

HIMACHAL PRADESH STATE ELECTRICITY BOARD LIMITED <i>(A State Govt. undertaking)</i>	
	
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ORDER

WHEREAS, the petitioner namely Sh. Maninder Kumar S/o Sh. Tikkam Ram, R/O Village Saraji Behad, P.O. Behekhali, Tehsil Kullu Distt. Kullu HP presently serving as Junior Engineer (Elect.) at Elect. Sub-Divn. HPSEBL, Udaipur under Elect. Divn. HPSEBL, Keylong has filed a CWP No. 11218 of 2025 before the Hon'ble High Court of HP at Shimla claiming therein the following reliefs:-

1. That a writ in the nature of Mandamus may be issued and thereby directing the respondents to transfer the petitioner from Elect. Sub-Divn. HPSEBL, Udaipur, Divn. Keylong (Lahaul & Spiti) H.P. (Tribal Area) to soft area on stations of choice as mentioned in the presentation (Annexure-P/2) as well as mentioned in para 6 of petition immediately in a time bound manner in the interest of justice and fair play.
2. That the respondents may kindly be directed to transfer the petitioner from Tribal Area to soft area immediately and consequently relieve the petitioner from Tribal Area without insisting the condition of reliever.
3. That the present Civil Writ Petition may kindly be allowed with cost.
4. That any other order which this Hon'ble Court may deem fit just and proper in the facts and circumstances of the case may also be passed in favour of the petitioner and against the respondents.

AND WHEREAS, the aforesaid CWP came up for hearing before the Hon'ble High Court of HP at Shimla on 14.07.2025 and the same was disposed of by the Hon'ble High Court of HP with the following directions:-

“Looking to the limited grievance of the petitioner, this writ petition is disposed of by directing the respondents/competent authority to consider and decide the aforesaid representation of the petitioner, in accordance with law and applicable transfer policy, within a period of three weeks from today. The order so passed be also communicated to the petitioner. Pending miscellaneous application(s) if any, shall also stand disposed of.”

AND WHEREAS the undersigned is under directions to consider and decide the representation of the petitioner. As such keeping in view the averments made by the petitioner in his representations dated 13.06.2025 as well as the directions dated 14.07.2025 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of HP in CWP No-11218 of 2025, the undersigned proceeds to decide the representation of the Petitioner as follows :-

1. It is asserted by the petitioner that he has been posted as a Junior Engineer (Elect.) at the Elect. Sub-Divn. Udaipur, under Elect. Divn. HPSEBL Keylong, since 13.5.2022, and has now completed the normal tenure in a hard / Tribal area including two winters and three summers. It is further asserted by the petitioner that he may be adjusted / posted in the following stations of his choice as follow:-

- a. Elect. Sub-Divn. Kullu-I under Elect. Divn. Kullu.
- b. Elect. Sub-Divn. Kullu-II under Elect. Divn. Kullu.
- c. Elect. Sub-Divn. Katrain under Elect. Divn. Manali.
- d. Elect. Sub-Divn. Bhunter under Elect. Divn. Kullu.
- e. Elect. Sub-Divn. Nagwain under Elect. Divn. Thalout.

2. The representative of the concerned administrative section is also heard and it was stated by him that the petitioner has completed his normal tenure of posting at his present place of posting i.e. three summers and two winters in tribal / hard area. As per the provisions of Clause No. 16.4 of the transfer policy a substitute is required to be posted at his place. It was further asserted by the representative of the concerned admin section that the petitioner can be transferred and adjusted at Elect. Sub-Divn. Katrain under Elect. Divn. Manali against Sh. Ravi Thakur, JE (Elect.) being a longer stayee who is serving there as J.E. (Elect.) since 07.02.2019 and has completed his normal tenure of posting & also not served in hard / tribal / difficult area.

Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case at hand, as well as the directions dated 14.07.2025 issued by the Hon'ble High Court of HP in CWP No. 11218 of 2025, the petitioner's request has been considered. Accordingly, he is ordered to be transferred from Elect. Sub-Division Udaipur under Elect. Divn. Keylong, to Elect. Sub-Divn. Katrain under Elect. Divn. Manali vice Sh. Ravi Thakur, J.E. (Elect.) being longer stayee who is serving there as J.E. (Elect.) since 7.02.2019 and has completed his normal tenure of posting & also not served in hard / tribal / difficult area.

Both the officials shall be entitled to TTA/JT as admissible under the Rules.

- NOTE: -**
1. **On joining the above named officials may not be posted at their Home Sub-Divn. as per instructions of HP Govt. and adopted by the HPSEB Ltd.**
 2. **The official be relieved as per Govt. Notification dated 4.9.2023 & further adopted by the Board vide endst. No. 43549-769 dated 13.9.2023 under intimation to this office.**

By order and on behalf of HPSEB Ltd.


**Under Secretary (TE),
HPSEBL, Vidyut Bhawan,
Shimla-4.**

(REGD.)

**Sh. Maninder Kumar, J.E (Elect.)
Elect. Sub-Divn. HPSEBL, Udaipur,
Under Elect. Divn. HPSEBL, Keylong
Distt. Lahul Spiti (H.P).**

No. HPSEBL (Sectt) / FT-1/ 4-4/Court-case /CWP-11218 /2025- 30159 - ⁶⁸ Dated:- 21-7-25
Copy of above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action please.

1. The Chief Engineer (OP) Mandi Zone, HPSEBL, Mandi.
2. The Chief Engineer (OP) Kangra Zone , HPSEBL, Dharamshala.
3. The Superintending Engineer (OP) Circle, HPSEBL, Kullu.
4. The Sr. Executive Engineer, Elect. Divn. HPSEBL, Keylong / Manali.
5. The Spl. Pvt. Secretary to M.D/Executive Director(Pers), HPSEBL, Shimla.
- ✓ 6. The S.E. IT of Board Sectt. To upload in Board Webiste.
7. Guard file.

**Under Secretary (TE),
HPSEBL, Vidyut Bhawan,
Shimla.**