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-		BEFORE THE KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA SERVICE TRIBUNA	
		Service Appeal No. 1388/2015	
		Date of Institution 15.12.2015 Date of Decision 09.08.2017	
		Muhammad Iqbal Patwari Halqa Mardan resident at village Bakhshali Tehsil & District Mardan	ınt
-		Versus	· .
7		 The Commissioner Mardan. The Deputy Commissioner, Mardan	nts
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	09.08.2017	JUDGMENT	
		MUHAMMAD HAMID MUGHAL, MEMBER: - Appella	ant
		with counsel present. Learned Deputy District Attorney on behalf	of
		respondents present.	
		Muhammad Iqbal Patwari Halqa Mardan has filed the prese	ant
		appeal u/s 4 of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Service Tribunal Act 19	
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		dated 26/10/2015 of (Respondent No. 1) to the extent of n	
		allowing emolument, including pay, for the period of break	
		service of the appellant.	

- 3. Brief facts of the case are that the appellant was appointed as officiating settlement Patwari purely on temporary basis vide order dated 22.01.1986 of settlement officer Mardan. Due to partial winding up of settlement operation in Mardan Division and abolition of posts from Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa. Finance Department services of junior most settlement Patwaris were terminated from 31.12.1996 (A.N).
- 4. Vide order dated 27.04.2015 the appellant secured his reemployment as Patwari (BPS-09) on regular basis on initial stage of the time scale in the office of Deputy Commissioner Mardan. Appellant then submitted representation/appeal for condonation of break in service w.e.f from 01.01.1997 to 26.06.2015 with pay protection and pensionery benefits.
- 5. The appellate authority partially accepted the appeal of the appellant as follows.

"The instant appeal is hereby accepted to the extent that the qualifying service already rendered by the appellant in Settlement Operation Mardan be counted for pensionery benefits, grant pay protection, to the appellant and break in service of the appellant be condoned accordingly. However, the appellant shall not be entitled for any emolument, including pay for the mentioned period condoned. No order as to costs".



- 6. Feeling dissatisfied with the relief granted by the appellate authority, Muhammad Iqbal instituted the present appeal.
- 7. Learned counsel for the appellant contended that the appellate authority should have modified the appointment order dated 27.04.2015 as reinstatement order with all back benefits. Further argued that the appellate authority has condoned the break in service resultantly the appellant shall be deemed re-instated in service with all back benefits and as such shall also be entitled for the grant of pay of the period of break in service w.e.f from 01.01.1997 to 26.04.2015.
- 8. Learned Deputy District Attorney while controverting the arguments of learned counsel for the appellant and opposing the present appeal contended that settlement service is basically a project service and on winding up of settlement project the department has no alternative but to relieve its employees. Further contented that the appellant was appointed as settlement Patwari on temporary basis on the condition to be terminated any time and on the completion of project he was terminated. Further argued that the appellant was than appointed afresh as Patwari on revenue side as per laid procedure because on revenue side Patwaris are appointed from Register of Inderaj-E-Nam on the basis of seniority.
 - 9. Arguments heard. Filed perused.
- 10. Perusal of appointed order dated 22.01.1986 of appellant as settlement Patwari shows that he was appointed as officiating settlement patwari purely on temporary basis with the condition that



his services can be terminated at any time.

11. Similarly a look at the appointment order dated 27.04.2015 of the appellant would divulge that the appellant was appointed afresh as patwari on regular basis on initial stage of time scale with immediate effect and that there was no age limit for those candidates who rendered service in settlement operation and waiting for their appointment.

12. Case of appellant is not of such a nature that upon termination of his services on 31.12.1996, he was entitled to re-instatement with all back benefits.

13. In view of above the appellate authority while partially accepting the appeal of the appellant correctly condoned the break in service for the purpose of pensionary benefits, grant pay protection, vis a vis qualifying service already rendered by the appellant in settlement operation Mardan and rightly refused to allow any emoluments including pay for the break in service period. Consequently the present appeal being devoid of any substance is hereby dismissed. Parties are left to bear their own costs. File be consigned to the record room after its completion.

(MUHAMMAD HAMID MUGHAL) MEMBER

(MUHAMMAD AMIN KHAN KUNDI) MEMBER

ANNOUNCED 09.08.2017

09.08.2017

Appellant present. Learned Deputy District Attorney for respondent present. Vide separate judgment of today of this Tribunal placed on file, the present appeal is dismissed. Parties are left to bear their own costs. Filed be consigned to the record room.

09.08.2017

(Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi)

(Muhammad Hamid Mughal) Member

Member

11.04.2017

Counsel for the appellant present. Mr. Muhammad Adeel Butt, Additional AG for respondents also present. Learned counsel for the appellant submitted rejoinder and requested for adjournment. Adjourned. To come up for arguments on 02.08.2017 before D.B.

(Ahmad Hassan) Member (Muhammad Amin Khan Kundi) Member

2/8/2017

Counsel for the appellant and Mr. Ali Akbar ADK alongwith Mr. Zaiullah, Deputy District Attorney for the respondents. present. Learned counsel for the appellant seeks adjournments.

To come up for argument on 9/8/2017 before DB.

(GUL ZEB KHAN)

(MUHAMMAD HAMID MUGHAL)
MEMBER

29.09.2016

Clerk to counsel for the appellant and Addl: AG for respondents present. Written reply not submitted. Requested for adjournment. To come up for written reply/comments on 30.11.2016 before S.B.

Chairman

30.11.2016

Appellant with counsel and Mr. Ali Akbar, ADK alongwith Addl. AG for respondents present. Written reply submitted. The appeal is assigned to D.B for rejoinder and final hearing for 02.02.2017.

02,02.2017

Counsel for the appellant and Addl: AG for respondents present. Counsel for the appellant requested for time to file rejoinder. To come up for rejoinder and arguments on 11.04,2017 before D.B.

(MUHAMMAD AAMIR NAZIR) MEMBER

(ASHFAQUE TAJ) MEMBER 28.07.2016

Counsel for the appellant present. Learned counsel for appellant argued that the appellant was appointed as Patwari in the Settlement Department, Mardan vide order dated 22.1.1986. That his services were terminated vide order dated 10.03.1997 which was impugned by the appellant and similarly placed other employees and which appeal was accepted vide judgment dated 15.10.2002 directing reinstatement of the appellant and other similarly That despite numerous placed employees. applications/representations of the appellant, judgment of this Tribunal was not implemented and vide order dated 27.04.2015 fresh appointment order of the appellant was issued where-against appellant preferred departmental appeal which was partially allowed vide order dated received by the appellant on 20.11.2015 26.10.2015 wherein qualifying service rendered by the appellant was counted towards pensionery benefits while break in service of the appellant i.e. intervening period was condoned depriving the appellant from emoluments for no fault on his behalf and hence the instant service appeal on 15.12.2015.

That the appellant is entitled to all service benefits in accordance with mandate of judgment of this Tribunal dated 15.10.2002 passed in service appeal No. 860/2001.

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 29.09.2016 before S.B.

Chairman



Appellant in person present. Due to strike of the Bar learned counsel for the appellant is not available today before the Court, therefore, case is adjourned for preliminary hearing to 21.06.2016 before S.B.

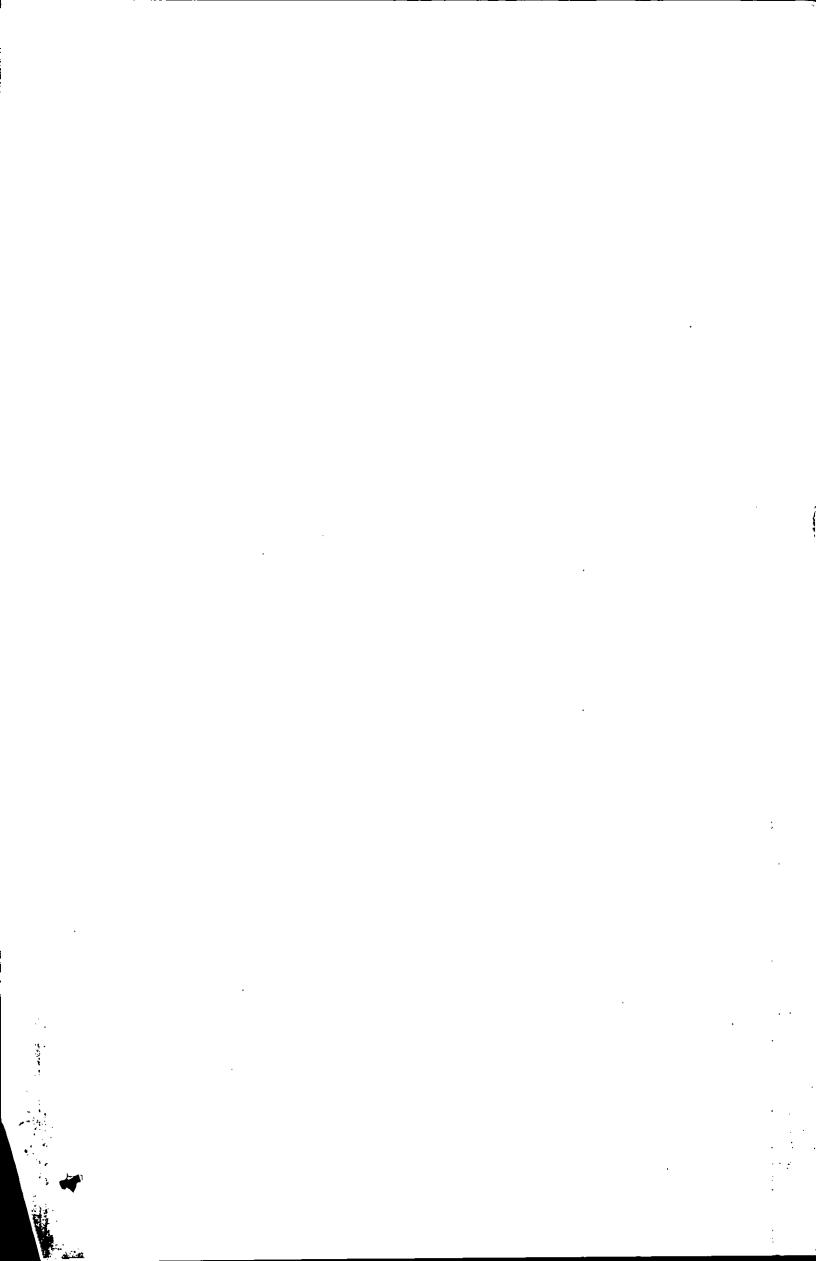
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21.06.2016

Counsel for the appellant present. Requested for adjournment. Request accepted. To come up for preliminary hearing on 19.7.2016.

19.07.2016

Counsel for the appellant present and requested for adjournment. Request accepted. To come up for preliminar hearing on 28.07.2016 before S.B.



10.5.2016

Counsel for the petitioner and Addl. AG for the respondents present. Arguments on application heard and record perused.

Brief facts of the case of appellant are that the appeal was fixed for preliminary hearing on 23.12.2015 but none appeared on behalf of the appellant and the same was adjourned for preliminary hearing to 26.01.2016 on which date again none appeared on behalf of the appellant and notice to counsel for the appellant was issued for 10.02.2016 but despite notice none appeared on behalf of the appellant on the said date, and, consequently the appeal was dismissed in default.

Learned counsel for the appellant argued that he belongs to district court, Mardan and that he was not served with any notice and that the application is within time.

Since the appeal was dismissed in default at the stage of preliminary hearing as such the application for restoration of the appeal is accepted with the direction to appellant and his counsel to remain careful in future. To come up for preliminary hearing on 09.06.2016 before S.B.



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Restoration Application No	36/2016	

S.No.	Date of order proceedings	Order or other proceedings with signature of judge or Magistrate
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1	01/03/2016	The application for restoration of appeal No. 1388/15 submitted by Mr. Muhammad Iqbal through Mr. Yaqub Khan Advocate, may be entered in the relevant Register and put up to the Court for
		proper order please.
2-	3-3-2016	REGISTRAR
		This restoration application be put up before S. Bench at on 21-3-2016.
		CHAIRMAN
	21.03.2016	None present for applicant. Notice be issued to the
		parties for 10.5.2016 before S.B. Record be also requisitioned.
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26.1.2016

None present for appellant. Notice to counsel for the appellant be issued for preliminary hearing for 10.2.2016 before S.B.

10.02.2016

None present for appellant despite notice to counsel for the appellant. Dismissed for want of prosecution. File be consigned to the record room.

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	Case No	1388/2015
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1.	15.12.2015	The appeal of Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Patwari presented today by Mr. Yaqub Khan Advocate may be entered in the
		Institution register and put up to the Worthy Chairman for proper order.
2		This case is entrusted to S. Bench for preliminary
	,	hearing to be put up thereon 23-12-15
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	23.12.2015	None present for the appellant. The appeal be relisted
		preliminary hearing for 26.1.2016 before S.B.
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Muhammad Iqbai		appellant
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Appellant,

Muhammad Iqbal

Trough counsel

Yaqoob Khan advocate

High Court at Distt:

courts Mardan.



Service Appeal No_	1388	/2015	A.W.P. Province
	-		Service Tribunal Diery No. 1450
•			Diery 10-12-2015

Muhammad Iqbal Patwari Halqa Mardan resident of village Bakhshali Tehsil & District Mardan(Appellant)

VERSUS

1.	Commissioner Mardan		100	• •
2.	D.C Mardan	•	l()I	Respondents

Appeal U/S-4 of Service Tribunal Act 1974 against the order of respondent No.2 dated 27/04/2015 and order/judgment of respondent No.1 dated 26/10/2015, whereby appeal of appellant is partially dismissed to the extent of that the appellant shall not be entitled for any emolument, including pay for the condoned period, which is illegal, against law and facts.

Sir.

Appellant humbly submits as under

1. That the appellant was appointed as settlement patwari on 22/01/1986 vide order dated 28/01/1986. (Copy of the appointment order is attached as Annex: "A").



- 2. That due to winding up settlement operation Mardan, the appellant was relieved from service on the condition that he will be adjusted/ appointed as revenue patwari in revenue side at Mardan, as and when vacancy fall vacant in revenue side Mardan vide order dated 10/03/1997. (Copy of the relieved order is hereby attached as Annex: "B").
- 3. That feeling aggrieved, appellant filed an appeal before the Service Tribunal Peshawar, which was accepted vide order. Judgment dated 01/01/2003 with the direction that appellant



be re-instated in service with all back benefit. (Copy of order/judgment is attached s Annex: "C").

- 4. That appellant field various applications for re-instatement in Revenue side Mardan before the respondent No.2 but in vain. (Copies of the applications are attached as Annex: "D").
 - 5. That finally appellant as appointed as a revenue patwari in revenue side Mardan vide order dated 27/04/2015 as a fresh appointment instead of re-instatement in service, which is illegal, against law and facts. (Copy of the order is attached as Annex: "E").
 - 6. That feeling aggrieved from the said order of respondent No.2, appellant filed an appeal before the appellate authority ie Commissioner Mardan which is partially accepted to the extent of that break in service of appellant is condoned and granted pay protection, while partially dismissed to the extent of that the appellant shall not be entitled for any emolument including his pay for the mentioned condoned period ie w.e.f 01/01/1997 to 26/04/2015, vide order/ judgment dated 26/10/2015, which is illegal, against law and facts. (*Copy of appeal and order/ judgment is Annex: "F"*).
 - 7. That appellant is entitled for pay and back benefit for the period condoned on the following grounds:-

GROUNDS

- A. That the impugned order dated 27/04/2015, needs to modify to the extent of that appellant may please be re-instated in service with all back benefits instead of fresh appointment on the basis of the judgment of this Hon'able Tribunal dated 01/01/2003.
- B. That the appellant has not been treated by the respondents 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 Pakistan 1973.
 - C. That the break in service has already been condoned and previous service already counted for pensionery benefits and kept continued the service of appellant from 1st appointed till update, thus appellant is entitled for pay protection and back benefits on

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the basis of previous service already rendered in settlement operation Mardan.

- D. That as per law, appellant is a regular civil servant and it was due to respondents that posts were abolished by respondents due to winding up settlement operation Mardan.
- E. That identical appeal has been accepted by respondent i.e commission Mardan.
- F. That other similarly placed patwaries were granted to the same benefits in appeal titled as "Hilal Sad versus DOR Mardan" "Imtiaz Ali versus DOR Mardan" and as per reported judgment of Apex Superior courts of Pakistan SCMR 1996 page 1185, appellant is also entitled for the same benefits/relief.
- G. That appellant seeks permission to advance other grounds and proofs at the time of hearing.

It is therefore, humbly prayed that on acceptance of this appeal, the impugned order dated 27/04/2015 may please be modified to the extent of that appellant may please be in-instated in service with all back benefit instead of fresh appointment on the basis of the judgment of this Hon'able Tribunal dated 01/01/2003. In alternative appellant may please be granted pay for the period condoned w.e.f 01/01/1997 to 26/04/2015 with all back benefit. Any other relief deemed fit may also be graciously awarded.

Appellant,_

Muhammad Iqbal

Jawel

Trough counsel

Yaqoob Khan advocate High Court at Distt: courts Mardan.

Dated 12/12/2015

<u>AFFIDAVITE</u>

I, do hereby solemnly and affirm that the contents of appeal are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and nothing has been concealed from this Hon'able court.

M AKBARNIOTI ABYDEATE

Deponent.

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OFFICE ORDER.

The following Patwari andidates of Mardan Tehsil are hereby appointed as officiating Settlement Patwaris in B.P.S No. 5(520-18-880) with immediate effect in the interest of Public and Govt; work subject to production of medical fitness certificate from the competent authority.

Their appointment is purely on temporary basis and can be terminated at any time without assigning any reason or notice.

S.No.	Name_	Son of	Address.
1.	Sher Bahader	Gul Karim	Dang Dang Mardan. 12-1-86
2.	Darwesh Khan	Bahader Khan	Shero Mardan.
1.	Mohd Iqbal	Abdul Malik	Chargulli Mardan. 4-1-7
/4.	Jamshed	Bacha Khan	Takht Bhai Mardan. 16-1-86
5.	Aftab Gul	Sheikh Ahmed	Shankar Mardan. 1)-12-1975-
6.	Farhad Ali	Ziarat Khan	Naseer Kali Mardan.
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Settlement Officer, Mardan.

OFFICE OF THE SETTLEMENT OFFICER, MARDAN.

No. 168-73 /SOM/E-33

Dated Mardan the 22-1-/86.

Copy forwarded to the :-

- 1. Director, Land Records, NWFP., Peshawar.
- 2. Extra Asstt; Settlement Officer, Mardan.
- 3. District Accounts Officer, Mardan.
- Settlement Tehsildar, Mardan.
- 5. Settlement Tehsildar, Swabi. He is requested to put up proposal for their posting in Swabi Tehsil at an early date.
- 6. Settlement Bill Clerk, Mardan.

Settlement Officer,
Mardan.

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Jean Advocate Marden

OFFICE ORDER.

consequent upon rejection of stay application by the Service Tribunal NWFP and/Winding up Settlement Operation in Mardan Division and abolition of posts from the Govt: of MAFP, Finance Department, the services of the under mentioned Junior most Patwaris of this office are hereby terminated with effect from 31.12.1995 (Att):-

NAME OF CANDIDATE.

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- .2- Fazli Karim s/o Gul Rahim.
 - Muhammad Zahid s/o Mohd Quresh.
 - Fazal Iqbal s/o Ghulam Rehmeni.
 - Shaukat Ali s/o Akbar Khan.
 - Jamal Shah s/o Muhammad Ishaq.
 - Zulfiqar Ali s/o Shaukat Ali.
 - Kifayat ullah s/o Abdul Mustavi.
- S. Aurang Zeb s/o Abdul Ghaffar.
- Sher Bahadar s/o Amir Gul. **(**10)
- 11-Inayat Ali Shah s/o Sher Mohd.
- Mehar Dil Khan s/o Khaista Khan. 12-1.3-
- Mohd Afsar s/o Muhammad Aslam. 14-
- Muddasir Ali s/o Umer Khitab.
- Rahamdad s/o Qasam Dad. 15-
- 16-Taj Ali Khan s/o Mohd Hazrat. **6**7-Ghulam Mohd s/o Gul Muhammad.
 - Johan Zeb s/o Gul Said.
- 19-Bashir Muhammad s/o Gul Faqir.
- 20-Hazrat Ghulam s/o Said Ghulam.
- 21-Shah Jehan s/o Muhammad.
- 22_ Aurang Khan s/o Munjra Khan.
- Faiz Muhammad s/o Ghani Akbar.
- Javed Ali s/o Muhibullah Khan.
- Sher Navas o/o Zahir Gul.
- 26-Murtaza Khan s/o Abdullah.
- 27-Abdul Khaliq s/o Nian Jamiluddin.
- 28-Johan Ighal s/o Ewishah Gul.
- Jehan Zeb s/o Bakht Jamal. 29-
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- Muhammad Ijaz s/o Abdul Salam. 31-
- 32-Mushtag Ali s/o Dilsoz.
- 33-Mohd Riaz s/o Muhammad Umer.
- 34. Raham Islam s/o Inzar Gul.
- 35 -Alam Zeb s/o Sardar Khan.
 - Miaz Hohammad s/o Sultan Hohd.
- Oasam Ali s/o Oasi Asarul maq.
- 38-Sar Syed s/o Awal Khan.
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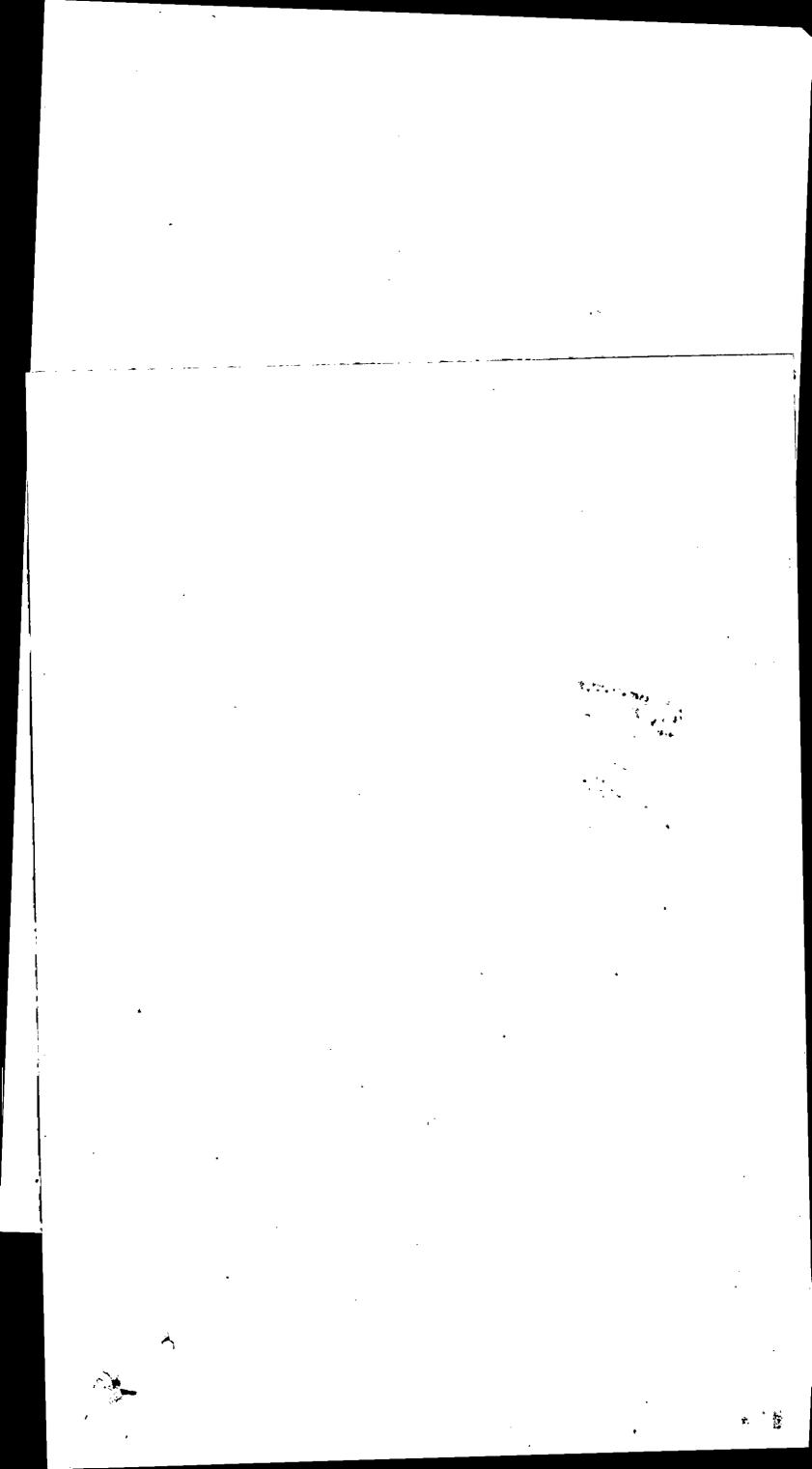
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- Commissioner, Mardan Division, Mardan,
- Secretary, Board of Revenue, MWFP., Peshawar.
- Deputy Commissioner, Mardan,
- Deputy Commissioner, Swabi.
- District Accounts Officer, Mardan.
- District Accounts Officer, Swabi.
- Extra Assistant Settlement Officer, Mardan,
- Settlement Tehnildar, Swani.

Settlement Officer, Hardan.

SERVICE APPEAL NO. 860/2011

Date of institution

Date of decision

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Mehammad Iqbal S/Abdul Malik, Ex-Settlement Patwari Mardan R/O Vill: Charguli Tehsil & Distt: Mardan.

- Commissioner Mardan.
- Députy Commissioner, Mardan.
- Settlement Officer, Mardan. 3•

Respondents

Mr.Amjad Ali, Advocate.

Mr. Nusratullah Jan. Govt. Pleader.

For appellant

For respondents

This is A service

Mr.Muhammad Fareed Khan. Mr.Muhammad Shaukat.

Member Member

J UD GMENT

MUHAMMAD FAREED KHAN, MEMBER appeal filed by Mohammad Iqbal appellant against the orde of respondent No.1 dated 12.7.2001 and termination order dated 10.3.97 of respondent No.3 which was earlier setaside by the NWFP Service Tribunal in appeal No. 1958/97 in case titled "Iftikhar Hussain-Vs-Commr.Mardan and Shamoul Arifeen-Vs-Commr. Mardan, decided on 14.9.98 and 30.8.99.

Brief facts of the are that the appellant was

EXCLUSION SIMILAR Peshawar.

Appointed as a Settlement Fatwari in Settlement Operation Mardan on 26.1.1986. Due to partially winding up of the said Operation, the services of the appellant were terminated on 10.3.97 (Annexure-A). The appellant preferred a departmental appeal before respondent No.1 which was dismissed vide order dated 12.7.2001 (Annexures B & C). Hence this appeal.

The grounds of appeal mentioned/are that the appellant is entitled to the same relief/judgment/order as given by the Service Tribunal in case of other similarly placed civil servant/patwaris as per judgment of the Supreme Court of Pakistan (Copies of judgment of Service Tribunal dated 14.6.2001 and 30.8.99 are attached as Annexure-D); that the reason given by the respondents in the impugned termination order dated 10.3.97 has been finished and new/fresh cause of action has arisen to the appellant in view of the new circumstances i.e. that the settlement work in Gadoon area and consolidated village at Swabi District has taken start and the respondent organization is in dire need of settlement patwaris, and there is no arder for abolition of posts prior to July, 2001; that the impugned orders are without any cogent reasons or solid footings; that the appellant is senior most as per seniority list as well as Indirajec-Nam and remained jobless from 10.3.97 till today; that the appellant has served in the settlement Operation for 11 years which has been vanished with one stroke of pen; that as per termination order the respondents promised with appellant that they will be reinstated if vacancies arise and settlement operation at Chitral/Malakand is. about to be started and that the appellant is entitled to pension as he has served for more than 10 years and other clerical as well as patwaris have been given/ granted pension. The appellant's prayer is that on

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dated 12.7.2001 and order of respondent No.3 dated 10.3.97 may be set aside and he may be reinstated in service, with all back benefits.

Respondents have filed their reply and denied the claim of the appellant on the ground that being temperary employee of the settlement Operation/Organization, the services of the appellant were terminated on winding up of the said operation and appeal against the termination order was rejected being badly time barred by the appellate authority. He is also junior most. As such his appeal being badly timebarred may be dismissed. In rebuttal, the appellant has also submitted his replication.

5. Arguments heard and record perused.

The perusal of record would show that the appellant belonged to District Mardan. His appointment was made as Patwari in the Settlement Operation Mardan on 26.1.1986. He continued to serve as Settlement Fatwari in the settlement Operation Mardan till 31.12.1996. Consequent upon the winding up of Settlement Operation in some parts of the Mardan Division, the services of Eighteight Patwaries including appellant were terminated vide settlement Officer Mardan order dated 10.3.1997. Later-on the settlement work in some area of the Mardan Division was re-started therefore, a number of Patwaries whose serviceswere earlier terminated were re-employed/reinstated. On this the appellant also requested through departmental appeal for his re-employment/reinstatement which was rejected by the Settlement Officer and Commissioner Mardan vide-orders dated 10.3.2001 and 12.7.2001 respectively on the plea that the appellant has made appeal against his termination

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order dated 10.3.1997 after a period of more than 4 years and the appeal is time barred, hence this appeal before service Tribunal.

7. The Tribunal observes that the appointment of the appellant was made by the Govt. Department for the Govt. work in public interest and he was paid by the Government. The appe lant served the Government for more than 10 years and when the settlement work was partially wound up in Mardan Division and services of 88 Patwaries were no longer required, the services of 88 junior most Fatwaries including appellant were terminate by the department in accordance with the rules. However, when the settlement work was re-storted/extended in Mardan Division after the termination of the services of 88 Patwaries and the services of a Patwari/Patwaries were required it was incumbent upon the respondent department to re-employee/make appointment against the post of Patwaries from the 88 Patwaries whose services were terminated on 10.3.1997 and of those who were senior most amongst them. The appointment of a Patwari other than 88 Patwaries or the re-employments of a junior Patwari ignoring the senior patwari from the list of 88 Patwaries for the settlement work restarted or extended in Mardan Div after 10.3.1997 would be against the law and rules.

In view of the above reasons appeal of the appellant is accepted and the respondent department is directed to reinstate/adjust the appellant against the post of Patwari in the Settlement work in Mardan from the due date.

This order will also dispose of the other connected appeal Non. 857/2001, Shafiqur Rehman, 861/2001, Gohar Ali, 862/2001, Nushtaq Ali and 863/2001, Sher Mohammad in the same manner because in all these appeals the common questions of law and facts are involved. No order as to costs. File be consigned to the record.

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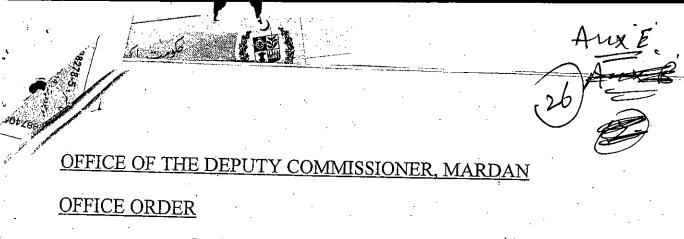
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On the recommendation of departmental selection Committee, dated 17.04.2015, Mr. Muhammad Iqbal s/o Abdul Malik r/o Charquli Sub Tehsil Rustam District Mardan is hereby appointed as Patwari (BPS-9) plus usual allowances on regular basis on initial stage of the time scale in the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Mardan with immediate effect subject to the following terms and conditions:-

- 1. He shall be for all intents and purposes be civil servant.
- 2. He shall be governed by the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa civil servant Act 1973, all the laws applicable to the civil servants and Rules made there under.
- 3. He shall be on probation for a period of one year which may be extended.
- 4. His services will be liable to termination at any time without assigning any reason before the expiry of the period of his probation/extended period of probation. Incase he wishes to resign at any time a month's notice shall be necessary or in lieu thereof a month's pay shall be forfeited.
- 5. He shall produce Medical fitness certificate from the medical Board to be constituted for the purpose.
- 6. The concerned Universities / Board etc will verify his academic degree/certificate, which, if found fake/ bogus may render his service terminated.
- 7. He shall produce the old service book if service rendered in Settlement operation as per judgment of Peshawar High court as there is no age limit for those candidates who rendered service in settlement operation and waiting for their appointment.
- 8. If the above terms and conditions of appointment are acceptable to him, he shall report his arrival to this office within fifteen days after issuance of this office order i.e. on or before 12th May 2015, failing which his appointment shall be deemed cancelled.

Deputy Commissioner,

Mardan

No.224-27/DK/HVC

Dated Mardan the 27/04/2015

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the:

1. The Secretary-I, Board of Revenue, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.

2. District Comptroller of Accounts, Mardan.

3. Medical Superintendent, D.H.Q, Hospital, Mardan. He is requested to make necessary arrangements for Medical Board in order to medically examine the above named official and intimate the date fixed for the purpose.

4. Mr. Muhammad Iqbal s/o Abdul Malik r/o Charguli Sub Tehsil Rustam District Mardan

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IN THE COURT OF COMMISSIONER MARDAN DIV Appellant Muhammad iqbal Patwari Versus Respondent Deputy Commissioner/District Collector Mardan

Case No.....

Dated of institution:

15/06/2015

Dated of Decision:

26/10/2015

APPEAL/REPRESENTATION FOR CONDONATION OF BREAK IN SERVICE W.E.F 01/01/1997 TO 26/06/2015 PROTECTION AND PENSIONERY BENEFITS.

ORDER:-

Through this petition the appellant has prayed for condonation of break in service w.e.f 01/01/1997 to 26/06/2015 with pay protection and pensionery benefits.

Brief facts of the case are that the appellant was appointed as Settlement Patwari. Due to winding up of Settlement Operation Mardan, the appellant was relieved from service. On 27/04/2015, the appellant was appointed/adjusted as patwari halqa in revenue side Mardan on regular basis. Now the present appellant filed an appeal/representation before this court for condonation of break in service w.e.f. 01/01/1997 to 26/06/2015 and counting his previous service rendered in Settlement Operation Mardan towards pension benefits/pay protection.

Appellant alongwith his counsel present. Representative of Deputy Commissioner/District Collector Mardan also present and submitted parawise comments. Placed on file. Arguments of the learned counsel for the appellant heard and case file as weil as parawise comments of the Deputy Commissioner /District Collector, Mardan thoroughly perused.

During the course of arguments, the learned counsel for the appellant argued that this Hon'ble court has accepted similar nature appeals. He further stated that as per judgment of service Tribunal Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Peshawar dated 30/08/2007 in the case title Abid Khan Vs Commissioner Mardan Division Mardan etc, service of the appellant had been ordered to be counted for pension and pay protection. Further contended that the Hon'ble Service Tribunal Khyber Pakhtunkhwa has accepted appeal in

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vitled Moman Khan vs Chief Secretary Khyber Pakhtunkhwa etc whereby it was airected that the appellant are entitled for protection of pay and pensionery benefits for

the services already rendered in other departments. He added that another same nature order dated 28/02/2013 passed by the Worthy SMBR, KPK, Peshawar in case titled Farman Ali Naib Tehsildar Versus Board of Revenue KPK, Peshawar has been implemented vide letter dated 06/07/2013 by the respondent therein as well as by the pay fixation party.

In view of the above, the instant appeal is hereby accepted to the extent that the qualifying service already rendered by the appellant in Settlement Operation Mardan be counted for pensionery benefits, grant pay protection, to the appellant and break in service of the appellant be condoned accordingly. However, the appellant shall not be entitled for any emolument, including pay for the mentioned period condoned. No order as to costs.

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That as per judgment of Apex Supreme court of Pakistan, if an official is resigned the Government service and appointed in other departments, he is entitled for pay protection and penionary benefits for the service already rendered in other department.



That other similarly placed officials were granted the same benefits in appeal titled as "Arshad Versus D.L.R", Sadiq ur rehman and Muhamamd Riaz Versus Board of Revenue Peshawar and as per reported judgments of Apex Supreme Court of Pakistan, SCMR 1996 page 1185 and 2003SCMR page 1074, appellant is also entitled for the same benefits/relief too.

> It is, therefore, humbly prayed that acceptance of the instant appeal, the break in service of appellant with effect from 1/1/97 to 26/4/2013 may please be condoned and service of the appellant already rendered in settlement operation, Mardan may please be counted for pay protection and pensionery benefits. Any other relief deemed fit may also be graciously awarded to the appellant.

8/6/2015 Dated

Through

Khan advocate Yaqoob High Court at Distt: Courts Mardan.

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That the contents of the application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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