31.07.2024

Learned counsel for the appellant present and argued that appellant was awarded major penalty of removal from service vide order dated 25.04.2022 on the basis of involvement in a criminal case bearing FIR No. 646 dated 20.12.2021 registered at P.S Tajori District Lakki Marwat. He further argued that appellant was acquitted from the charges vide order dated 13.01.2024. He filed departmental appeal on 25.01.2024, which was rejected on 05.03.2024. Thereafter, he filed revision petition which was also met the same fate, hence the present service appeal. Points raised need consideration. Appeal in hand is admitted for regular hearing subject to all just and legal objections. Appellant is directed to deposit security fee within seven days, thereafter, notices be issued to the appellant for submission of written reply. Respondents be summoned through TCS the expenses of which be deposited by the within three appellant days. To come up reply/comments on 22.08.2024 before S.B. P.P given to learned counsel for the appellant.

> (Rashida Bano) Member (J)

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