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Subject:-T.A./3516/2020 titled Meera Rani Vs State of J&K  
& Ors.

**ORDER**

**Whereas**, the petitioner/applicant in the above titled case has sought directions to quash the candidature of the respondent No. 5 for selection and appointment against the post of Jr. Lab Assistant in terms of Advertisement Notice No. 6 of 2013, dated 10-05-2013 and further to command and direct the respondents to select and recommend the petitioner for appointment as Jr. Lab Assistant alongwith all consequential benefits.

**And whereas**, the Hon'ble Central Administrative Tribunal, Jammu Bench has disposed of the case, on 11-08-2021, with the judgment/order whose operative portion reads as under:-

*"Accordingly, in view of the submission of the parties, we dispose of the T.A. with direction to the competent authority amongst the respondents to consider the case of the applicant as well as Respondent No. 5 for appointment to the post of Junior Lab Technician on the basis of advertisement notice no. 6 of 2013 dated 10.05.2013 as per rules and regulations and take a decision by passing a reasoned and speaking order within a period of two months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this order."*

**And whereas**, as apparent on the face of record in this office, the Service Selection Board, vide letter No:-SSB/Secy/Sel/2015/13602-08, dated 30-11-2015 has forwarded the select list of candidates for the post of Jr. Lab Technician of various Districts to the Administrative Department, who in

turn, forwarded it to this Directorate under letter No:- HD/NG/381/2015, dated 11-02-2016 to issue formal appointment orders in favour of the selected candidates.

**And whereas,** in respect of District cadre Jammu, it has been mentioned in the letter of Service Selection Board, dated 30-11-2015, that the Services Selection board received indent/requisition from Health Department, the breakup of posts shown against each indent is against Indent No. HD/NG/221/2012, dated 24-04-2013 board advertised 19 posts (OM=11, RBA=03, SC=02, ST=02, ALC=01) of Jr. Lab. Technician **District Cadre Jammu**, in pursuance to the advertisement notification no 6 of 2013 (item No. 462). However 03 posts under RBA category, 02 posts under ST Category remained unfilled due to non-availability of eligible candidates under the said category.

**And whereas,** as per the select list of Jr. Lab Technician for District Cadre Jammu, eleven candidates were selected under open merit category and out of these eleven candidates the recommendations of eight candidates i.e. in respect of S.No.2,4,5,6,7,8,9,10 was kept withheld and the applicant/petitioner, Smt Meera Rani D/O Som Dut R/O Jagti Jammu was figuring at S.No. 1 in the waiting list under open merit.

**And whereas,** accordingly appointment orders in respect of three selected candidates under open merit i.e. S.No.1, 3 & 11 were issued by this office and they joined at their places of posting.

**And whereas,** subsequently the withheld recommendations of all the candidates under open merit, except S.No. 7 (respondent No.5), were released by the Service Selection Board and they have also been issued the appointment orders and have joined at their places of posting. The recommendations of S.No 7 (respondent No.5) which were kept withheld by the SSB for want of certain clarification has *not been released till date.*

**And whereas,** the appointment order in favour of the petitioner/applicant, Smt. Meera Rani D/O Som Dut R/O Jagti Jammu, figuring at S.No. 1 in the waiting list could have been issued only in the eventuality of non-joining of any candidate in the main select list. However, no drop out vacancy existed in the department, in reference to select list issued by the SSB, as such the petitioner/applicant was not issued appointment order.

**And whereas,** further, as apparent on the face of record in this office, Services Selection Board has not taken any decision on the withheld recommendations of S.No 7 (respondent No. 5) in the select list under open merit till date.

**Now, therefore,** the case of the applicant as well as Respondent No. 5 for appointment to the post of Junior Lab Technician on the basis of advertisement notice no. 6 of 2013 dated 10.05.2013 has been accorded consideration and found devoid of merit in view of the above stated factual position, hence rejected.

Sd/-

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1. Secretary to Government, Health and Medical Education Department, Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar for information.
2. I/C Official website, DHS, Jammu to upload the order.
3. Concerned establishment section.
4. Meera Rani D/O Sh. Som Dutt R/O Village Jagti Tehsil Nagrota District Jammu for information.
5. Office website HEB Section

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