



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/09/2024/SGR-78

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Asif Ali Nizamani,
R/o Ward No.03, District Sanghar

Name of the Agency Complained against : Food Department

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Fazal Muhammad Shaikh,
Regional Director, Sanghar

Vetted by : Syed Hashim Raza Zaidi,
Advisor-S

Subject : **ALLEGED NON-ISSUANCE OF BARDANA (WHEAT SACK) BY DFC, SANGHAR.**

COMPLAINT:

Mr. Asif Ali filed a complaint dated 29.04.2024 wherein he stated that he had cultivated wheat crop on (40) acres at Deh Bhochan, Latko Mori. He applied for issuance of empty wheat bags (Bardana) but same were not issued to him. Aggrieved by that, he solicited intervention of this institution.

PROCEEDINGS:

2. 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), after submission of mandatory affidavit on form "A" and other relevant documents, and by condoning delay.

3. This office issued notice to the District Food Controller, Sanghar for report vide letter dated 13.05.2024 who in response, informed vide letter dated 25.06.2024 that Govt. of Sindh had issued Bardana for only 14% of the wheat crop against total production of wheat in District Sanghar. The Bardana had been issued up to 25.04.2024 and fixed target was achieved successfully. He has further informed that the complainant could not produce relevant documents for receiving Bardana during the process of wheat procurement from growers to targeted date.

4. The report of the agency was delivered to the complainant on 25.06.2024 for rejoinder, who in response appeared before the Investigation Officer, Sanghar on 02.07.2024 and filed his statement/rejoinder wherein he has confirmed the report of the agency and also requested to close further proceeding on his complaint.

FINDINGS:

5. The request of the complainant has been considered but not acceded to due to completion/achievement of fixed target of procurement of wheat as per policy of Government. The complainant has withdrawn his complaint.

DECISION:

6. In view of the above and 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office of Ombudsman for the province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up-to-date), I do hereby dispose of the complaint as withdrawn.

Given under my hand and seal of this office.



Sd /-

(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)

Sitara-e-Imtiaz; PAS

Ombudsman Sindh,

Karachi, dated: 17th January, 2025