



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/2898/ROK-86/(Khp)/2023

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Zahid Hussain, S/o Karim Dad Shar,
R/o Village Karim Dad Shar, Deh Halepota, P.O Akri,
Taluka Mirwah, District Khairpur.

Name of the Agency : Revenue

Complained against : AHMED BAKHSH GHUMRO,
Consultant / Incharge,
Regional Office Khairpur

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Mr. Muhammad Misbah Tunio, Advisor-J

Vetted by :

Subject : COMPLAINT AGAINST REFUSAL TO
CONDUCT SURVEY AND TO PROVIDE
COMPENSATION FOR LOSSES SUSTAINED
DURING HEAVY RAINS OF 2022.

COMPLAINT

Mr. Zahid Hussain Shar filed a complaint on 12-04-2023 that he and his fellow villagers sustained heavy losses during the rains of 2022 and most of their houses collapsed. He alleged that no relief was provided to them by any NGO, Political / Social Organization or even Taluka Administration. The complainant, therefore, solicited intervention of this Institution.

PROCEEDINGS

02. The complaint was admitted u/s 10 of the Establishment of the office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up to date), by condoning the delay in filing it, subject to submission of Affidavit on Form "A".

03. Then matter was taken up with Assistant Commissioner, Thari Mirwah on 10-05-2023 for comments. Complainant was simultaneously advised to complete codal formalities. In response, the A.C. Thari Mirwah reported on 07-09-2023 that relief items received by Taluka Administration were distributed among twenty to thirty thousand people out of total population of 429,147 of Taluka Thari Mirwah. It was also reported that the distribution of relief items was assigned to a committee constituted by the Honourable High Court Bench Sukkur in case of CP No. 1064. The committee included the Civil Judge, Mukhtiarkar, President of the Bar Association, U.C Chairman and notables of the area. He further reported that survey was conducted by Army in collaboration with the Revenue Department, which surveyed 53,370 houses in Taluka Thari Mirwah and that was the highest number of houses surveyed in District Khairpur.

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The A.C reported that complainant's house might have not been covered by Survey Team because the same was not damaged. The A.C. Thari Mirwah reported that the complainant should submit an application for conducting the survey, which would be conducted once new directions were received from the Government regarding the remaining houses.

04. Agency's report was shared with complainant on 28-09-2023 for rejoinder but he did not respond till to date, despite reminders. He had also failed to complete codal formalities.

FINDINGS

05. From the above discussions, it appears that complainant has lost the interest to pursue his complaint.

DECISION

06. The complainant seem to have lost the interest to pursue his complaint I, therefore, in exercise of powers vested in me under Section 11 of the Establishment of the Office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up-to-date), do hereby dispose of the complaint on account of non-prosecution.

"Given under my hand and seal of office"

Sd/-

(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh
Karachi, dated 2nd January, 2025

