Government of Jammu & Kashmir Directorate of School Education Kashmir

Subject:- Temporary arrangement in the J&K School Education (subordinate) Service.

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ORDER NO <u>72</u> DSEK of 2023

Dated <u>03</u> / <u>03</u> /2023

- 1. Whereas, out of the total sanctioned strength of 24 Posts of Section Officers of School Education Department (Kashmir Division), 11 posts are presently vacant; and
- 2. Whereas, two Section Officers of this office are attaining superannuation on 31/03/2023; thus two more posts of Section Officers will be available on 01/04/2023; and
- 3. Whereas, in the Clerical hierarchy section officer holds the pivotal position and non availability of incumbents hamper smooth functioning of this directorate when important posts of Personnel Officer, Joint Director (EE) and Joint Director SSA are also vacant; and
- 4. Whereas, the candidates having three years of service as Head Assistant are eligible for promotion as Section officer in terms of J&K School Education (subordinate) Service Recruitment Rules -2008; and
- 5. Whereas, inter alia following four (04) senior most Head Assistants working in department shall complete their three years of service as Head Assistant within next eight months to become eligible for promotion as section officers; and

S. No	District	Name
1	Bandipora	Mr. Habibullah Lone
2	Srinagar	Mr. Malik Mohammad Farooq
3	Srinagar	Mr. Zahoor Ahmad Sheikh
4	Srinagar	Mr. Mohd Ayoub Dar

6. Whereas, Article 86 (2) of J&K CSR allows to discharge duties of a post /office by a Government servant to simply carry out its routine functions considering the administrative exigencies and asking an officer to merely discharge the duties of a high post cannot be treated as promotion and in such a case does not get salary of the higher post.

As such, considering the current Administrative exigencies in the office, the interim arrangement of allowing the above Head Assistants (though not eligible by Recruitment Rules) to look after the routine functions the post of section officers is hereby granted.

The above arrangement is made purely in the interest of administrative exigency on temporary basis and shall not confer an preferential right upon above Head Assistants for promotion as Section Officers till they acquire the eligibility and their placement against higher post is considered by the DPC and shall be subject to the outcome of writ petition(s) if any, pending before competent Hon'ble Court of law.

Director
School Education Kashmir
Dated: <u>03 / 03</u> /2023

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1. Principal Secretary to Government, School Education Department Civil Secretariat Srinagar for information.

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