

Government of Jammu and Kashmir  
**Home Department**  
Civil Secretariat, Srinagar/Jammu

Subject:- **Adoption of date of birth in respect of Sgct. Abdul Hamid Dar, PID No. EXK-972528.**

Reference:- PHQ letter No. Estt/DOB-34/2018/20259-62 dated 03.04.2021 from Police Headquarters, J&K.

**Government Order No.304-Home of 2021**  
**D a t e d : 07.12.2021**

Whereas, the Police Headquarters vide above referred letter submitted case of Sgct. Abdul Hamid Dar, PID No. EXK-972528, for adoption of date of birth of the official as 01.03.1980 instead of 01.03.1979, as recorded in his Character Roll, along with the lower age limit relaxation for a period of 03 months and 08 days; and

02. Whereas, PHQ submitted a certificate issued by the Jammu & Kashmir State Board of School Education (JKBOSE), along with the case to substantiate the claim of the official with regard to alteration of his date of birth; and

03. Whereas, the examination of the documents relevant in the context of case revealed that the official came to be appointed as Constable in J&K Police in the year 1997 and his date of birth was recorded as 01.03.1979, instead of 01.03.1980, which is without any cutting, overwriting or mutilation; and

04. Whereas, a Departmental enquiry was initiated in the matter by SSP Srinagar and the said enquiry was finalized with the recommendations to drop the charges against the delinquent officials owing to non-availability of records, which reportedly got damaged in the floods of September-2014; and

05. Whereas, the DOB Committee of PHQ examined the case and recommended for adoption of the date of birth of the official as 01.03.1980, instead of 01.03.1979. The aforesaid committee of PHQ has recommended the case for adoption of his date of birth as 01.03.1980, knowing the fact that such a change shall render him ineligible for entry into Govt. service. The committee has gone a step further and recommended for adoption of the date of birth along with the relaxation of 03 months and 08 days, without taking into consideration the relevant rule position; and

06. Whereas, it transpires that either the official has produced another document at the time of his appointment on the basis of which his date of birth was recorded as 01.03.1979, or the same certificate was produced by him and the DoB was knowingly recorded as 01.03.1979, to make him eligible for entry into Government Service; and

07. Whereas, the Article 35-AA(c) of J&K Civil Services Regulations Volume-I explicitly lays down that the alteration in DOB can only be effected within 05 years from the date of entry into Govt. Service; and

08. Whereas, the facts and circumstances of the case clearly point out that the official has failed to represent for alteration of his recorded date of birth within the prescribed time limit of five years, as the case was brought to the notice of the Administrative Department after a lapse of almost 02 decades; and

09. Now, therefore, the claim of the official namely Sgct Abdul Hamid Dar, PID No. EXK-972528, considered in terms of the relevant rules governing the field, is found devoid of any merit and is hence rejected. The date of birth of the official shall be treated as 01.03.1979, as already recorded on the 1<sup>st</sup> page of his Character Roll.

**By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.**


Sd/  
**(Shaleen Kabra) IAS**  
Principal Secretary to the Government

No. Home/PB-III/DOB/57/2021/CC No. 13962

Dated: 07.12.2021

**Copy to the:-**

1. Director General of Police, J&K, Srinagar. The original Character Roll/DOB certificate of the Sgct. Abdul Hamid Dar, PID No. EXK-972528 is also returned herewith. Further, it is requested that a departmental enquiry be initiated against the official for lying about his age at the time of recruitment and the outcome of the enquiry may be shared with Administrative Department.
2. Principal Accountant General, J&K, Srinagar.
3. Director, Archives, Archaeology and Museums, J&K, Srinagar.
4. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to the Government, (Home) Department.
5. Incharge Website, Home Department.
6. Government order file/Stock file.

  
**(Monish Kumar) JKAS**  
Under Secretary to the Government  
