



DECISION

Complaint No. :
Name and address of the complainant : POS/RL-132(LKA)2024
Mr. Nazeer Soomro R/o mohalla Murrad Wahan, Larkana.
Name of the Agency Complained against : Divisional Forest Officer, Kamber Shahdadt
Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Mr. Ali Akbar Jagirani,
Director, Regional Office, Larkana.
Vetted by : Mr. Muhammad Naseer Jamali,
Advisor-N
Subject : **COMPLAINT AGAINST DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER
ALLEGING DISPOSAL OF FALLEN TREES ON ROAD
SIDE WITHOUT AUCTION AND LEGAL PROCEDURE.**

COMPLAINT

Mr. Nazeer Soomro filed a complaint dated: 05.06.2024 wherein he stated that more than 100 trees had fallen down on both sides of Kamber road during heavy winds / rain. He is doing a business of wood and interested to purchase the wood of fallen trees. He approached the Forest Department officials in this regard but the wood of fallen trees was misappropriated. Aggrieved by that, he solicited intervention of this Institution.

PROCEEDINGS

2. The complaint was admitted under section 10 of the Establishment of the Office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up to date), subject to submission of affidavit on Form "A" and other relevant documents and by condoning the delay.
3. This office issued notice vide letter dated 10.11.2023 to the Divisional Forest Officer, Kamber Shahdadt for report, who in response informed vide letter dated 19.08.2024 that the Kamber road site was visited and all the trees are intact.
4. The copy of agency's report was sent to the complainant for rejoinder vide letter dated: 19.08.2024. The complainant appeared before the Investigation Officer Larkana on 26.09.2024 and filed a written statement to withdraw his complaint.

DECISION

5. In view of the above and in exercise of powers vested in me under section 11 of Establishment of the office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up to date), the complaint is disposed of as withdrawn.

Given under my hand and seal of the office



Sd /-
(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh

Karachi, dated 4th February-2025