



DECISION

Complaint No. : POS/9456/2023(MT)49/ R.Thar/2023.

Name and address of the complainant : Mr. Rashi Kumar S/O Dhansham Das Joshi
r/o Malani House, Mithi District Tharparkar.

Name of the Agency Complained against : District Accounts Officer
Tharparkar @ Mithi.

Name & Designation of Investigating Officer : Jam Farhad Baig S. Dahar, the then
Regional Director Regional Office,
Tharparkar @ Mithi.

Vetted by : Dr. Muhammad Nawaz Shaikh, Advisor (Impl).

Subject : COMPLAINT AGAINST DISTRICT ACCOUNTS OFFICER, THARPARKAR REGARDING DELAY IN PAYMENT OF ARREARS OF SALARIES.

THE COMPLAINT.

Mr. Rashi Kumar s/o Ghansham Das filed a complaint on 27.11.2023 stating therein that he approached District Accounts Officer, Tharparkar @ Mithi to know the account details of recovery being made for adjustment of Rs.432028.00 as per approval of Finance Department in the year 2015, but to no avail. Hence he requested for intervention of this Institution for redressal of his grievance.

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). The Investigation Officer called report from agency and matter remained under correspondence / hearings with agency / complainant vide letters dated 21.12.2023, 10.01.2024, 13.02.2024 and 13.03.2024.

3. The District Accounts Officer, Tharparkar @ Mithi in his revised / latest letter bearing No. DAO /TPR/Admn/345/2024 dated 21.11.2024 has reported that after enquiry and reconciliation by Chief Minister Sindh Inspection Team, it was found that unjustified excess payment of arrears of Rs.465,534.00 was made to Mr. Rashi Kumar s/o Ghansham Das, HST in the month of May, 2014. The recovery of Rs.465,534.00 from his salary has been initiated which shall last till June 2026. The complainant has not raised objections, verbally or in a written rejoinder to this report.

DECISION.

4 In view of unjustified excess payment and no further contest by the complainant, I, in exercise of powers vested me under Section 11 of Establishment of the Office of Ombudsman for the Province of Sindh Act, 1991, do hereby order to dismiss the petition and consign it to record.

Given under my hand and seal of office.



Sd /-
(Muhammad Sohail Rajput)
Sitara-e-Imtiaz, PAS
Ombudsman Sindh
Karachi, dated 31st December, 2024