah-Ud-Din) Member (J) Camp Court Abbottabad

Naeem Amin