

# **DECISION**

Complaint No.

POS/304/2024

Name and address of the complainant

Mr. Babar Ali Chandio,

R/O Village Kamlapur, U.C. Sojhro Gorar,

Taluka Mehar, District, Dadu.

Name of the Agency Complained against

School Education Department

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer

Mr. Imdad Ali Shah, Regional Director, Dadu

Vetted by

Mr. Rafiuzzaman Siddiqui,

Advisor-B

Subject

REQUEST FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF COLLAPSED SCHOOL.

THE COMPLAINT

Mr. Babar Ali Chandio, filed a complaint dated 09 January, 2024, against the Education Works Department stating that they are delaying reconstruction of Kamlapur School Building of Government Boys Primary School, U.C. Sojhro Gorar, Taluka Mehar, District Dadu, which collapsed due to heavy rains of 2022. Due to non-availability of school, children of the village are being deprived of education. This fact was brought to the notice of authorities concerned but no action was taken. The complainant has therefore, solicited our intervention in the matter, requesting early reconstruction of the school building.

## **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) after receiving mandatory Affidavit on Form 'A' and other relevant documents and by condoning the delay.
- 3. The matter was taken up with authorities concerned vide letter dated 30 January, 2024. In response, Superintending Engineer Education Works Circle, Hyderabad vide letter dated 16 December, 2024, informed that under the Chief Minister's directives a proposal has been forwarded to the Director General (PRD). School Education & Literacy Department vide letter dated 13 November, 2024 for necessary repair of the school building.

#### REJOINDER

4. The Agency's report was sent to the complainant for rejoinder, followed by multiple reminders. In response, the complainant appeared before the Investigation Officer Dadu on 22 January, 2025 filed a written statement, expressing satisfaction on the report of the Agency. He has requested for withdrawal of the case.

### **FINDINGS**

5. Perusal of the record revealed that complaint was based on facts and due to intervention of this Institution, the matter is getting resolved.

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6. In view of the above and in exercise of powers vested in me under Section-11 of Establishment of the Office of the Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended upto date), the complaint is disposed of and consigned to record, as redressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office.



Sd /(MUHAMMAD SOHAIL RAJPUT)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz : PAS

Ombudsman, Sindh

Karachi, dated: **7H** March, 2025