Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Home Department
Civil Secretariat, Jammu

Subject:-- Determination of date of birth of ASI Balbir Singh PID No. EXJ-845508


**Government Order No. 79 --Home (P) of 2020**

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Whereas, the Director General of Police, J&K vide above referred communication recommended the case of ASI Balbir Singh PID No. EXJ-845508 for adoption of his date of birth as 23.12.1964, instead of 23.12.1959, recorded in his character roll;

2. Whereas, on examination it has been found that Shri Balbir Singh came to be initially appointed as Constable in the year 1984 and during the preparation of his Character Roll his date of birth was recorded as 23.12.1959 in digits and as “Twenty third December nineteen hundred fifty nine only” in words on the 1st page of his Character Roll;

3. Whereas, the official produced his date of birth certificate issued by the Jammu & Kashmir State Board of School Education wherein his date of birth is indicated as 23.12.1964 (Twenty three December Nineteen Hundred and Sixty Four) verified/communicated in 2008 by Jammu & Kashmir State Board of School Education and the official requested for necessary correction of his date of birth.

4. Whereas, upon further examination of the case in light Rule 35-AA (C) of J&K Civil Services Regulations Volume-I, it is manifestly clear that there is no mutilation or overwriting in the recorded entry of date of birth on the 1st page of character roll of the official. Further, the official has failed to represent the concerned for alteration of his date of birth within the stipulated time, as such, his claim cannot be considered at such a belated stage i.e 24 years after joining service.

5. Whereas, during the scrutiny of his Character Roll, it is noted that the then Superintendent of Police, District Poonch on the basis of verification certificate issued by the Jammu & Kashmir State Board of School Education, Jammu has without any authority in law,
effected an entry on the 1st page of Character Roll of the official and mentioned the date of birth of the official as 23.12.1964. It is observed that the officer exercised the powers not vested in him by law, as he was not competent to do so in terms of relevant provisions of J&K Civil Services Regulations, Volume-I.

6. Now, therefore, in terms of Rule 35 AA (C) of J&K Civil Services Regulations Volume-I, the claim of the official for adoption of his date of birth as 23.12.1964, instead of 23.12.1959, as recorded at the time of preparation of his Character Roll, is found devoid of any merit and hence rejected. The date of birth of the official is hereby adopted as 23.12.1959, as already recorded in his character roll and he shall be deemed to have retired on attaining the age of superannuation on 31.12.2019. Further, the subsequent entry made by the Superintendent of Police, Poonch in the Character roll of the official indicating his Date of Birth as 23.12.1964 on the basis of verification report of the Jammu & Kashmir State Board of School Education, Jammu is treated as null and void. PHQ, J&K shall issue necessary notification to this effect immediately, if not already issued and the recovery shall be effected on account of excess pay drawn, if any, by the official from his pensionary benefits and loss to the Govt. exchequer may be made good without fail.


Sd/-

(Shaleen Kabra) IAS
Principal Secretary to the Government

No: Home/PB-III/DOB/41/2019

Dated: 12.03.2020

Copy to:-

1. Director General of Police, J&K, Jammu. The original Character Roll/Date of Birth Certificate of ASI Balbir Singh PID EXJ-845508 is returned herewith.
2. Principal Accountant General, J&K, Srinagar.
3. Director, Archives, Archaeology and Museums, J&K, Srinagar.
4. FA/CAO, Home Department.
5. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to the Government, Home Department.
6. Incharge Website, Home Department.

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