



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/RL-256(LKA)2024

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Niazal and others R/o Village Bharmi, U.C Karira, Taluka Miro Khan, District Kamber Shahdadt.

Name of the Agency Complained against : Chairman U.C Karira, Taluka Miro Khan, District Kamber Shahdadt.

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Mr. Ali Akbar Jagirani, Director, Regional Office, Larkana

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

Subject : **COMPLAINT AGAINST THE CHAIRMAN OF THE UNION COUNCIL KARIRA ALLEGING MISUSE OF FUNDS.**

COMPLAINT

Mr. Niazal and others filed a complaint dated: 29.08.2024 wherein they stated that monthly OZT grant is released to the Union Council Karira from Local Government Department. The Chairman and the staff are involved in malpractices as no development work is being executed from OZT grant. Aggrieved by that, they solicited 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 of mandatory affidavit on Form "A" and other relevant documents and by condoning the delay.
3. This office issued notice dated 29.08.2024 to the Chairman, Union Council Karira, Taluka Miro Khan for report. The Secretary, Union Council Karira appeared before Investigation Officer Larkana on 08.11.2024 and filed a written report that previously, OZT grant was Rs. 500,000/- per month and salary bill was around Rs:350,000/-. However, the Government of Sindh has recently, increased the OZT grant to Rs.1,000,000/- (one million) for union councils. The solar panels and hand pumps are being provided to the needy people on the recommendations of Union Council members.
4. The complainant, Mr. Niazal appeared before Investigation Officer Larkana on 08.11.2024 and filed a written statement showing satisfaction on the report of the agency and requested to close further proceedings on his complaint.

FINDINGS

5. The complainant has withdrawn from his complaint.

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of the office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991 (amended up to date), the complaint is disposed of as withdrawn.

Given under my hand and seal of the office



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(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz, PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh

Karachi, dated 29th November 2024