



GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR
DIRECTORATE OF FISHERIES, J&K

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- Sub: Settlement of absence period of Shri Farooq Ahmad Janwari (Fisheries Guard)**
- Ref: Minutes of Meeting of Departmental Screening Committee dated 17-10-2024 constituted vide Fisheries Order No. 277 of 2024 dated 18-07-2024.**

ORDER NO. 555 -Fisheries of 2024
Dated: 31 -10-2024

- (i) Whereas, Mr. Farooq Ahmad Janwari, Fisheries Guard submitted application dated 26.09.2020 to the CPO, NFSF, Manasbal for seeking voluntary retirement from service w.e.f 01-10-2020 which was forwarded to the Joint Director Fisheries, Projects, Kashmir Division Srinagar vide letter No. CPO/NFSF/M/20/567-68 dated 15.10.2020 by the Sr. Project Officer, NFSF, Manasbal.
- (ii) Whereas, the official without waiting for necessary sanction of voluntarily retirement from the competent authority, remained absent from the duties w.e.f. 01-10-2020 to 27-02-2022.
- (iii) Whereas, CPO Manasbal vide letter No. CPO/NFSF/M/21/311-13 dated 13.07.2021 approached the Office of Accountant General for title verification before proceeding further in the case.
- (iv) Whereas, in reference to letter No. CPO/NFSF/M/21/311-13 dated 13.07.2021 Sr. Accounts Officer, Office of Accountant General, Srinagar vide letter No. PNR-2/S-3/21-22/VR/1010 dated 04-08-2021 informed that the official had applied for Voluntary retirement w.e.f. 01.10.2020 but the service book has been submitted to A.G's office on 13.01.2021, i.e., after the gap of more than 9 months for title verification under **ARTICLE-230 OF J&K CSR VOL-I**, and informed that at this stage, this office cannot verify the title for voluntary retirement on the grounds of late submission. Moreover, returned the said Service Book for late submission of same to the A.G.s office and asked to send the case through pension sanctioning authority for authorization of pension and copy of sanction for accepting voluntary

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retirement of the Government servant, if he has been allowed to proceed voluntary retirement.

- (v) Whereas, the VRS of the official was not entertained in the year 2020 as the official was not having requisite qualifying service of 20 years.
- (vi) Whereas, the competent authority has not issued any formal sanction for voluntary retirement of the official till date.
- (vii) Whereas, the official approached the Joint Director Fisheries (North) Kashmir along with medical certificate for resumption of his duties which was accepted and allowed by the officer. As a result, he has been performing the official duties w.e.f 28-02-2022 till date.
- (viii) Whereas, the salary of the official during his posting in the office of Joint Director Fisheries, North Kashmir Division w.e.f. 28-02-2022 to 17-12-2022 was not drawn due to non-settlement of his unauthorized absence period.
- (ix) Whereas, the official has already been allowed to join back the duties and he is performing the official duties w.e.f. 28-02-2022 till date.
- (x) Whereas, the absence case of Sh. Farooq Ahmad Janwari (Fisheries Guard) was placed before the Departmental Screening Committee constituted vide Order No. 277-Fisheries of 2024 dated 18-07-2024 for settlement.
- (xi) Whereas, the Departmental Screening committee vide Minutes of Meeting dated 17-10-2024 have reported that the committee examined the absence case of Sh. Farooq Ahmad Janwari (Fisheries Guard) and have recommended for declaration of absence period of the said official from 01-10-2020 to 27-02-2022 as Dies Non.

Now therefore, the Department while taking considerate view in the matter as per the recommendations of the screening committee in their minutes of meeting dated 17-10-2024 and keeping in view the circumstances of case, accords sanction to treat the un-authorized absence of Sh. Farooq Ahmad Janwari (Fisheries Guard) w.e.f 01-10-2020 to 27-02-2022 as "**Dies-non**" subject to the condition that the official shall furnish an undertaking, dully attested by 1st Class Magistrate affirming therein that he was neither involved in any criminal/ subversive activities nor he has

worked in any Government/ private organization during the absence period and no Departmental enquiry is pending against him.

Furthermore, the DDO concerned shall draw the salary of the official w.e.f 28-02-2022 to 17-12-2022 strictly under rules, for which attendance has been already given by Joint Director Fisheries North vide letter No. JDF/N/K/23/211-12 dated 17-04-2023 as the official has dully worked for the said period.

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Director Fisheries J&K

Dated: 31-10-2024

No: DOF-Estb/108/2021-05/

Copy to the:

1. Joint Director Fisheries Jammu/Kashmir (All), for information.
2. Members of the Screening committee for information.
3. Private Secretary to the Principal Secretary to the Government, Agriculture Production Department, Civil Secretariat Srinagar/ Jammu for information of worthy Principal Secretary.
4. Administrative Officer, Fisheries Department Jammu/Srinagar for information.
5. Accounts Officer, Fisheries Department for information and necessary action.
6. Assistant Director Fisheries District Bandipora for information and further necessary action with the instructions to make necessary entries in the service records of the official.
7. Order file