



**CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL  
JAMMU BENCH JAMMU**

**Dated: This day of 15<sup>th</sup> of July 2020**

**HON'BLE Dr. BHAGWAN SAHAI, MEMBER – A**  
**HON'BLE MR. RAKESH SAGAR JAIN, MEMBER – J**

**O.A. No.061/00243/2020**

Dr. Muzuffar ahmad Macha, age 39 years, S/o Gul Mohd Macha  
R/o Tral Gulab Bagh Distt. Pulwama J & K – 192123.

**.....Applicant**

**By Advocate: Mr. Sheikh Younus**

**Versus**

1. Union of India through Secretary Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Union Territory of J & K through Commissioner cum Secretary to Government Higher Education Department Civil Secretariat Srinagar/Jammu.
3. Secretary UGC Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002.
4. Central University of Kashmir Ganderbal through Registrar.
5. Dean Faculty of Biotechnology Central University of Kashmir Ganderbal.

**.....Respondents**

**By Advocate: Mr. Raghu Mehta**

**O R D E R**

**Per Mr.Rakesh Sagar Jain, Member (J)**

1. Case of applicant Muzuffar Ahmad is that his candidature for the post of Associate Professor has been rejected by the



respondents on the ground that he is ineligible for appearing in the interview for the said post since he does not have the teaching/research experience.

2. During the course of arguments, learned counsel for the applicant submitted that the applicant has submitted a representation dated 04.04.2020 (Annex-V) which is consideration at the hands of the respondents and that he would be satisfied if a direction is issued to the respondents to consider and decide his representation within a time-frame.
3. On the other hand, Mr. Raghu Mehta, learned Sr. Standing Counsel for the respondents, seeks time for filing counter affidavit.
4. Looking to the limited prayer of the applicant, we dispose of the O.A., with a direction to the respondents to consider and decide the indicated representation (Annex-V) of the applicant by way of a reasoned and speaking order with intimation to the applicant, before the scheduled date of interview for the post in question in the department of Bio-Technology, Central University of Kashmir. The respondents shall also take note of the averments made in the present O.A while disposing of the representation of the applicant.



5. Needless to say that we have not expressed any opinion on the merit of the case. No costs.
6. A copy of this order be sent to the learned Senior Standing Counsel for the respondents by e-mail, who shall further inform the respondents via e-mail immediately.

**(Rakesh Sagar Jain)**  
**Member (J)**

**(Dr. Bhagwan Sahai)**  
**Member (A)**

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