16.04.2024

01. Learned counsel for the appellant present. Mr. Umair

Azam, Additional Advocate General alongwith Mr. Safiullah,

Focal Person for the respondents present. Arguments heard and

record perused.

02 Vide our detailed judgment of today separately placed on

file, we are constrained to set aside the impugned Notification

dated 02.02.2023 imposing major penalty of removal from

service upon the appellant. The appellant is reinstated into

service and the case is remitted to the respondent department to

conduct proper inquiry in accordance with the law and rules

affording proper opportunity of defense to the

accused/appellant. Costs shall follow the event. Consign.

03. Pronounced in open Court at Peshawar and given under

our hands and the seal of the Tribunal on this 16th day of April,

*2024*.

MUHAMMAD AKBAR KHAN

Member (Executive)

KALIM ARSHAD KHAN

Chairman