

## Government of Jammu and Kashmir Public Works (R&B) Department Civil Secretariat, Jammu

Subject:

Treating Junior Engineer (Civil)-Diploma Holder as Junior Engineer(Civil)

Degree Holder.

Government Order No. 258PW(R&B) of 2021 Dated 27 08.2021

WHEREAS, as per provisions of J&K Engineering (Subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules, 1997, a Junior Engineer under the category of Diploma Holders after acquiring Degree in relevant branch of Engineering is to be treated as 'Degree holder' for the purpose of seniority from the date of completion/passing of Degree; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Engineer, PW(R&B) Department Kashmir has forwarded the case of Mubashir Ali, Junior Engineer (Civil) Diploma Holder for fixation of his seniority amongst the Junior Engineers (Civil) Degree Holders vide his letter No. CE/Estab/3567-68 dated 26.03.2016 with following details:

Name of the Candidate		appointment	University/Institution wherefrom exam passed	Date of passing Degree
Mubashir Ali	11.006.1992	07-09-2015	Kurukshetra University Kurukshetra Haryana	29.07.2014

WHEREAS, certificates submitted by the said Junior Engineer were forwarded to the concerned Institution for verification and the concerned Institution i.e Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (Haryana) has verified the certificates vide their letter No. AR(CS)/CS-I&II/20/1057 dated 22.01.2020; and

WHEREAS, case of the above named Junior Engineer has been examined in the department in light of relevant rules and it has been decided to treat him as Junior Engineer- Degree Holder (Civil) and fix his seniority in the seniority list of Junior Engineers Degree Holders (Civil) at an appropriate place as and when the same is notified; and

WHEREAS, objection were invited against the aforesaid Engineer through the medium of notice under No PW(R&B)HRM/80/2016-I dated 16.04.2021, which was published in local Daily news paper "Udan" dated 6 June/may 2021, however, during the prescribed period no objection has been received in the department

WHEREAS, the said Junior Engineer has also given an undertaking in the shape of an affidavit attested by the Judicial Magistrate 1st Class Bhaderwah on 11.02.2021 affirming therein as:

" that in case any information about my said Degree is found bougus, at any time in my service, my Degree shall be deemed to be concerned ab-intion and action as warranted under rules shall be initiated against me in the light of J&K Civil Services Rules

WHEREAS, Finance Department has issued Circular instructions vide endorsement No.A/HCM (2012)-PMO-49 dated 01.02.2019 and clarified that the advance Increments of degree holders on their appointment as Junior Engineers are available on initial appointment and not at the time of acquiring degree after entry into Government service

NOW, THEREFORE, Mr. Mubashir Ali Junior Engineer (Civil) Diploma holder shall henceforth be treated as Degree Holder w.e.f 07.09.2015 and shall be assigned seniority amongst the junior Engineers (Civil) Degree Holders at appropriate place as and when the same is notified and consequently his name from seniority list of Diploma holders shall be deemed to have been deleted from the date of issuance of this order. However, the pay of the official shall be regulated as per circular instructions issued by Finance Department under endorsement No A/HCM/20212-PMO-49 dated 01:02.2019

> (Rainish Kumar)KAS Additional Secretary to the Government

No. PW(R&B)HRM/55/2021-05-Department of PWD Copy to the:-

Dated 27.08.2021

1. Joint Secretary (J&K) Ministry of Home Affairs, Gol.

2. Chief Engineer, PW(R&B) Jammu/ Kashmir.

3. Director Achieves, Archaeology and Museums J&K Jammu

4. OSD to Hon'ble Advisor (B) for information

5. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to the Government, PW(R&B) Department

6. Concerned Engineer for information.

7. In-charge Website, Public Works(R&B) Department.

8. Stock file/office record file.