



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/5568/ROK-56/(Khp)/2021

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Bashir Ahmed, S/o Gul Muhammad Ujjan,
R/o Gul Muhammad Ujjan,
Taluka Gambat, District Khairpur.

Name of the Agency Complained against : Revenue Department

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : **AHMED BAKHSH GHUMRO,**
Consultant / Incharge, Regional Office Khairpur

Vetted by : **Mr. Muhammad Misbah Tunio, Advisor-J**

Subject : **COMPLAINT AGAINST THE TAPEDAR AND MUKHTIARKAR GAMBAT FOR ALLEGED DEMAND OF BRIBE FOR FOTI KHATA BADAL OF THE LAND LEFT BY DECEASED FATHER OF THE COMPLAINANT.**

COMPLAINT:

Mr. Bashir Ahmed, filed a complaint on 22-10-2021 alleging delay on the part of Mukhtiarkar & Tapedar Gambat in effecting Foti Khata Badal of the land of his deceased father despite receiving bribe. He also alleged that both officials were demanding more money. He, therefore, solicited intervention of this Institution.

PROCEEDINGS:

02. 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), condoning the delay in filing it, subject to submission of Form "A" and copy of CNIC.

03. After completing codal formalities, the matter was taken up with Assistant Commissioner, Gambat, on 18-11-2021 for comments / report. No response was received from Assistant Commissioner Gambat despite issuance of three reminders till 22.01.2024. An application was received through post from complainant Mr. Bashir Ahmed informing that concerned revenue officials have redressed his grievance. He, therefore, requested to close his case.

FINDINGS:

04. The Assistant Commissioner, Gambat, did not submit any report / comments on the complaint despite issuance of three reminders and lapse of more than a year. Therefore, maladministration on the part of Revenue officials is established in terms of section 2 (ii) of the Establishment of office of the Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act 1991 (amended up to date).

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DECISION:

05. In view of the above, I in exercise of powers vested in me under section 11 of the Establishment of office of the Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act 1991 (amended up to date) hereby direct the Sr. Member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner Sukkur Division as well as Deputy Commissioner Khaipur to ensure corrective measures and take disciplinary action against delinquent officers / officials under intimation to this Institution within 60 days.

The complaint is disposed of as redressed and consigned to record.

“Given under my hand and seal of office”



Sd /-
(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz. PAS
Ombudsman, Sindh
Karachi, dated 7th March, 2025

