

**ORDER SHEET
IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH, KARACHI
C.P. No.D- 4108 of 2013**

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Present

Mr. Justice Muhammad Ali Mazhar

Mr. Justice Abdul Ghani Soomro

Sheikh Aqeel Ahmed Petitioner

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The Federation of Pakistan & others..... Respondents

Date of hearing 20.09.2016

Petitioner is present in person.

Shaikh Liaqat Hussain Standing Counsel.

Abdul Haleem Asghar, Secretary, Pakistan Council of Scientific and Industrial Research a/w Javed Iqbal Principal Admin Officer, Karachi, M. Aslam Khan Abbasi, Admin Officer, Karachi and Zahid Akhtar Assistant/Incharge E-II Branch, Karachi.

Muhammad Ali Mazhar, J: Petitioner has approached to this court that directions be issued to the Respondents for his promotion with back benefits keeping in view his long unblemished services record and letters of appreciation issued by the higher authorities. He has also prayed for directions against the Respondent No.3 to expunge adverse remarks from 2009 ACR.

2. On last date of hearing, learned Standing Counsel requested for time to call Secretary, P.C.S.I.R. Today, Abdul Haleem Asghar, Secretary, P.C.S.I.R is present along with Javed Iqbal Principal Admin Officer, Karachi, M. Aslam Khan

Abbasi, Admin Officer, Karachi and Zahid Akhtar Assistant/Incharge E-II Branch, Karachi. The Secretary, P.C.S.I.R clearly stated that the name of petitioner is in the seniority list at Sr. No.5 updated in the year 2012. He further submits that next promotion of the petitioner is due to the post of Superintendent B.S-16 (now upgraded in B.S-17). Four posts of Superintendent are available on which D.P.C will be convened and the name of the petitioner will also be considered in the D.P.C for promotion to the post of Superintendent B.S17. The Secretary clearly stated that D.P.C will be convened within three months after complying with all requisite formalities. He further submits that in the next D.P.C only three years A.C.R will be considered for next promotion.

3. Since the Secretary has clearly stated that only the A.C.R of last three years will be considered, therefore, prayer clause made by the petitioner for expunging the remarks given in the A.C.R of 2009 has become redundant. Petition is disposed of along with pending applications with the directions to the Respondent No. 2 & 3 to convene the DPC for promotion within three months and consider the case of the petitioner and other eligible persons in accordance with the rules in a transparent manner.

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