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SERVICE APPEAL NO. 301/2023

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Roz Amin Superintendent (Litigation) Irrigation Department

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I, Muhammad Tahir Orakzai, Secretary to Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Irrigation Department on behalf of following respondents (No.02-04) do hereby affirm and declare on oath that the contents of para-wise comments are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief that nothing has been kept concealed from this Hon'ble Tribunal. It is further stated on oath that in this appeal, the answering respondents have neither been placed ex-parte nor their defense/ struck off/ cost.

(Muhammad Tahir Orakzai)

Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Irrigation Department

Respondent No. 2

BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL, PESHAWAR

Service Appeal No. 301/2023

Mr. Amir Muhammad, Chief Draftsman Irrigation Department

..... Appellant

Versus

Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa through Chief Secretary Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and others

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JOINT PARA-WISE COMMENTS ON BEHALF OF THE RESPONDENTS NO. 02 to 04

Respectfully sheweth:

Khyber Pakhtukhwa Service Tribunal

Diary No. 100 27

Dated 21-12-2073

Preliminary objections:

- 1. That the appellant has got no cause of action/locus standi.
- 2. That the appellant has not come to this court with clean hands.
- 3. That the appellant has concealed some material facts from this Hon'ble Court.
- 4. That the appellant is disentitled for the relief claimed.

Facts:

- A. Correct as per record that, the appellant was appointed as Draftsman in 1985 and promoted to the post of Head Draftsman in the year 2003.
- B. Correct to the extent that, this Department vide order dated 01.08.2003 authorized the appellant to perform the duties of Chief Draftsman in addition to his own duties. Subsequently, this Department vide order dated 20.10.2010 promoted the appellant to the post of Chief Draftsman (BS-17) on regular basis. During this period appellant has never applied for grant of additional charge allowances. Additional Charge Allowance is admissible in equivalent scale and status while the appellant scale/ status was not equal therefore he was not entitled to Additional Charge Allowance as per Finance Department Policy dated 12.08.1997(Annex-I).
- C. The Facility of the Selection Grade has been discontinued w.e.f 01.12.2001(Annex-II).
- D. Pertains to record, and under para VI of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Promotion Policy "Promotion will always be notified with immediate effect".
- E. Correct to the extent that, the appellant has filed writ petition in the Peshawar High Court, Peshawar where Hon'ble Court has directed the petitioner to approach the proper legal forum. Moreover, the appellant had submitted an application regarding his personal up-gradation in Secretary Irrigation office, which was not processed due to his retirement on superannuation.

Grounds:

- 1. No Comments.
- 2. The service rules, seniority list, job description and prescribed qualification of every Department are different from each other's, and the appellant has already availed the benefits of promotion in his entire service.
- 3. Incorrect, appellant case has been treated in accordance with the law.
- 4. Incorrect, appellant has equally been treated. No mechanism of pick and choose exists in policy/rules.
- 5. No comments.
- 6. As the appellant has been promoted from BPS-11 to BPS-14 in the year 2003 and subsequently promoted from BPS-14 to BPS-17 in the year 2010, it reveals that the appellant has frequently availed the benefit of promotion in his entire service. Moreover, there is no proforma promotion policy/rules in the province of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and as per para VI of the provincial promotion policy, promotion will always be notified with immediate effect.
- 7. Pertains to record.
- 8. Incorrect, the appellant submitted application for up-gradation in this Department but could not be processed due to his retirement from service.
- 9. Pertains to record.
- 10. As explained in Para-08 above.

It is therefore, requested that this appeal being devoid of merits may be dismissed with cost.

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Irrigation Department **Establishment Department**

Respondent No. 2

Respondent No. 3

Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa,

Finance Department

Respondent No. 4

N.W.F.P. Finance Department, Peshawar.

GOVERNMENT OF N.W.F.B FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Dated Peshawar, the 12.8.1997

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All Administrative Secretaries to Govt. of NWFP. The School Member, Board of Revenue, NWFP, Peshawar. The Secretary, Provincial Assembly, NWFP, Peshawar. All Heads of Attached Departments in N.W.F.P. The Secretary to Governor, N.W.F.P. Peshawar. The Secretary to Chief Minister, NWFP, Peshawar. All Commissioners/Deputy Commissioners/Political Agents/District & Session Judges in N.W.F.P. The Registrar, Peshawar High Court, Peshawar. The Secretary, Public Service Commission, NWFP, Peshawar. The Registrar, Service Tribunal, NWFP, Peshawar. The Secretary, Board of Revenue, NWFP, Peshawar.

Subject:-ENTRUSTMENT OF ADDITIONAL CHARGE AND GRANT OF EXTRA REMUNERATION FOR HOLDING ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF POSTS UIDER F.R.49

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject noted above and to say that it has been observed that the instructions regarding entrustment of additional charge of posts and grant of extra remuneration is sued from time to time are not strictly adhered to. This not only results in un-necessary extra expenditure, exchange o: correspondence between the Finance Department and the Administrative Departments concerned but the Government Servants concerned are also placed in difficulties.

With a view to stream-lining the cases of additional charge am payment of extra remuneration the following consolidated instructions are issued :-

1. DISTRIBUTION OF WORK OF A VACANT POST.

The work of a vacant post, as far as possible, be distributed among more than one Govt. Servant of the same status and designation available in the Department/Office.

11. ADDITIONAL CHARGE ARRANGEMENT

Where the distribution of the work among more thankely one Covernment Servant is not feasible, the charge of the vacant post may be entrusted in its entirety, to another Government Servant in an equivalent scale/period less than one month and should not exceed three months and it should be allowed with specific approval the das of Department not below BPS-20. However, it may of next higher authority. Immediate with the approval be extended by another three months with the approval of next higher authority. Immediately on the expiry of six months of the full additional charge of the particular vacant post, the post shall be treated as

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having been abolished and its duties automatically becoming part of the normal duties of the other existing posts of the same category in the department concerned. The post so treated as abolished shall not be revived without the concurrence of the Finance Department. Finance Department.

111. PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

- Before making full additional charge arrangement prior approval of the Finance Department may be obtained.
- Where it is not possible to obtain prior approval of Finance Department for cogent reasons, the proposal should be initiated immediately after making such arrangement and in any case not later making such arrangement and in any case not later than ten days from the date of making such arrangement. In such cases detailed reasons for which prior approval of Finance Department abuld not be obtained may invariably be given. However, Finance Department reserves the right to accept or reject the reasons advanced by the department accommendation of the case on merits.
- ADDIT IONAL REMUNERAT TON. iv. Additional Charge/Dual Charge Allowance shall be sanctioned by the Finance Department at a uniform rate of 20% of basic pay not exceeding &s.800/- p.M. subjecto fulfilment of the above conditions.

I am to request that the above instructions may be brought 3. the notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

Your obedient servant.

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dst. No.FD(SREI) o.FD(SR-1)3-19/98. Dated Peshawa: Copy Forwarded for information to :-

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All the Heads of Autonomous and Semi-Autonomous Bodies in N. W. F. P.

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The Secretary Finance Department, Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir, Muzaffarabad. State of Jammu and Kashmir,

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Deputy Secretary (Regulation Dated Peshawar, the 12.8.1397.

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The Accountant General, N.W.F.P. Peshawar, All District/Agency accounts Officers in N.W.F.D. The Treasury Officer, Peshawar.

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GOVERNMENT OF N.W.F.

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From :-

Secretary to Govt.of NWFP, Finance Department.

To

- 1. All Administrative Secretaries to Govt.of NWFP.
- 2. The Senior Member, Board of Revenue, NWFP.
- 3. The Secretary to Governor NWFP, Peshawar.
- 4. The Secretary, Provincial Assembly, NWFP.
- 5. All Heads of Attached Departments NWFP.
- All District Nazims/District Coordination Officers and District and Session Judges NWFP.
- 7. The Registrar, Peshawar High Court, Peshawar.
- 8. The Chairman, NWFP, Public Service Commission.
- 9. The Chairman, NWFP, Services Tribunal.
- 10. The Secretary Board of Revenue, NWFP.

SUBJECT: -

REVISION OF BASIC PAY SCALES AND FRINGE BENEFITS OF CIVIL EMPLOYEES (BPS1-22) OF THE NWFP GOVT(2001)

Dear Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Department's letter No.FD(PRC)1-1/2001 dated Nov. 15, 2001 on the subject noted above and to say that clarification given against para 7(i) and (ii) may be read as under :-

"The Selection Grade and Move Over shall stand discontinued w.e.f 1-12-2001 instead of 27-10-2001. The clarification issued vide the above referred letter against Para 5(ii) and Para 7 (i) & (ii) stand modified to this effect."

Section Officer Litigation)
Section Department Peshawar

Attested

Yours faithfully

(ABDUL LATIF)
DEPUTY SECRETARY (REG.)

Endst No.FD(PRC)1-1/2003 Dated Peshawar tne, April 6, 2003

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- 6. All Section/Budget Officers in Finance Department NWFP.
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POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Irrigation Department do hereby authorize Mr. Roz Amin, Superintendent (Litigation Section), Irrigation Department to file comments and make statement before the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Service Tribunal, Peshawar in Service Appeal No. 301/2023 filed by Amir Muhammad VS Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa through Chief Secretary & others.

Tahir Urakzai (N/Uhammad Irrigation Department

Respondent No. 2

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

Respondent No. 3

Secretary to Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Finance Department

Respondent No. 5