

TO BE SUBSTITUTED BEARING SAME NUMBER DATED 24.05.2023



No.SO(Estt)10-345/2010
GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
31-Sher Shah Block New Garden Town, Lahore

Dated Lahore, the 07th June, 2023.

To

Sayyeda Sanya Arshad Kazmi,
SSET (HI Field/BS-17),
Formerly posted at Govt. Special Education Centre,
Phalia District Mandi Bahaud Din.

R/o

Street No.9, Azizabad Colony, Tehsil Phalia, District M.B. Din.

Subject:

SHOW CAUSE-CUM-PERSONAL HEARING NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(4) OF THE PUNJAB EMPLOYEES, EFFICIENCY, DISCIPLINE AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT, 2006.

I am directed to refer to subject noted above and to state that disciplinary proceedings were initiated against you by the Competent Authority / Secretary Special Education Department under Section 5 read with Section 9 of the Punjab Employees, Efficiency, Discipline and Accountability Act, 2006 ('Act') vide order dated 13.01.2023 and remanded inquiry order dated 04.04.2023 on the following charges of misconduct, inefficiency and corruption by appointing **Ms. Misbah Kausar**, Headmistress (BS-18), Govt. Special Education Centre, Kharian District Gujrat as Inquiry Officer:

- i. An amount of Rs. 2,04,500/- was withdrawn by Ms. Sania Tajamal (**Ms. Sayyeda Sanya Arshad Kazmi**) from Government ex-chequer against the purchase of MH75 Audionic Speaker with MIC & 21" LCD, Pedestal Fan, Water Dispenser, Photocopier Machine, 02 Nos. Steel Almirahs and 01 No. Vehicle Tyre No. 07-50-16, but the said items were not available physically.
- ii. The staff members verified that Ms. Sania Tajamal (**Ms. Sayyeda Sanya Arshad Kazmi**) misbehaves with them and the complainant.
- iii. An amount of Rs. 8,64,100/- was withdrawn by Ms. Sania Tajamal (**Ms. Sayyeda Sanya Arshad Kazmi**) from Government ex-chequer against the Head of Account A13001-Repair of Transport but the work of only Rs. 1,81,100/- was actually done. She embezzled the funds amounting to Rs. 6,83,000/- against the repair of transport.

2. The Inquiry Officer has submitted remanded inquiry report to this department on 15.05.2023 (**copy of Inquiry Report is attached**). The Inquiry Officer has observed that charges stand proved against you, therefore, recommended following penalties:

- i. Minor penalty "withholding of annual increments for period of three years"
- ii. Major penalty "recovery of amounting to Rs.714,160/-"

3. In exercise of the powers conferred upon her being Competent Authority, under Section 13 (4) of the PEEDA Act, 2006, Secretary, Special Education Department has been pleased to call upon you to Show Cause within seven (**07**) days of the receipt of this notice as to why one or more penalties under Section 4 of the PEEDA Act, 2006 may not be imposed upon you. You are allowed to submit additional defence in writing, if any.

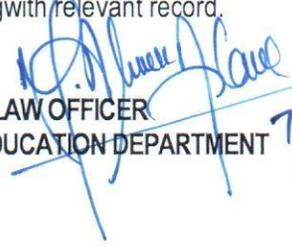

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4. In view of above, I am further directed to inform you that in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the Act *ibid*, Secretary Special Education has decided to afford you an opportunity of personal hearing and has appointed **Additional Secretary, Special Education Department** as Hearing Officer under Section 13(4)(c) of the Act *ibid* for said purpose. Therefore, you are directed to appear before the **Additional Secretary, Special Education Department / Hearing Officer** on 15.06.2023 at 02:30PM in her office chamber at 31-Sher Shah Block, New Garden Town, Lahore for this purpose. If you fail to avail this opportunity, the case shall be decided *ex-parte*.

ISSUED BY THE ORDER OF
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY
SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT /
HEARING OFFICER

CC.

1. **Ms. Khadija tull Kubra**, Additional Secretary, Special Education Department / Hearing Officer.
2. The Headmaster, Govt. Special Education Centre, Phalia District Mandi Bahauddin **with the direction to ensure delivery of this notice to the accused officer at her residential address through special messenger.**
3. PS to Secretary, Special Education Department.
4. Mr. Farhan Rasul, SSET (HI Field/BS-17) / Incharge Principal, Govt. Secondary School of Special Education for Hearing Impaired (Boys), Gujrat / **Departmental Representative** to ensure delivery of this notice to the accused officer and also to attend the hearing on the date fixed for personal hearing alongwith relevant record.


LAW OFFICER
SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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