



# PRIVATE SCHOOLS REGULATORY AUTHORITY

GOVERNMENT OF KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA

Office: House No. 18-E, Syed Jamal ud Din Afghani Road,  
University Town, Peshawar (Phone# 091-9216197)



No.Dir (Reg)/PSRA/1-1/2024-25

Dated Peshawar the 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2025.

To

The Principals,  
all Private Schools,  
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

Subject: **ILLEGAL CHARGING / DEMANDING OF CAPITATION FEE**

I am directed to refer to the subject noted above and to state that the new session of all private schools i.e. 2025-26 has been commenced, it was observed that majority of the schools are charging / demanding capitation fee from the students which is a clear violation of Clause 7 (4) (IV) of KP-PSRA Regulations, 2018 & High Court Judgement WP No. 1995-P of 2020 dated 14.12.2021 which was circulated by this Authority to all Private Schools through their online portal on 23.12.2021. (Copies enclosed for ready reference)

You are, therefore, directed to comply with the above Regulations & High Court Judgement and to avoid illegal charging / demanding the capitation fee.

In case of non-compliance, strict action shall be taken against your institutions as per rules.

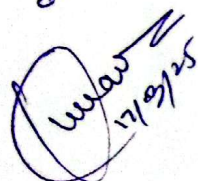
  
ATTA ULLAH  
Assistant Director (R-II)

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- Deputy Director (MIS), KP-PSRA with the request to circulate the same to all concerned through online portal.
- All Directors / Dy. Directors, KP-PSRA.
- PS to MD, KP-PSRA.
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Assistant Director (R-II)

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**PESHAWAR HIGH COURT, PESHAWAR**  
**FORM OF ORDER SHEET**

Date of Order of Proceedings 1	Order of other Proceedings with Signature of Judge 2
14.12.2021	<p><b><u>WP No. 1995-P of 2020</u></b></p> <p><b>Present:</b> Mr. Zahid Ullah Zahid, advocate, for the petitioners</p> <p>Barrister Asad ul Mulk, on behalf of respondent No 2 (PSRA)</p> <p>Mr. Asad Jan Durrani, AAG, for the provincial government.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*****</p> <p><b><u>QAISER RASHID KHAN, CJ.-</u></b> The grievance of the petitioners is in respect of charging of fresh admission fee, annual fee as well as Capitation fee from their children by some private schools.</p> <p>2. While Barrister Asad ul Mulk, representing Private School Regulatory Authority (PSRA) states that charging of ibid fees has already been directed to be discontinued by the Authority through the promulgation of the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Private Schools Regulatory Authority Regulations, 2018, the learned counsel for the petitioners still contends that such concession is not being extended to the children of the petitioners by the private schools.</p> <p>3. Accordingly, we direct the respondent-Authority to issue a formal notification in this respect and</p>

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Dated Peshawar the 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021

**NOTIFICATION**

**No.MD (PSRA)/OPERATION/WPNo.1995-P of 2020:** - In pursuance of a judgment, handed down by Peshawar High Court, Peshawar in a writ petition bearing number WP No.1995-P of 2020 dated 14.12.2021, the following instructions are hereby notified for general information and strict compliance of all concerned: -

1. No private school can charge Admission Fee, Annual Fee and Capitation fee under whatever name as per KP-PSRA Regulations 2018. The relevant sections/clauses of the rules ibid have been circulated amongst all private schools vide a Circular bearing No.MD (KP-PSRA)/1-1/Notification dated 08/11/2021.
2. It is hereby reiterated that charging Admission Fee, Annual Fee and Capitation fee is not only clear violation of KP-PSRA Regulations 2018 but shall also be violative to the above quoted judgment of Peshawar High Court Peshawar and any violation on the part of a delinquent school may invoke contempt of court proceedings as well as other punitive measures in terms of KP-PSRA Regulations, 2018.

-Sd-

**MANAGING DIRECTOR**

**Endst: No and date Even**

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1. Principals/Owners/Administrators of All Private Schools of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa for strict compliance.
2. Additional Advocate General, Peshawar High Court, Peshawar.
3. Legal Advisor KP-PSRA.
4. Deputy Director (MIS) with the request for uploading the same on KP-PSRA official web site/portal.
5. Assistant Director (Litigation).
6. PS to Secretary E&SE Department Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
7. PS to MD, PSRA

Assistant Director (Operations)

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