



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/1745/ROK-22/(Khp)/2022

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Abdul Hafeez, S/o Abdul Aziz Abro,
R/o Al-Rehman Abro, Kolab Jial, Taluka Kingri,
District Khairpur.

Name of the Agency Complained against : PHED

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

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

Subject : **COMPLAINT REGARDING NON-PAYMENT OF SALARIES TO THE COMPLAINANT SINCE DECEMBER 2021.**

COMPLAINT

Mr. Abdul Hafeez Abro, filed a complaint on 28-03-2022 claiming that he was appointed in 2019 by Executive Engineer, Public Health Engineering Khairpur on the orders of Supreme Court of Pakistan. He served and drew salary upto December 2021. After that, he was removed from service without any reason. He urged for restoration of his service. He, therefore, solicited intervention of this Institution.

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. The matter was taken up with Executive Engineer, Public Health Engineering (PHE) Division, Khairpur on 28-04-2022 for comments / report. Simultaneously complainant was advised to submit mandatory Affidavit on Form "A".

04. In response, the Executive Engineer, P.H.E (O&M) Division-I, Khairpur reported on 12-07-2023 that complainant was appointed as Operator on 06-05-2019 for Drainage Scheme Kolab Jial on daily wages for eighty nine (89) days and he was paid salary at that time. It was further reported that due to poor performance, complainant's services were no more required to the department.

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05. Said report was shared with complainant on 21-08-2023 for rejoinder, but he did not respond, despite reminders and telephonic advises. Therefore this complaint is liable to be closed on the basis of non-prosecution.

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06. Nothing is heard from complainant since 28-03-2022. He had not even submitted mandatory Affidavit on Form "A". Apparently, he seems to have lost the interest to pursue his complaint. I, therefore, in exercise of powers vested in me under Section 11 of the Establishment of the Office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up-to-date), do hereby dispose of the complaint on account of non-prosecution.

"Given under my hand and seal of office"

Sd /-
(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh
Karachi, dated 27th January, 2025

