

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

Subject: Departmental Inquiry against Mr. Inderjeet Lal, Deputy Director Prosecution, presently attached in Home Department.

Ref. : Inquiry report submitted by the Inquiry Officer, vide DFSL/ PS /Inquiry Report/ 2023/39 dated 11.07.2023 and communication dated 02.01.2024.

Government Order No. 114 -Home of 2024
Dated: 11.03.2024

Whereas, vide Government Order No. 201-Home of 2023 dated 24.04.2023 an inquiry was instituted against Shri Inderjeet Lal, Deputy Director Prosecution in terms of Rule 33 of the Jammu and Kashmir Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1956 for having remained unauthorizedly absent from duties; and

Whereas, Shri Mohammad Shahid Saleem, JKAS, Director, Forensic Science Laboratory J&K was appointed as Inquiry Officer to conduct the inquiry into the charges framed against the delinquent officer; and

Whereas, the Inquiry Officer submitted his report to the Home department, vide Communication No. DFSL/PS/Inquiry Report/2023/39 dated 11.07.2023 followed by another communication dated 02.01.2024. In his report, the Inquiry officer concluded the inquiry with the following findings:

This being the condition, it comes to fore that the procedure prescribed for availing the leave on medical grounds has not been followed by the charged officer. Had the charged officer applied as per the procedure prescribed, his positionality would have been slightly different. The charged officer being Deputy Director, Prosecution, and at the verge of retirement should not only have followed proper procedure but should have also inquired about status of his leave and kept his controlling officer informed about his health condition. This having not been followed by the charged officer, shows slight failure on his part of maintaining devotion to duty, Rule (ii) of I&K employees Conduct Rules, 1971, as the service record and medals conferred upon the officer show his utmost devotion to other spheres of the duty.

Whereas, the report of the Inquiry Officer was examined with reference to the facts of the case, evidence brought on record and the conclusion drawn by the Inquiry Officer, and the matter was, accordingly, placed before the Competent Authority alongwith all the material for decision; and

Whereas, the Competent Authority, while conveying its decision to accept the findings of the Inquiry Officer and to close the inquiry against Shri Inderjeet Lal,



Deputy Director Prosecution presently attached in Home Department has directed to issue a "Warning" to the delinquent officer to remain careful in discharge of official duty.

Now, therefore, the report submitted by the inquiry officer in pursuance to Government Order No. 201-Home of 2023 dated 24.04.2023, is accepted and the Inquiry ordered against Shri Inderjeet Lal, Deputy Director Prosecution is hereby closed. The delinquent officer is, however warned to remain careful in future in discharge of official duty.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-
(Chandraker Bharti) IAS
Principal Secretary to the Government

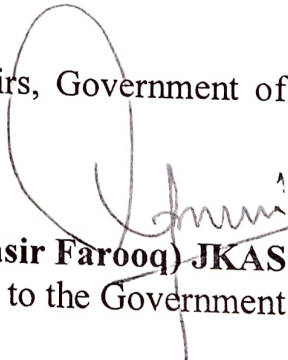
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Copy to the:

1. Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor.
2. Director General of Prosecution, J&K. He is advised to issue the warning to the officer.
3. Director Archives, Archaeology and Museums, J&K
4. Director Prosecution, Jammu/Kashmir.
5. Shri Inderjeet Lal, Deputy Director Prosecution.
6. Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary, J&K.
7. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to the Government, Home Department.
8. Govt. order file.
9. I/c Website.

Copy also to the Joint Secretary (JKL), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India


(Syed Yasir Farooq) JKAS
Deputy Secretary to the Government

11.03.24