



## DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/ROK-218/(Khp)/2024

Name and address of the complainant : Mst. Rubina Feroze, Wd/o Ferozuddin Dharejo,  
C/o Naseem Abbas, Accountant, T.B Hospital, Khairpur.

Name of the Agency Complained against : DAO Khairpur

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : AHMED BAKHSH GHUMRO,  
Consultant / Incharge,  
Regional Office Khairpur

Vetted by : Mr. Muhammad Misbah Tunio, Advisor-J

Subject : REQUEST FOR FAIR CALCULATION & DISTRIBUTION OF G.P FUND, LPR & PENSION PERTAINING TO LATE DR. FEROUZUDDIN DHAREJO.

### COMPLAINT

Mst. Rubina Feroze Wd/o Ferozuddin Dharejo filed a complaint on 04-11-2024 that her late husband had two wives. Complainant stated that she has only a daughter while the other widow has two sons and two daughters. She claimed that last month she received an additional Rs. 8,000/- on account of family pension after protest but it has been discontinued during this month by the District Accounts Office Khairpur. She, therefore, solicited intervention of this Institution for directing District Accounts Office Khairpur to ensure fair calculation and distribution of the GP fund, LPR and family pension.

### 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 and subject to submission of Affidavit on Form "A".

03. After completion of codal formalities, the matter was taken up with District Accounts Officer, Khairpur on 20-11-2024 for comments, but Agency failed to respond.

04. Subsequently, the matter was heard on 10-12-2024 when complainant Mst. Rubina Feroze and Jibran Ali Katpar, Assistant Accountant were present. During the hearing, Mr. Jibran produced report from ADAO Khairpur that family pension case of Late Dr. Ferozuddin Dharejo received from Section Officer-I (H), Government of Sindh, Health Department, vide No. SOI(H)F-45/17, dated 15-07-2024 had been finalized.

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It was reported that pension share of both widows had been paid as per Rule 4.10 of the West Pakistan Civil Services Pension Rules 1963. The ADAO submitted two Pension Slips. According to same, total monthly pension was Rs. 118,501/-. Out of it, Rs. 77,026 were paid to 1<sup>st</sup> widow along with her four children while Rs. 41,475/- were paid to complainant and her daughter as per rule. Complainant widow was apprised accordingly. She confirmed on telephone that she was getting monthly pension.

### **FINDINGS**

05. From the above discussion, it appears that the calculation of the pension proportion was in accordance with Rule 4.10 of the West Pakistan Civil Services Pension Rules, 1963. No maladministration on the part of Agency was established. Therefore complaint is liable to be rejected.

### **DECISION**

06. The complaint is, therefore, disposed of as rejected and consigned to record. However, the District Accounts Officer, Khairpur is directed to ensure distribution of GP Fund, LPR, Gratuity strictly in accordance with Rule 4.10 of West Pakistan Civil Services Pension Rules 1963.

“Given under my hand and seal of office”



Sd /-  
(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)  
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS  
Ombudsman, Sindh  
Karachi, dated 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2025