



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/ROK-63/(Khp)/2024

Name and address of the complainant : M/s Muhammad Maroof, S/o Muhammad Ali Kalhoro & Muhammad Rafique S/o Ghulam Shabir Kalhoro, R/o Village Jara Kooh, Deh Baharo Dero, Tapa Ripri, P.O Khuhra, Taluka Gambat, District Khairpur.

Name of the Agency Complained against : Revenue Department

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

Vetted by : **Mr. Ghulam Sarwar, Advisor-J**

Subject : **COMPLAINT AGAINST MUKHTIARKAR & TAPEDAR, GAMBAT, ALLEGING DEMAND OF BRIBE FOR RECORDING ENTRY OF LAND IN REVENUE RECORDS.**

COMPLAINT

M/s Muhammad Maroof and Muhammad Rafique Kalhoro jointly filed a complaint on 26-04-2024 alleging that the Mukhtiarkar (Revenue), Gambat, and the concerned Tapedar demanded a bribe for recording an entry in the revenue record concerning their agricultural land measuring 0-6 ghunta, situated in Deh Baharo Dero, Tapa Ripri, purchased through a registered sale deed. They sought the intervention of this Institution to ensure that the entry was properly recorded in the Record of Rights.

PROCEEDINGS

02. 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), by condoning the delay in filing it, subject to submission of an Affidavit on Form "A" and a copy of the CNIC.
03. After completion of the required formalities, the matter was referred to the Assistant Commissioner, Taluka Gambat, on 24-05-2024 for comments. In response, the Mukhtiarkar, Gambat submitted a report dated 08-08-2024, enclosing a written statement from the complainants in which they disowned the complaint.
04. To seek confirmation, the Investigating Officer issued a letter to the complainants on 27-08-2024 advising their personal appearance on any working day. Despite three subsequent reminders, the complainants failed to appear/attend.

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05. In view of the above facts, including the disowning of the complaint by the complainants and their failure to appear despite repeated reminders, the complaint is **disposed of** and **consigned to record**.

06. Complaint No. POS/2263/ROK-80/(Khp)/2024, filed by the complainants on the same subject matter, is also **disposed of** on similar grounds.

"Given under my hand and seal of office"

Sd /-

(MUHAMMAD SOHAIL RAJPUT)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman Sindh
Karachi, dated 02nd October, 2025

