

Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Jal Shakti Department
Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar

Subject:- Departmental Action against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, the then AEE (Procurement) of erstwhile Civil Flood Division (CFD), Navigation Lock Project (NLP) Baramulla (under Power Development Department), in case FIR No. 19/2000-VOK – dropping of charges.

Government Order No. 146 -JK(JSD) of 2023

Dated:- 05.07.2023

1. Whereas, the General Administration Department (vigilance Section) vide OM dated 17.04.2012 intimated that Sh. Ghulam Ahmad Thakur was figuring in case FIR No. 19/2000 P/S VOK in the capacity of AEE CFD Baramulla and the matter was referred to the Power Development Department (PDD) for Departmental action and to effect recoveries of outstanding advances made by officers/officials of CFD, Baramulla including Sh. Ghulam Ahmad Thakur in terms of Rules 33 & 34 of J&K Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1956; and

2. Whereas, vide this department's OM dated 12.02.2008 and letter dated 04.07.2015, Power Development Department & Managing Director, JKSPDC, Srinagar respectively were requested to intimate the outcome of Departmental action, if any, initiated against the officer as the same is required for consideration of his regularization as Executive Engineer by the DPC/PSC; and

3. Whereas, JKSPDC vide letter No. JKSPDC/Adm/C3/2189-92 dated 17-11-2016 intimated that there is nothing outstanding against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, as the necessary adjustment has been carried out for an amount of Rs. 3,02,644/- which was outstanding against the retired officer as reported by Chief Engineer, Civil Investigation & Design Wing PDC Kashmir vide letter No. 240-43 dated 14-11 2014; and

4. Whereas, vide OM dated 30.08.2018, Power Development Department has also intimated that the amount of Rs. 3,02,644/- which was lying outstanding against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, the then I/c Executive Engineer, PHE Division Kulgam in case FIR No. 19/2000 in his capacity as the then AEE (Procurement) of erstwhile CFD, NLP Baramulla has been adjusted and not recovered from the said officer as reported by the Chief Pay & Account Officer, J&K PDC Unit Baramulla and Executive Engineer, Civil Maintenance Division LJHP Gantmulla Baramulla vide their communications dated 31.10.2011 and 12.11.2014 respectively; and

5. Whereas, the matter was further examined in the Department and vide O.M dated 19.09.2018 followed by chain of reminders dated 29.12.2021, 14.02.2022 & 07.04.2022, Power Development Department was requested to issue a self speaking order with regard to adjustment or recovery of an amount of Rs. 3,02,644/- (Rupees three lacs, two thousand, six hundred and

forty-four only) as the departmental action was initiated by them when he was posted in the PDD in the capacity of AEE (Procurement) of erstwhile CFD, NLP Baramulla; and

6. Whereas, Power Development Department vide their O.M. No. PDD-HRM/04/2022-05-PDD dated 11.08.2022 intimated that the issue has been examined with reference to the available records and accordingly it has emerged that the JKPDC vide communication No. JKPDC/Adm/4644-45 dated 13.12.2017 stated that Chief Pay & Accounts Officer, JKSPDC has reported that an amount of Rs. 3,02,644/- shown as outstanding against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, the then AEE Procurement of erstwhile CFD, NLP Baramulla during his posting in the J&K Power Development Corporation, has not been recovered from him but has been properly adjusted (book adjustment), as per the records there is nothing outstanding against the said officer. Power Development Department, has further requested that, speaking order, if any required to be issued in the case, shall have to be issued by the Jal Shakti Department being the cadre controlling authority; and

7. Whereas, the case has been examined in the Department and the Competent Authority has decided that the charges leveled against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, the then AEE Procurement of erstwhile CFD, NLP Baramulla be dropped and the case be closed at the Departmental level.

8. Now, therefore, in view of the above, the charges leveled against Shri Ghulam Ahmad Thakur, the then AEE Procurement of erstwhile CFD, NLP Baramulla are hereby dropped and the case is accordingly closed at the Departmental level.

By Order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-

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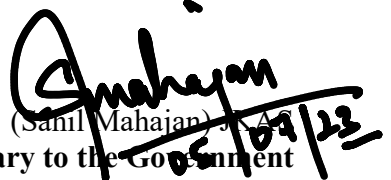
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3. Commissioner/Secretary to the Government, General Administration Department.
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5. Managing Director, J&K Power Development Corporation.
6. Chief Engineer, Jal Shakti (PHE) Department, Jammu/ Kashmir.
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