

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PAKISTAN**  
(Appellate Jurisdiction)

**PRESENT:**

Mr. Justice Syed Mansoor Ali Shah  
Mrs. Justice Ayesha A. Malik

**CPLA NO.313-L OF 2020**

Safdar Iqbal

...Petitioner(s)

Versus

DPO Jhelum, etc.

...Respondent(s)

For the Petitioner(s) : Malik Saleem Iqbal Awan, ASC

For the Respondent(s) : N.R

Date of Hearing : 16.07.2025

**ORDER**

Submits that the petitioner was absent from duty for six days and initially penalty of compulsory retirement was imposed which was later on reduced to forfeiture of service for one year by the Tribunal. However, he further points out that he was compulsorily retired from service on 27.03.2015 and reinstated vide the impugned judgment on 12.12.2019 and for this period he seeks back benefits and places reliance on *Tahir Kazmi Case*.<sup>1</sup> Issue notice to the respondents.

Islamabad  
16.07.2025  
'NOT APPROVED FOR REPORTING'  
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<sup>1</sup> Tahir Kazmi and another v. Inspector General of Police (CPLA Nos.3453-L of 2019 and 23-L of 2022), Judgment dated 14.05.2025 (*Tahir Kazmi Case*).