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O R D E R

WHEREAS, Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel, AE(E) (DOB: 08.02.1984), is presently posted in the O/o RE, Bhaba Power House Division, Bhabanagar. He has filed a writ petition before the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla, bearing CWP No. 1092 of 2026, titled "Manmohan Singh Chandel Vs. State of H.P. & Ors."

The petitioner has, inter alia, prayed against the impugned action of the respondent-Board whereby his case was rejected vide order dated 19.11.2025, without taking into consideration the adverse family circumstances of the petitioner and his alleged inability to serve at the transferred place of posting.

The petitioner has accordingly sought appropriate relief from the Hon'ble High Court against the aforesaid order and the consequential action of the respondent-Board.

AND WHEREAS, Civil Writ Petition aforesaid came up for hearing before the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh at Shimla on 19.08.2026. On the said date, the Hon'ble Court was pleased to dispose of the petition with the following directions:

> "When this case was taken up for consideration today, learned Counsel for the petitioner submits that interest of justice would be served in case this petition is disposed of with the direction that the representation filed by the petitioner, which is appended with the rejoinder as Annexure R-1, be decided within a period of four weeks from today after giving an opportunity of being heard.
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> 2. While deciding the representation, the issues raised by the petitioner with regard to his aged parents etc. be taken into consideration."

Accordingly, the representation submitted by the petitioner and appended with the rejoinder as **Annexure R-1** is required to be considered and decided within the stipulated period, after affording an opportunity of being heard to the petitioner, while taking into consideration the issues raised by him, particularly those relating to his aged parents, as directed by the Hon'ble Court.

AND WHEREAS, petitioner was granted an opportunity of being heard on 28.09.2026 in compliance with the directions issued by the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh vide order dated 19.08.2026. The petitioner appeared for the hearing and submitted five stations of his choice for consideration of his request.

AND WHEREAS, Pursuant to the aforesaid directions, the representation submitted by Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel has been examined in the light of the relevant records, the prevailing transfer policy of HPSEBL, and the comments furnished by the concerned administrative authorities.

It is observed from the records that Er. Ankush Kumar Sharma (DOB: 10.01.1990), AE(Elect.), is presently posted in the O/o RE, Larji Power House Division, Thalout, and

has been serving at the said station w.e.f. 03.10.2023. He has completed the prescribed normal tenure at the station.

Accordingly, the request for adjustment of Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel against the post presently held by Er. Ankush Kumar Sharma has been examined and is found to be administratively feasible, subject to the applicable provisions of the prevailing transfer policy and approval of the competent authority.

NOW, THEREFORE, after careful examination of the representation submitted by Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel, AE(Elect.), the choices furnished by him, the directions contained in the order dated 19.08.2026 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh in CWP No. 1092 of 2026, and all other relevant facts and circumstances available on record, the matter has been considered by the competent authority. The competent authority, having duly considered the representation and the relevant records, has accorded approval to the following transfer arrangements:

1. Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel, AE(Elect.), is hereby transferred from the O/o RE, Bhaba Power House Division, Bhabanagar, to RE, Larji Power House Division, Thalout, against the post presently held by Er. Ankush Kumar Sharma, AE(Elect.), on **vice-versa basis**, with immediate effect.
2. Consequently, Er. Ankush Kumar Sharma, AE(Elect.), shall stand transferred from RE, Larji Power House Division, Thalout, to the O/o RE, Bhaba Power House Division, Bhabanagar, on **vice-versa basis**.
3. Both the officers shall be entitled to **TTA/JT**, as admissible under the applicable rules.
4. The representation submitted by Er. Manmohan Singh Chandel, AE(Elect.), accordingly stands disposed of in compliance with the directions of the Hon'ble High Court contained in its order dated 19.08.2026.

By order and on behalf of HPSEBL.

12/10/2026

Deputy Secretary (GE)
HPSEBL, Shimla-4

Regd.

1. Er.Manmohan Singh Chandel, Assistant Engineer (Elect)
   O/o RE, Bhaba Power House Division, Bhabanagar.
2. Er.Ankush Kumar Sharma, AE(Elect.),
   O/o RE, Larji Power House Division, Thalout

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2. The Chief Accounts Officer, HPSEBL, Shimla.
3. The Superintending Engineer (Gen. Circle Sarabai/Bhabanagar
4. The RE, Bhaba PHD Bhabanagar/ RE, Larji Power House Division, Thalout.
5. APS to the Chairman/MD/Directors/ED (Pers.), HPSEBL Shimla-4.
6. Sh. Ravinder Thakur, Ld.SC-cum-LA, HPSEBL, Shimla for information & apprise the Hon'ble Court accordingly please.

Deputy Secretary (GE)
HPSEBL, Shimla-4