Service Appeal No.655/2024 titled "Abdul Wahab Vs. Government of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa"

14<sup>th</sup> June. 2024 <u>Kalim Arshad Khan, Chairman:</u> Learned counsel for the appellant present and heard.

2. This appeal is against the order dated 25.04.2019, whereby, private respondent No.3 was promoted from the post of Beldar to the post of Gauge Reader. Against the order, the appellant filed appeal on 14.01.2020 while this appeal on 05.04.2024. He had, in the first instance, challenged the said order in Appeal No.12173/2020, which he had withdrawn on 13.03.2024 to avail proper remedy. The proper remedy is provided under Section.-4 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Service Tribunal Act, 1974 to be a service appeal before this Tribunal, but for the unknown reasons, the earlier appeal was withdrawn and this appeal has been filed.

3. The departmental appeal was barred by time while instant appeal is not only barred by time, but also barred by provisions of Rule-23 of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Service Tribunal Rules, 1974.

4. In view of above, instant service appeal is dismissed with costs. Consign.

5. Pronounced in open Court at Peshawar and given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2024.

(Kalim Arshad Khan) Chairman

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