SENATE OF PAKISTAN HOUSE OF THE FEDERATION

REPORT NO. 11



REPORT OF THE SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON CABINET SECRETARIAT

On

The Service Tribunals (Amendment) Bill, 2021 introduced by Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi in the Senate Sitting held on 1st February, 2021 and stood referred to Standing Committee on Cabinet Secretariat for consideration and report.

PRESENTED BY

SENATOR MUHAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD

CHAIRMAN SSC ON CABINET SECRETARIAT

SENATE SECRETARIAT

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITEE ON CABINET SECRETARIAT

I, Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood, Chairman Senate Standing Committee on Cabinet have the honour to present the Report of the Committee on "The Service Tribunals (Amendment) Bill, 2021 introduced by Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi in the Senate Sitting held on 1st February, 2021". The House in its Sitting held on 1st February, 2021 referred the matter to the Committee for consideration and report.

2. The Committee comprises of the following honourable members :--

| 1. | Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood | Chairman |
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| 2. | Senator Seemee Ezdi | Member |
| 3. | Senator Naseebullah Bazai | Member |
| 4. | Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi | Member |
| 5. | Senator Mushahid Ullah Khan | Member |
| 6. | Senator Najma Hameed | Member |
| 7. | Senator Dr. Asad Ashraf | Member |
| 8. | Senator Rubina Khalid | Member |
| - | Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar | Member |
| |). Senator Anwar Lal Deen | Member |
| | . Senator Mushtaq Ahmed | Member |
| | 2. Senator Musikay Amilea 2. Senator Samina Saeed | Member |
| | B. Senator Muzafar Hussain Shah | Member |
| | I. Minister In-Charge Cabinet Division | Ex-Officio Member |

3. The Committee considered the Bill in its meeting held on 11TH February, 2021 at 2:00 pm in Committee Room No.1, Parliament House, Islamabad. The meeting was attended by the following members:-

| 11 | Senator Muhammad Talha Mahmood | Chairman |
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| | Senator Muhammad Javed Abbasi | Member/Mover |
| | Senator Naseebullah Khan Bazai | Member |
| | Senator Najma Hameed | Member |
| | Senator Dr. Ashok Kumar | Member |
| | Senator Seemee Ezdi | Member |
| | Senator Samina Saeed | Member |
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8) Mr. Ali Muhammad Khan Minister-In-Charge Cabine

4. Senator Javed Abbasi briefed the committee about the Bill which aimed to remove the bar on those Civil Servants from filing departmental representation who have not been

considered for promotion or denied promotion to next higher grade or scale. The Special Secretary Establishment said that they expressed their point of view on the earlier amendment, if that Amendment is passed by the committee, then the Service Tribunal (Amendment) Bill be passed. After detailed discussion the Committee decided to put the Bill to vote, whereupon the Bill was unanimously passed by the committee as introduced in the House. The committee approved presentation of the Report in the House.

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Secretary Committee

SENATOR MUMAMMAD TALHA MAHMOOD

Chairman Committee

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Bill

further to amend the Service Tribunals Act, 1973

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Service Tribunals Act, 1973 (LXX of 1973), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

- 1. Short title and commencement. (1) This Act shall be called the Service Tribunals (Amendment) Act, 2021.
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
- 2. Amendment of section 4, Act LXX of 1973. In the Service Tribunals Act, 1973 (LXX of 1973), in section 4, in sub-section (1), in the proviso, in paragraph (b), the words "or to be promoted to a higher grade" shall be omitted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The amendment is consequential upon a Bill seeking similar amendment in section 22 of the Civil Servants Act, 1973 which aims to remove the bar on those Civil Servants from filing departmental representation who have not been considered for promotion or denied promotion to next higher grade or scale.

SENATOR MUHAMMAD JAVED ABBASI Member-in-Charge