



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

**Subject: Treating of Mr.Shahzad Mehmood Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil)
Diploma holder as JE (Civil) Degree holder.**

Government Order No. **06**-PW(R&B) of 2021

D a t e d : **05**.01. 2021

Whereas, as per provisions of J&K Engineering (Subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules, 1997, a Junior Engineer, 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, R&B Jammu vide letter No.CEJ/ Estab./ 1498-1500 dated 27.09.2019 has forwarded the case of Mr.Shahzad Mehmood Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil) who has acquired Degree in Civil Engineering from Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University, Rajouri for treating him as JE Degree Holder and inclusion/ fixation in the seniority list of JE (Civil) Degree holders; and

Whereas, the case was examined in this department and found that he has been appointed as JE Civil on the basis of diploma vide Government Order No.52-PW(R&B) of 2012 dated 31.01.2012 and acquired B.E Degree in Civil Engineering as per following detail:-

Name of the official	Date of appointment	Name of University	Date of passing Degree	Permission for higher studies
Mr.Shahzad Mehmood Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil)	31.01.2012	Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University, Rajouri	06.07.2019	By Administrative Department

Whereas, the degree/ marks certifies of the said JE were forwarded to the concerned University for verification and in response the Controller of Examination, Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University Rajouri vide No.BGSBU/ CoE/ 2020/82 dated 09.01.2020 has confirmed/ furnished verification/ authentication of Degree/ marks certificates of the incumbent; and

Whereas, the above named JE has also produced an undertaking in shape of affidavit duly attested by 1st Class Magistrate, affirming therein that in case any information about his degree/ certificate is found bogus at any time in his service, his degree shall deemed to be cancelled ab-initio and action as warranted under rules shall be initiated against in light of J&K Civil Service Services Classification Control & Appeal Rules, 1956.

Whereas the case was examined in the Department and a notice was issued/ published in newspaper "Kashmir Times", inviting therein objection/s from the members of the cadre who are likely to be affected by acceptance of his degree and inclusion of his name in the seniority list of JE (Civil) Degree Holders in response to which no objection has been received by the department.

Whereas, the Finance Department has issued circular instructions vide endorsement No.A/HACM (2012)-PMO-49 dated 01.02.2019 clarifying therein that the advance increments to 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 as Diploma holder; and

Whereas, the case has been re-examine in the department and it has been decided to treat Mr.Shahzad Mehmood Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil) (Diploma holder) as JE Degree holder and also inclusion of his name at appropriate place in the seniority list of Junior Engineer (Civil) Degree Holders issued vide Government Order No.460-PW(R&B) of 2019 dated 22.10.2019.

Now, therefore, Mr.Shahzad Mehmood Dar, Junior Engineer (Civil) (Diploma holder) shall henceforth be treated as Junior Engineer (Civil) Degree holder and also inclusion of his name at appropriate place in the seniority list of Junior Engineer (Civil) Degree Holders as and when the same is notified afresh. However, the pay of the official shall be regulated as per circular instructions issue by the Finance Department under endorsement No.A/HACM (2012)-PMO-49 dated 01.02.2019.

By order of the Government of Jammu & Kashmir.

Sd/-
(Shailendra Kumar) IAS
Principal Secretary to the Government

Dated: 05.01.2021

No.PW(R&B)/ HRM/ 33/ 2019

Copy to the:-

1. Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor.
2. Joint Secretary (J&K), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
3. Director, Archives, Archaeology & Museum, J&K, Jammu.
4. Development Commissioner Works, PW(R&B) Department.
5. Chief Engineers, PW(R&B) Department, Jammu.
6. OSD to Hon'ble Advisor (B) for information of Hon'ble Advisor.
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