



DECISION

Complaint No.	:	POS/KR-112/2025
Name and address of the complainant	:	Mst. Asia Tasleem, R/o. House No. 719, Sector 8-C, Gulzar Colony, Korangi Industrial Area, Karachi
Name of the Agency Complained against	:	Police Department
Name & Designation of Investigating Officer	:	Mr. Muhammad Shoaib Ahmed Siddiqui, Advisor-in-Charge, R.O Korangi
Vetted by	:	Mr. Ghulam Abid Shaikh, Advisor-K
Subject	:	<u>COMPLAINT AGAINST OFFICIALS OF P.S KIA FOR NON-REGISTRATION OF FIR DESPITE MEDICO-LEGAL CERTIFICATE.</u>

COMPLAINT

Mst. Asia Tasleem filed a complaint on 18.06.2025 against officials of P.S KIA, alleging non-registration of an FIR against 20–22 unknown persons who unlawfully entered her house by scaling the boundary wall. She stated that the intruders subjected her to physical torture, snatched her mobile phone and other valuables, and attempted to forcibly evict her and her family from the premises. Later, she came to know that the incident was carried out at the behest of a relative of her spouse. Although she obtained a medico legal certificate from the MLO confirming injuries, the police allegedly failed to initiate any action or register a case against the accused persons.

PROCEEDINGS

2. The matter was referred to the concerned police for report, and hearings were fixed for investigation. During the hearing held on 21.07.2025, ASI Akhtiar Ali, Incharge Complaints Cell of PS KIA, appeared on behalf of the SHO and deposed that the issue pertained to a dispute between two brothers regarding joint property. He, therefore, sought time to submit a detailed report.

3. At the subsequent hearing on 04.08.2025, the ASI produced accused Sher Afzal along with the complainant. It was further informed that the complainant had already approached the Court of VIth Additional Sessions Judge, Karachi East, by filing an application under Section 22-A & B Cr.P.C. in the same matter, which was rejected on 02.07.2025. The complainant thereafter challenged the order before the High Court of Sindh through C.P. No.S-581/2025, which too was dismissed vide order dated 31.07.2025.

FINDINGS

4. The complainant alleged unlawful entry, assault, and snatching of valuables by unknown persons, supported by a medico legal certificate. Police, however, termed it a property dispute between two brothers. Record shows that she had already approached the VIth Additional Sessions Judge under Section 22-A & B Cr.P.C. and thereafter the High Court of Sindh, both the courts dismissed her plea. As the issue of non-registration of FIR has thus been adjudicated by competent judicial forums, this office cannot reopen a matter that has attained finality. Repeatedly approaching multiple forums on the same cause of action constitutes forum shopping, which is not permissible in law.

DECISION

5. In view of above narrated facts, the complainant may, if so desired pursue civil remedies in respect of the property dispute or seek protection from law enforcement against any future unlawful harassment. The complaint is, therefore, filed.

Given under my hand and seal of office.

Sd/-

(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)

Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS

Ombudsman Sindh

Karachi, dated; 2nd October, 2025

