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**GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB  
SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**  
31-Sher Shah Block New Garden Town, Lahore

**ORDER**

**No.SO(Estt)36-38/2011. WHEREAS, Saima Gulnaz**, Junior Special Education Teacher (BS-16/MC Field) & **Amina Ghafoor**, Junior Special Education Teacher (BS-16/VI Field), previously posted at Government Special Education Centre, Qila Dedar Singh, Gujranwala presently reported to department filed appeals against order dated 11.06.2024 passed by the **Secretary Special Education Department / Competent Authority**, whereby penalties of "*forfeiture of past service for a period of 3 years*" & "*withholding of increments for a period of two years*" were imposed upon both the appellants under the **PEEDA Act 2006**.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, comments were obtained from the Administrative Department. **Mr. Zubair Waheed**, Member-II (Inquiries), S&GAD was appointed as Hearing Officer to afford personal hearing to the appellants and submit a detailed report to arrive at a definitive decision.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the Member-II (Inquiries), S&GAD submitted hearing report mentioning therein that the appellants were called for personal hearing on 20.09.2024. Only Amina Ghafoor attended the proceedings and submitted written statement to the effect that they have filed Service Appeals in the Punjab Service Tribunal, Lahore against the impugned order dated 11.06.2024, therefore, their cases may now be decided by the said forum.

4. **NOW THEREFORE**, under the circumstances, I, **Zahid Akhtar Zaman**, Chief Secretary, Punjab, do hereby **dispose of** the appeals of **Saima Gulnaz & Amina Ghafoor**, given the fact that they have exercised the option of filing their appeals before the PST in terms of Section 19 of the PEEDA Act, 2006. As such, the appeals pending before the undersigned stand abated in terms of Section 19(3) of the Act *ibid* and this office has no jurisdiction to pass any order at this stage.

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**(ZAHID AKHTAR ZAMAN)**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY, PUNJAB**

Dated: Lahore the 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 2024

**No. & Date Even.**

A copy is forwarded to the:

1. Accountant General, Punjab, Lahore.
2. Director General, Directorate General of Special Education, Punjab, Lahore.
3. Deputy Secretary (Service Matters) to Chief Secretary, Punjab w.r. to Note dated 16.10.2024.
4. District Education Officer (Special Education), Gujranwala to ensure delivery of this order to the appellants under intimation to this department.

5. Headmaster / Headmistress, Government Special Education Centre, Qila Dedar Singh, Gujranwala to ensure delivery of this order to the appellants under intimation to this department.
6. Appellants concerned / **Ms. Saima Gulnaz**, Junior Special Education Teacher (BS-16/MC Field) & **Ms. Amina Ghafoor**, Junior Special Education Teacher (BS-16/VI Field), previously posted at Government Special Education Centre, Qila Dedar Singh, Gujranwala presently reported to department.
7. PS to Secretary Special Education Department.



**SECTION OFFICER (ESTT.)  
SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**