



DECISION

POS/5093/2023

Complaint No. : **POS/5093/2023**

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Shahzad Lakhair, R/o Village Gaji Khan Lakhair, Taluka Khairpur Nathan Shah, District, Dadu.

Name of the Agency Complained against : School Education

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Mr. Imdad Ali Shah, Regional Director, Dadu

Vetted by : Mr. Rafiuzzaman Siddiqui, Advisor-B

Subject : **INORDINATE DELAY IN CORRECTION OF FATHER'S NAME OF THE COMPLAINANT IN EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES.**

COMPLAINT

Mr. Shahzad Lakhair, filed a complaint dated 07, September, 2023, against Education Department, stating that department is inordinately delaying correction of his father's name in his Matriculation and Intermediate certificates which wrongly mentioned his father's name as Yousuf instead of Mohammad Yousuf. He approached the authorities concerned for correction of his father's name in both the certificates but to no avail. Aggrieved with the non-cooperative attitude of the concerned authorities and order to get his grievance redressed, the complainant has requested the intervention of this Institution.

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 concerned authorities. In response, Principal Government Degree College, Khairpur Nathan Shah vide his letter dated 17, October 2023 reported that candidate Shahzad S/o Mohammad Yousuf Lakhair got admission in First Year on the basis of his Matriculation Certificate where his father's name was mentioned as Yousuf and not Mohammad Yousuf.
4. Subsequently on 30 October, 2023 Headmaster, Government Primary School Gaji Khan Lakhair, Taluka, Khairpur Nathan Shah submitted its report stating that according to school record complainant Shahzad S/o Mohammad Yousuf was given admission in class one on 04.04.2009, where his father's name was mentioned as Yousuf and not Mohammad Yousuf.

REJOINDER

5. The report of the agency was sent to the complainant for rejoinder vide letter dated 21 August, 2024, followed by multiple reminders, however, the complainant has not responded to date.

FINDINGS

6. Perusal of the record revealed that the allegations of complainant against the government functionary were baseless, as he failed to prove any maladministration against the government functionary.

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7. 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, due to non prosecution.

Given under my hand and seat of office.



Sd /-

(MUHAMMAD SOHAIL RAJPUT)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz: PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh
Karachi, dated: **30~~th~~** January, 2025