



## **DECISION**

**Complaint No.** : POS/1466/2024/RM-35

**Name and address of the complainant** : Mr. Mir Hassan R/o. Village Kareem Bux Lori, Taluka Kunri, District Umerkot.

**Name of the Agency Complained against** : District Education Officer Primary, Umerkot.

**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, PRIMARY UMERKOT ALLEGING CLOSURE OF GBPS AT VILLAGE KARIM BUX LORI SINCE 2016 DUE TO NON-POSTING OF A TEACHER.**

### **COMPLAINT:**

Mr. Mir Hassan filed a complaint dated 15.03.2024 wherein he stated that GBPS at his village is non-functional since 2016 due to non-posting of a teacher. The children are facing hardship for getting education at GBPS Raheem Khaskheli which is situated at a distance of 2 kms. He approached the District Education Officer, Primary Umerkot repeatedly for posting of a teacher 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 and other relevant papers and by condoning the delay.
3. This office issued notice dated 10-04-2024 to the District Education Officer Primary, Umerkot and Taluka Education Officer (TEO), Primary (Male) Kunri for report, who in response informed vide letter dated 29.04.2024 that a Primary School Teacher has been posted at GBPS Karim Bux Lori and the school has been made functional.
4. The agency's report was sent to the complainant for rejoinder vide letter dated 03.05.2024, followed by reminders but he did not respond. Subsequently, the TEO, Taluka Kunri and the complainant appeared before Investigation Officer Mirpurkhas on 13.11.2024. The TEO Kunri submitted report that GBPS Karim Bux Lori has been made functional and a teacher has been posted there. The complainant filed a written statement that a teacher has been posted at his village school and his grievance has been redressed on the intervention of this Institution.

### **FINDINGS:**

5. On the intervention of this Institution, the grievance of the complainant has been redressed by the agency.

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**DECISION:**

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 as redressed.

*Given under my hand and seal of the office*

Sd/-



(MUHAMMAD SOHAIL RAJPUT)

Sitara-e-Imtiaz, PAS  
Ombudsman, Sindh

Karachi, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2024

