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Government of Jammu and Kashmir Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Near Nehru Market, Ware House, Jammu

Subject: - Decision on suspension period- reg.

Order No: - 65 -DFCS&CAJ-of 2023 Dated: - 3\ / 03 / 2023

Whereas, Sh. Raj Kumar, Ex-Junior Assistant, was taken into custody by the Police Station, Domana, Jammu on 28.06.2014, in connection with FIR No. 243/14, U/s 3/7 E.C. Act, 420, 409, 407, 109 RPC, as reported by the Assistant Director, FCS&CA, Jammu City-I; and

Whereas, the official was placed under suspension vide Order No. 167-DCAPDJ of 2014 dated 01.07.2014 and directed to report to the Office of Assistant Director, Jammu City-1; and

Whereas, Joint Director, (Adm.) was directed to enquire into the alleged involvement of officers/ officials of Central Store in the pilferage of PDS ration, as reported in a Newspaper, within a week's time; and

Whereas, on 30.10.2014, Assistant Director, Trade and Stores, Jammu was requested to furnish a report as to whether there was any lapse / shortage or misappropriation of food grains in the Central Store; and

Whereas, Assistant Director, Trade and Stores, Jammu, vide No. 346/T dated 07.11.2014 intimated that there was no lapse / shortage or misappropriation of foodgrains in the Central Store; and

Whereas, keeping in view the dearth of staff in the department, the official was re-instated on 27.12.2016; and

Whereas, on 18.11.2019, Senior Superintendent of Police, Jammu, was requested to intimate the present status of Case FIR No. 243/2014/407/409/420/109/201 RPC 3/7 EC Act, lodged in Police Station Domana, Jammu; and

Whereas, on 03.01.2020, Senior Superintendent of Police, Jammu, intimated that challan in the aforesaid FIR had been produced before the Hon'ble Court of Passenger Tax, Jammu on 11.10.2019 and the case was still under trial; and

Whereas, Sh. Raj Kumar, Ex- Junior Assistant was retired on superannuation on 30.11.2019; and

Whereas, on 26.02.2021, Chief Accounts Officer, FCS&CA, Department Jammu has forwarded the case of provisional pension of official to the Accountant General (A&E), J&K, Jammu; and

Whereas, the official has submitted an application in the office of Assistant Director, Jammu City Circle-I with the request to decide his suspension period and the same has been forwarded to the Directorate; and

Whereas, inquiry in the above said matter has been pending since long and the same needs to be concluded to decide the suspension period of the retired official.

Now, therefore, keeping in view the above and the contemplated enquiry having not been conducted in the case, Ms. Seema Parihar, Deputy Director (Supplies), FCS&CA, Jammu is appointed as an enquiry officer to see into the involvement or otherwise of officials / officers of Central Store in the pilferage of PDS ration, as reported in the newspaper on 29th of June, 2014 and 1st July, 2014, and report within a period of 15 days, positively.

Sd/-Director FCS&CA, Jammu

No: - 413 PF JA 3593-3599 Dated: - 31-03-2023

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- 1. Commissioner / Secretary to Government, FCS&CA, Department, J&K Civil Secretariat, Srinagar for favor of kind information.
- 2. Deputy Director, Supplies, FCS&CA, Jammu for information and necessary action.
- 3. Chief Accounts Officer, FCS&CA Department, Jammu for information.
- 4. Assistant Director, Trade and Stores, FCS&CA, Jammu for information.
- 5. I/c Website.
- 6. Office Order file/Stock file.
- 7. Personal File.

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