

From,  
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To,  
The Registrar General,  
Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at  
Allahabad.

Through: The Director,  
Personnel Management and Administration  
Uttar Pradesh Power Corporation Ltd.,  
Lucknow.

**Sub.: Representation against comments made by District Judge sr. M.A.H. Idrisi in column 01 (h) of ACR of 2019-20 regarding lack of control over subordinate staff.**

Sir,

In above mentioned matter, most humbly I have to submit that -

1. I was given charge of DDO by the District Judge of Unnao judgeship Sri M.A.H. Idrisi by office order dated 06.02.2020. After taking charge of DDO of Unnao Judgeship, I completed the necessary formalities for digital signature and dongle to perform duties of DDO. Meanwhile I went on earned leave from 14-02-2020 to 26.02.2020 on the account of death of my mother on 14.02.2020. After joining the office on 27.02.2020 I have performed all my duties with full sincerity and dedication and disposed of all the matter which has been brought before me.
2. The District Judge of Unnao judgeship in his remark referred two different matters which in his opinion exhibit lack of control over subordinate staff on my part. One is pertaining to non payment of salary of Class IV employee for the month of November, December 2019 and the second one is pertaining to non payment of salary to Smt. Poonam Trivedi, Addl. District Judge for the month of November, December, 2019 and January, 2020.
3. It is humbly submitted in this regard that both matters had been pending prior to my joining in the office as DDO. In such situation only my predecessor can explain the condition and circumstances under which salary of Class IV employee and of Smt. Poonam Trivedi could not have been disbursed in the above mentioned period.
4. In the matter of non payment of salary to some class IV employee, most respectfully ,I have to submit that, all the employee of class IV cadre, who could not got their salary, were newly recruited and before disbursing salary to them some necessary formalities at the end of treasury and bill section had to be done. After taking over charge as DDO, I completed all such necessary formalities diligently and by adhering to rules and procedure with the assistance of staff of Bill section. They were paid salary immediately as soon all these formalities got completed, and under my signature itself. There is no negligence on my part or on part of staff of bill section in this matter after taking of charge as DDO by me. The remark given by District judge has no reasonable ground and is based on conjuncture and surmises.
5. In the matter of disbursing of salary to Smt. Poonam Trivedi, Addl. District Judge, Unnao, for above mentioned period, it is most humbly submitted that as soon as the matter came into my knowledge in the month of March, I immediately enquired from Bill Clerk and Administrative office of Judgeship, as to under what

circumstances the salary of Smt. Trivedi is not being paid. I was informed that Smt. Trivedi had mentioned wrong DDO Code in her Salary Drawing Form and due to that reason her bill was not got cleared by Treasury, Unnao. I immediately wrote a letter to Treasury, Unnao to correct the DDO Code, mentioning her right DDO Code, so that her salary bill is cleared from Treasury of Unnao District. After getting necessary rectification done on the part of Treasury, her salary Bill for the month of February and March, 2020 got cleared. As far as the salary for the month of November, December, 2019 and January, 2020 is concerned, I immediately cleared her bill after receiving an order from District Judge, Unnao to this effect in the month of April 2020.

6. I beg to say that, both matters were well within knowledge of District Judge, Unnao but no instruction in this regard issued by him which could have enabled me to take necessary action in this issue. Apart from that even Smt. Poonam Trivedi has never given me any application in this regard, mentioning therein non availing of salary for any month. She had given her application to District Judge in the month of April 2020, on which I immediately passed order to disburse salary for the above mentioned month, after getting mistakes rectified from concerned authority. In both the matters salaries were provided to them by me and under my signature.

7. Most respectfully it is to submitted that the District Judge, Unnao has surrendered the budget despite having knowledge of non payment of salary to Class IV employees and Smt. Poonam Trivedi. He never asked me about any pendency or call for any report in this regard before surrendering of Budget. Surrendering of Budget was the decision of District judge Unnao, itself. District judge Unnao has given instruction to me in the month of April itself and I acted on it diligently. More so, the above mentioned matters had been pending long before, when I took the charge of DDO in the month of February and resumed my duty as DDO from 27-02-2020 after availing Earned leave. No effort has been made by the previous officer/ authority or my predecessor, to get the matter resolved, even though the matter had been pending since long. I resolved all the matter as soon as it came into my knowledge and paid salary to class IV employee and Smt. Poonam Trivedi.

8. It is most humbly requested that I have worked diligently and swiftly in these matters with the assistance of staff of Bill section. There was no delay or negligence on my part in the matter of payment of salary. Whatever delay, if it appears to be, as mentioned by District Judge in his remark, was result of legacy, which I succeeded as DDO, and which only can be explained by predecessor DDO.

9. It therefore most humbly prayed that your goodself may kindly place this representation of mine before the then Administrative Judge of Unnao Judgship his/ her lordship kind consideration. It is further prayed that the Hon'ble court may be pleased to kindly consider this representation of mine and expunge the aforesaid remark as recorded by the then learned District Judge of Unnao Judgship. I shall remain highly grateful to the honourable court for this grace through out my life.

With profound regard,

Yours faithfully,

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