



GOVERNMENT OF NCT OF DELHI
Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board
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File No 4.(394)/DSSSB/CC-I/2015/ 437-441

Dated: 13.03.2026

ORDER

WHEREAS, The Hon'ble Central Administrative Tribunal, Principal Bench, New Delhi, vide order dated 20.02.2026 in OA No. 677/2026 titled *Jitendra Kumar vs. Govt. of Delhi & Ors.*, has directed as under:-

"4. In view of the prayer made by the learned counsel for the applicant, the competent authority amongst the respondents is hereby directed to dispose of the aforesaid representation of the applicant, by passing a reasoned and speaking order, within a period of thirty days from the date of receipt of a certified copy of this Order. A copy of the speaking order so passed be given to the applicant. It is made clear if the order is passed in favor of the applicant, consequential relief, if any, also be accorded to the applicant within a period of 45 days thereafter.

5. The O.A. is disposed of in the aforesaid terms, without going into the merits, at the admission stage itself. Pending MAs, if any, shall also stand disposed of accordingly.

6. No order as to costs"

WHEREAS, Sh. Jitendra Kumar (Roll No. 15001192) filed OA No. 677/2026 before the Hon'ble Central Administrative Tribunal challenging his non-selection to the post of Fire Operator under Post Code 71/14 advertised vide Advertisement No. 01/2014 dated 27.01.2014 issued by the Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board for recruitment to the post in Delhi Fire Service;

AND WHEREAS, the Hon'ble Tribunal disposed of the aforesaid OA with directions to the Respondent Board to examine the grievance of the applicant and pass a reasoned and speaking order in accordance with the Recruitment Rules and terms and conditions of the Advertisement;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to Advertisement No. 01/2014, initially 803 vacancies were notified for the post of Fire Operator (Post Code 71/14), which were subsequently enhanced to 841 vacancies vide Addendum dated 26.05.2015;

AND WHEREAS, as per the scheme of examination prescribed in the Advertisement, merit was to be determined solely on the basis of the Written Examination, whereas the Physical Endurance Test (PET) and Driving Skill Test (DST) were qualifying in nature and did not carry any weightage in preparation of the merit list;

AND WHEREAS, the applicant participated in the selection process, secured 101.50 marks in the Written Examination, and was declared qualified in PET and DST, which were of qualifying nature; **after re-drawing the merit list as per the directions of the Hon'ble High Court, the marks secured by the last nominated candidate in the Unreserved (UR) category were 103.75 marks. Since the applicant's marks are below in the merit, his nomination did not take place and he does not fall within the zone of selection;;**

AND WHEREAS, the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in W.P.(C) No. 9617/2018 and connected matters directed reconsideration of the result of Post Code 71/14 and, in compliance thereof, the Board re-examined the selection process strictly in accordance with the Advertisement and declared the revised result vide Result Notice No. 128 dated 29.01.2026;

AND WHEREAS, while declaring the revised result pursuant to the judicial directions, all petitioners before the Hon'ble High Court and applicants before the Hon'ble Tribunal were duly considered and benefit was extended to those candidates who fell above the prescribed cut-off in their respective applicable categories;

AND WHEREAS, as per the reservation policy applicable to the present recruitment, only OBC (Delhi) candidates notified by the Government of NCT of Delhi and possessing a valid Non-Creamy Layer certificate as prescribed on or before the cut-off date were entitled to the benefit of reservation under the OBC category, and OBC candidates belonging to Outside Delhi were treated as Unreserved (UR) candidates in terms of the Advertisement and applicable Government instructions;

AND WHEREAS, upon verification of the records, the candidature of the applicant was considered strictly in accordance with the applicable category status and governing reservation rules;

AND WHEREAS, in compliance of the directions of the Hon'ble Tribunal in OA No. 677/2026, the matter was re-examined by the Board; relevant records were scrutinized; necessary inputs were obtained from the User Department i.e. Delhi Fire Service; and approval of the Competent Authority was duly obtained;

NOW, THEREFORE, After careful examination and reconsideration of the entire matter in compliance of the directions of the Hon'ble Tribunal in OA No. 677/2026 and the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in W.P.(C) No. 9617/2018, it is concluded that **the applicant, Sh. Jitendra Kumar (Roll No. 150001192)**, does not fall within the zone of selection in his applicable category on the basis of Written Examination merit. The revised result has been declared strictly in accordance with Advertisement No. 01/2014 and the prescribed scheme of examination; PET and DST have rightly been treated as qualifying in nature; reservation policy has been applied strictly in terms of applicable Government instructions; and **no illegality, irregularity or procedural infirmity is found in the preparation of the revised result.**



Accordingly, the representation/claim of the applicant is not found tenable and stands disposed of.

[Signature]
12/3/2026
DY. SECRETARY (CC-I)

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12/3/2026
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