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Service Appeal No. 1382/2023			
Nihad Khan No: 622	Appellant.		
Versus			
Provincial Police Officer, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar etc	Respondents.		

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Through Respondent

(Khyal Roz Khan)
DSP/Legal, SSU (CPEC),

Peshawar.

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BEFORE THE HONORABLE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNAL, PESHAWAR

Service Appeal No. 1382/2023

Nihad Khan No:622.....(Appellant)

VERSUS

Inspector General of Police, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa etc (Respondents)

PARAWISE COMMENTS ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENTS NO.

1 TO 3

Khyber Pakhtukhwa

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH:

PRELIMINARY OBJECTIONS:-

a) That the appeal is not based on facts.

- b) That the appeal is barred by law and limitation.
- c) That the appeal is not maintainable in the present form.
- d) That the appeal is bad for mis-joinder and non-joinder of necessary and proper parties.
- e) That the appellant is estopped to file the instant appeal by his own conduct.
- f) That the appellant has not come to this Honorable Tribunal with clean hands.
- g) That the appellant has got no cause of action and locus standi to file the instant Service Appeal.

FACTS

- 1. Pera pertain to record.
- 2. Pera No 2 of appeal is incorrect. Appellant absented himself from his lawful duties w-e-f 04-02-23 to 27-2-23 & 01-03-23 to 15-03-23 total 39 days without leave of the authority. On account of such misconduct departmental enquiry was initiated against him, for which he was issued charge sheet/summary of allegations and Mr Ibrahim khan DSP Admin SSU was nominated as enquiry officer. After enquiry, the EO submitted his findings report and recommended him for suitable order.

In the light of recommendation of enquiry officer and other material available on the record, the appellant was awarded minor punishment of stoppage, of one annual increment with cumulative effect and [39days] absence period was treated as



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absence without pay on 07-04-23 by the Respondent No 3. Later on the appellant preferred the instant appeal against the order issued by the respondent No 3. On this the appellant was summoned and heard in person in orderly room held on 02-05-23 During the course of personal hearing, it was found that the appellant had done surgery of his legs muscles in support of which he also produced medical documents and he further added that he belongs to a poor family and sole cradle for his aged parents.

Based on findings narrated above the respondent No 2 being as competent authority restored one annual increment of the appellant by setting aside the order of respondent No 3 and the absence period of the appellant had already been treated as absence without pay by the respondent No 3, was remained the same. (DDs reports No 33 dated 04-02-2023, No 08 dated 01-03-2023, copies of charge sheet/summary of allegation, statement of the appellant and finding report of the EO are attached as Annexure "A,B,C,D,E".

- 3. Correct, long leave for one month was approved on 26.10.2022 and the appellant spent the same leave.
- 4. Incorrect, the appellant had already spent one month leave after approved by the high ups officers. Later on the appellant did not submit any application for leave in this connection the statement of MTO is clear. MTO statement copy is annexed as annexure "F"
- 5. Incorrect, the minor penalty of stoppage of one annual increment was restored on 15.05.2023 by the commandant SSU (CPEC).
- officer mentioned in his finding report that the medical prescriptions produced by the appellant are taken from private doctor. On the basis of the above, the respondent No 3 presumed the medical prescriptions as suspicious and awarded minor punishment of stoppage of one annual increment with cumulative effect. Copies of both orders dated 07-04-2023 and dated 15-05-2023 are attached as Annexure "G,H".

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- 7. Incorrect the statement of the MTO is very clear that medical prescription along with application had been handed over to the appellant and directed to submit the documents to the officers.
- 8. Incorrect, the appellant has been absent without bringing in to the notice of the responsible officers. Therefore the absence was treated as without pay.
- 9. Incorrect, the appellant is not aggrieved in fact the appellant is awarded punishment on his own misconduct. Furthermore, the instant Service Appeal is liable to be dismissed on the following Grounds.

GROUNDS

- **A.** Incorrect, the appellant remained absent without bringing into the notice of the officers. Therefore his 39 days absentee was treated as leave without pay while his one annual increment has been restored later on by the respondent no 2.
- **B.** Incorrect, oders dated 15.5.2023 and dated 07.04.2023 and have been issued after conducting proper enquiry and the authority acted in accordance with law and rules
- C. Incorrect, The appellant had already spent one mouth medical leave. Later on he intentionally remained absent from his lawful duties without any sanctioned or medical leave. Furthermore the appellant submitted application along with medical prescription by hand to MTO for two months leave. the MTO forwarded the same documents and handed over to the appellant on the spot and directed to put up to responsible officer for sanction of leave.
- **D.** Incorrect, the appellant had already spent one mount medical leave and then he remained absent without any sentinel leave or intimation.
- E. Incorrect, the authority acted as per law and rules.
- **F.** Incorrect, all codal formalities have been fulfilled during proceedings, after completion the enquiry orders have been issued in accordance with law & rules.
- **G.** Incorrect, that the respondent also seeks permission to raised further points at the time of arguments.

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PRAYER:-

Keeping in view the above stated facts and circumstances, it is therefore humbly prayed that the appeal is not maintainable being devoid of merits hence, may kindly be dismissed with costs, please.

FAZAL HANIF

SP / Admin:

SSU (CPEC), Khyber

Pakhtunkhwa,

Peshawar.

(Respondent No.3)

Commandant,

SSU (CPÉC), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa,

Peshawar.

(Respondent No.2)

Mohammad Zafar Ali

Incumbent

(DR.MUHAMMAD AKHTAR ABBAS)PSP

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AUTHORITY LETTER

Mr. Khyal Roz DSP/Legal, SSU (CPEC), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar is authorized to submit Para-wise Comments/reply in above captioned Service Appeal on behalf of respondents in Hon'ble Service Tribunal Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

Fazal Hanif

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Service appeal No.1382/2023	
Nihad Khan No: 622	(Appellant)
VERSUS	
Provincial Police Officer KPK/ Peshawar and ot	hers(Petitioner

AFFIDAVIT

I, Fazal Hanif SP/Admin SSU (CPEC) do hereby solemnly affirm on oath that the content of service appeal on behalf of Inspector General of Police, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar and others are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Nothing has been concealed from this Honorable court. It is further stated on oath that in this appeal the answering respondents have neither been placed ex-parte nor their defense has been struck off/lost.

FAZAL HANIF

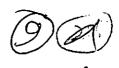
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CHARGE SHEET

I, Superintendent of Police, Admin & Minority Wing, Special Security Unit (CPEC), Peshawar, as competent authority, hereby charge that <u>DFC Nihad No. 622</u> of SSU (CPEC), with the following irregularities.

"That you <u>DFC Nihad No. 622</u> had absented yourself from your lawful duties vide DD report No. 33, dated 04.02.2023 till date without any sanctioned leave or intimation, received vide DSP HQrs letter No. 43/R, dated 14.02.2023. Being part of the Disciplined Force, this act of yours is against the Police Rules & shows gross misconduct on your part".

You are, therefore, required to submit your written defence within seven days of the receipt of this charge sheet to the Enquiry Officer committee, as the case may be.

Your written defence, if any, should reach the Enquiry Officer/Committee within the specified period, failing which it shall be presumed that have no defence to put in and in that case ex-parte action shall follow against you.

Intimate whether you desire to be heard in person. A statement of allegation is enclosed.

(FAZÁL HANIF)

SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC),

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Disciplinary Action

I, Superintendent of Police, Admin & Minority, Special Security Unit (CPEC) Peshawar as a competent authority, am of the opinion that <u>DFC Nihad No. 622</u> of SSU (CPEC), has rendered him-self liable to be proceeded against under the provision of Police Disciplinary Rules-1975.

STATEMENT OF ALLEGATION

"That <u>DFC Nihad No. 622</u> had absented himself from his lawful duties vide DD report No. 33, dated 04.02.2023 till date without any sanctioned leave or intimation, received vide DSP HQrs letter No. 43/R, dated 14.02.2023. Being part of the Disciplined Force, this act of his is against the Police Rules & shows gross misconduct on his part".

For the purpose of scrutinizing the conduct of said accused with reference to the above allegations an enquiry is ordered and Mr. Ibrahim Khan DSP Admin SSU (CPEC) is appointed as enquiry officer.

- 1. The Enquiry Officer shall, in accordance with the provisions of the Ordinance, provide reasonable opportunity of hearing to the accused officer, record his finding within 15 days of the receipt to this order, make recommendations as to punishment or other appropriate action against the accused.
- 2. The accused shall join the proceeding on the date time and place fixed by the Enquiry Officer.

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(FAZAL HANIF)
SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC),

Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar.

No._ 631

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51-03-1027

1. Enquiry Officer is directed to finalize the aforementioned departmental proceeding within stipulated period under the provision of Police Rules-1975.

2. Official Concerned.

جوالر تادسي اوالي عز 631_EC وو 01-03.23 عوالي عادسي الس في الرساس به لي ورسرول صارب عون كر فجيد - ورم 22.11.22 كوسام كا البرلسن ليو سران مار ایک ماه وهفت وی الم عماه آدام بجونزكيا . سأمل داكمرى، ی س ع ماه اسرائی انوی درواست وی الله اکه مرابخ س جمع کی گئی و در در کاروالی Attiste ول أكله برائج وفواست معمال فرارا كردى DSP/L-SSO-CPRC 19/4/2024 ری سے کر درواس وجول جمیر فاملے مع تعلیا اور کس کی مرسی سے معلوم میں اُس عدر فافہر کے مور ہوا ہے طلائکہ سائل سے رَ عَا فَوْتِي كُمْ عَا ضَ كُورِ فِي كُمْ عَلَى الْمُ الْمُرْتِينَ عَلَى الْمُرْتِينَ عَلَى الْمُرْتِينَ عَلَى مع سے اسلام هید بالاحقائق و در افر رکھتے ہو۔ ادبیسی کاروائی کو دوخل دفتر فرماویں 14-03-2023 نهاد طا مز 622 معدن می سب ها تران داری ور

SSU لائن پیثاور

انكوائرى ربورك

ازدفتر

جناب عالى!

میں ڈرائیور کنسٹیبل نہاد نمبر 622 بحوالہ چارج شیٹ معروض خدمت ہوں، کہ من کسٹیبل کا پچھ عرصہ پہلے پاوں میں تھوکر گئی تھی ڈاکٹر صاحب نے معائد کر کے بتایاکہ پاوں کے پٹوں میں زخم ہے جہاعلاج معالجہ اور فوری اپریشن ضروری ہے مور خہ 2022-11-15 کوسائل کا اپریشن ہوا جسکے لئے افسر ان بالانے ایک ماہ دخصت دی تھی رخصت مکمل ہوئی گر سائل مکمل طور پر فییٹ نہیں تھااور ڈاکٹر صاحب نے مزید 20 ماہ آرام تجویز کیا سائل نے ڈاکٹری کاغذات کی روشنی میں 02 ماہ میڈ نکیل لیو کی درخواست دی درخواست بمراد میڈ نکیل لیو کا مزید کی گئی مزید کاروائی کے لئے بقول OASI برائج درخواست کی اور سال کردی گئی جب MTO صاحب سے معلومات کی تواس نے کہا کے کاروائی کے لئے بقول OASI برائج درخواست کی برنین ہے معلوم نہیں۔ بدیں وجہ سائل غیر عاضر تصور ہواہے حالا نکہ سائل نے رخصت کے قانونی تقاضے پورے کئے جسے استدعاہ کے اس کی بدئیت ہے معلوم نہیں۔ بدیں وجہ سائل غیر عاضر تصور ہواہے حالا نکہ سائل نے رخصت کے قانونی تقاضے پورے کئے قانونی تقاضے پورے کئے تھے۔ استدعاہ کے بالا حقائق مد نظر رکھتے ہوئے من سائل کاچارج شیٹ بغیر کسی کاروائی وائل دفتر کی جائے۔

سکیس انگوائری معلوم ہوا کہ ڈرائیور کنسٹیبل نہاد نمبر 622 کے خلاف مد 33روز نامچہ 202-00-04 نے غیر حاضر ہوکر معلوم ہوا کہ ڈرائیور کنسٹیبل نہاد نمبر 20 روز نامچہ 2023-02-20 حاضر آیا جسکی کل غیر حاضر 23 یوم بنتی ہے۔ دوبارہ مد نمبر 18 روز نامچہ 2023-03-03 کو حاضر آیا جسکی کل غیر حاضر 20 ایوم بنتی ہے۔ معلوم ہوا کہ مذکورہ بالا کنسٹیبل مور ند 2022-13-13 یاوں کے پیٹوں کا اپریشن کر کے ایک ماہ کی چیٹی حسب اجازت افسران بالاسے منظور ہونے پرچیٹی گزاری صحت محمل شیک نہ ہونے پر دوبارہ چیک گزاری صحت محمل شیک نہ ہونے پر دوبارہ چیک اپ کرنے کے بعد ڈاکٹر صاحب نے دوماہ ریسٹ تجویز کی۔ کنسٹیبل نے در خواست بہت میڈ یکل کاغذات محمل شیک نہ ہونے پر دوبارہ چیک کاغذات محمل شیک ریسٹ منظور نہیں ہوا ہے تو کنسٹیبل مذکورہ نے باالعمر مجبوری بیاری غیر حاضری کی ہے۔ کنسٹیبل مذکورہ کے کافی غیر حاضری 39 یوم بنتی ہے۔ مزید تھم افسران بالا

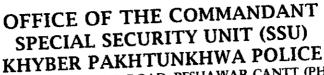
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DSP/L-SSU. CPEC.

19/01/2024.

1360000 معروض خرست یحلک در در نیاد بر ۱۵۵۰ مرزول مررف مدا-3 وال فيم دارد معام نه سخت ما MIO is grove. 5 chod 3 PIT a chosol (, v; 0360 (, li, s),3 () Forwerd i رى قالە انىران بالا كەفرىت بىلى بىشى (س عاده کا بیبر رسی کی توری کی بیر قرار معاب نے دو ماده کا بیبر رسی کی لوجرت کی من مآلم کو مرحول بی -) 55 (14-11-22 TO 15-11-22) F, P, S, 1/30, S, 1 جس بر خوار جھے۔ ٹ بھارمد دن لور ٹانسے نکو ارش جو کہ درگورسٹ کے ماتھ لف ہے۔ 00 360 160 / 602 / 602 / 602 / 600 (4 10 3334 (6 cis) 11 4 7 9 8 M - 1 2 3 cod - 2 5 0; -; 28 Live 2/ 1 24/3/23 رالحدث موسى سے۔ DSPIL-SSU CARC 19/01/2024



CENTRAL POLICE OFFICES, S.A.Q ROAD, PESHAWAR CANTT (PH: 091-9214056)

1114 No.

dated Peshawar the <u>07/04/2023</u>.

ORDER

This order will dispose the formal departmental enquiry against Driver Constable Nihad No. 622 of Special Security Unit (CPEC), District Peshawar.

Brief facts of the case are that as reported by DSP HQrs. vide letter No. 50/R, dated 09.03.2023 that DFC Nihad No. 622 had remained absent from his lawful duties w.e.f. 04.02.2023 to 27.02.2023 (23 days) & once again from 01.03.2023 to 15.03.2023 (16 days) for a total period of 39 days without any sanctioned or intimation.

In this regard, his pay was stopped & proper departmental proceeding was initiated against him. He was issued charge sheet & summary of allegations vide this office Endst: No. 1002/EC, dated 22.03.2023 and Mr. Ibrahim Khan DSP Admin SSU (CPEC) was nominated as enquiry officer to conduct inquiry into the matter and submit his findings report. After completion of all codal formalities, EO submitted his findings report, wherein he reported that the charge sheet was served upon the delinquent DFC, to which he replied that he had done legs muscles surgery. In Support of which he also produced medical prescriptions from a private doctor. Thus, the EO recommended him for suitable order.

Keeping in view all the above facts and recommendation of enquiry officer, as well as material available on record, the above named driver constable has not followed SOPs & also his medical prescriptions seems suspicious. Therefore, he is hereby awarded minor punishment of stoppage of one annual increment with cumulative effect & his absence period of (39 days) is treated as leave without pay and his pay is released with immediate effect.

OB No.___412 Dated 07 1041 023

SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

Copy of the above is forwarded for information to the:

1. PA to Commandant SSU (CPEC). Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar.

2. Reader to Deputy Commandant SSU (CPEC). Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar.

3. Accountant, SRC & OASI SSU (CPEC) HQrs.

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OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT SPECIAL SECURITY UNIT (SSU) KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA POLICE

CENTRAL POLICE OFFICES, S.A.Q ROAD, PESHAWAR CANTT (PH: 091-9214056)

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dated Peshawar the 15/05/2023.

ORDER

This order will dispose of the formal departmental appeal preferred by Driver Constable Nihad No. 622 of Special Security Unit (CPEC) against the order of SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC), wherein he was awarded minor punishment of stoppage of one annual increment with cumulative effect and 39 days absence period as leave without pay. The applicant was proceeded against on the allegations that he had absented himself from his lawful duties w.e.f. 04.02.2023 to 27.02.2023 (23 days) & 01.03.2023 to 15.03.2023 (16 days) without any sanctioned leave or

In this regard, a proper departmental inquiry was initiated against him as he was issued charge sheet along with summary of allegations and Mr. Ibrahim Khan DSP Admin SSU (CPEC) was nominated as enquiry officer to unearth the actual facts. After completion of enquiry, the EO submitted his findings, wherein he reported that the accused Driver Constable stated in his reply of charge sheet that he had done legs muscles surgery. In support of which he also produced medical documents. The EO recommended him for suitable order.

In the light of recommendation of enquiry officer and other material available on the record, the above named constable had not followed SOPs, thus he was awarded minor punishment of stoppage of one annual increment with cumulative effect and (39) days absence period was treated as absence without pay vide order No. 1114-19/EC, dated 07.04.2023.

Feeling aggrieved against the impugned order of SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar, the applicant preferred the instant appeal. The applicant was summoned and heard in person in Orderly Room held on 02.05.2023.

During the course of personal hearing, he contended that he had done legs muscles surgery and was unable to report for his duty, in support of which he also produced medical documents. He further added that he belongs to a poor family and sole cradle for his aged parents.

Based on findings narrated above, I, Commandant SSU (CPEC), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Peshawar, being the competent authority, exercise of power, conferred upon me under section 11 (4b) of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Police Rules 1975 (amended in 2014), taking a lenient view. his annual increment is hereby restored by setting aside the order of SP Admin & Minority SSU (CPEC) and his absence period from duty remains treated as absence without pay with immediate effect.

Order announced.

OB No. -- 54

Dated 15 105 1023

Mohamman ZAFAR ALI)PSP COMMANDANT.

Special Security Unit (CPEC). Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

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2. Accountant & SRC SSU (CPEC).

3. Official Concerned.

DSP/L-SSV. CPEC 19/01/2024.