



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/187/2023/Hyd-198

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Muhammad Aslam R/o. village Kot Haji Soomar,
Union Council Mail Mori, Taluka Jhando Mari, District Tando Allahyar.

Name of the Agency Complained against : (i) District Education Officer (ES&HS), Tando Allahyar.
(ii) Assistant Commissioner, Taluka Jhando Mari

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Mr. Zulfiqar Ali Junejo, T.I,
Regional Director, Mirpurkhas.

Vetted by : Mr. Muhammad Naseer Jamali,
Advisor-N

Subject : **COMPLAINT AGAINST DISTRICT EDUCATION OFFICER, (ES&HS) ALLEGING FAILURE TO VACATE THE ILLEGAL POSSESSION FROM THE PLOT OF GOVT. GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL.**

COMPLAINT:

Mr. Muhammad Aslam filed an online complaint dated 02-01-2023 wherein he stated that one influential landlord, namely Zahid Yousufani has encroached upon a portion of plot of Govt. Girls High School, Kot Haji Soomar, Taluka Jhando Mari and constructed otaq there. He approached the Assistant Commissioner and educations authorities to get the plot of the school vacated from illegal possession but to no avail. Aggrieved by that, he solicited intervention of this Institution.

PROCEEDINGS:

2. The complaint was admitted under section 10 of Establishment of the office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act 1991 (amended up to date) after receiving mandatory affidavit on Form-A, copy of CNIC and by condoning the delay.
3. This office issued notice dated 26-01-2023 to the District Education Officer (ES&HS) and Assistant Commissioner, Jhando Mari for report. The DEO (ES&HS) informed vide letter dated 07.06.2023 that the Govt. Girls High School at village Kot Haji Soomar has been constructed on a plot donated by Mr. Zahid Yousfani free of cost and he denied that there is any encroachment on the plot of Girls High School. The Mukhtiarkar (Rev) Taluka Jhando Mari also confirmed vide his report dated 24.05.2023 that the respondent, Zahid Yousfani has constructed the Otaq on land, Survey No: 211/3, deh Mail which belongs to the khatedar, Adeel Sikandar s/o Sikandar Ali Yousufani vide entry No.88, dated 21-11-1996 in VF-VII-B.
4. The reports of the agencies were sent to the complainant for rejoinder vide letter dated 09-08-2024, followed by multiple reminders and hearing notices but he did not respond.

FINDINGS:

5. The investigation of the complaint did not establish maladministration against the agency.

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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 Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh, Act 1991 (amended up to date), the complaint is disposed of on account of non-prosecution, in terms of Regulation 21(d) of Investigation and Disposal of Complaints Regulation 2024 of the Ombudsman Act.

This also disposes of complaint bearing number POS/2855/2023/Hyd-198, filed by the same complainant on same subject and also against same agency.

Given under my hand and seal of the office

Sd /-

(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)

Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh

Karachi, dated *11th* March, 2025

