

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5140-11/2025

Azmat Khan

Vs

Pakistan Television Corporation (PTVC)

April 29, 2026

Imran Haider, Junior Admin Assistant, PTVC appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 30-03-2026 under RGL No. 170312649. A period of more than 20 days as required under the Access to Information Regulations 2023 have passed. No objection has been received from the applicant. It appears that the applicant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5387-02/2026

Nisar Ahmad

Vs

Pakistan Railway Police

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

- 1 Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 01-04-2026 under RGL No. 170312806. A period of more than 20 days as required under the Access to Information Regulations 2023 have passed. No objection has been received from the applicant. It appears that the applicant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan

Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui

Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

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Order

Appeal No 5386-02/2026

Nisar Ahmad

Vs

Pakistan Railway Police

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

- 1 Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 20-04-2026 under RGL No. 170313233. A period of more than 20 days as required under the Access to Information Regulations 2023 have passed. No objection has been received from the applicant. It appears that the applicant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan

Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui

Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5309-01/2026

Zaid Iqbal

Vs

Multan Electric Power Company (MEPCO)

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

- 1 Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 16-03-2026 under RGL No. 170312383. A period of more than 20 days as required under the Access to Information Regulations 2023 have passed. No objection has been received from the applicant. It appears that the applicant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan

Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui

Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

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Order

Appeal No 5389-02/2026

Ijaz Ahmed

Vs

Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resources Development

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. This appeal was filed on 18-02-2026, as the public body had failed to respond to the information request dated 27-01-2026. Two notices have been issued to the public body, first on 23-02-2026 and second 12-03-2026. The last notice dated 12-03-2026 was sent through RGL No. 170312505, and service of the said notice has been confirmed from the website of Pakistan Post. In the notice dated 12-03-2026, it is specifically mentioned that if nobody appeared on behalf of the public body, an ex parte decision shall be recorded by the Commission. Since delivery of the notice has been confirmed from the website of Pakistan Post and a presumption of truth is attached thereto, there are sufficient grounds to decide the appeal ex parte; hence, the appeal is disposed of as under.
2. The Commission has examined the contents of the information request and the memo of appeal. The applicant has stated that during his posting at the Embassy of Pakistan, Athens (Greece), some fake complaints were forwarded to the Ministry against him by Mrs. Nazish Amjad, CWA, Athens, and Mr. Amar Aftab Qureshi, Ambassador, Embassy of Pakistan, Athens, Greece.
3. The applicant wants copies of the allegedly fake/frivolous complaints filed against him. The applicant himself is aggrieved by the complaints allegedly filed against him and wants to assail the same at the proper forum. The required information relates to his personal human rights; therefore, the said documents do not enjoy any exemption under any provision of the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017.
4. In view of the above, the appeal is allowed. The Section Officer (CWA-I), Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis & HRD, is directed to provide the required information to the applicant within 10 days. Copy of the order be sent to the Secretary, Ministry of Overseas

Pakistanis & HRD for implementation. Copy of the order be also sent to the applicant for information.

5. Adjourned to 26-05-2026

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5415-02/2026

Muhammad Siddique Shah

Vs

Accountant General Pakistan Revenues (AGPR)

April 29, 2026

Faisal Javed, Senior Auditor, AGPR appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. The applicant, vide his information request dated 03-02-2026, required from the public body the complete leave record of Malik Muhammad Sarwar, Retired AC, Regional Tax Office, Islamabad. The public body, vide letter dated 30-03-2026, submitted that 365 days' leave is at the credit of the officer named above as per their record.
2. Copy of the written reply was shared with the applicant, who has acknowledged its receipt but, vide letter dated 06-04-2026, has submitted that the information furnished by the public body is incomplete and unsatisfactory, as the applicant has not been provided with LFP, casual leave, and availed leave record.
3. The representative of the public body was inquired about the available record of the officers, who explained that as far as casual leave, LFP, and other leaves are concerned, the department/organization where the employee is serving maintains such leave records, and AGP only maintains the record about the balance/leave in credit of an employee. The explanation of the representative of the public body is satisfactory. The balance leave/leave in credit at the time of the retirement of the officer named above has been shared with the applicant. If he requires further leave record, he may approach the concerned department where the officer is serving or has served.
4. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5316-01/2026

Abid Khan

Vs

Deputy Commissioner Islamabad

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. This appeal was filed on 26-01-2026, as the public body had allegedly failed to respond to the information request dated 03-01-2026. Three notices were issued to the public body on 28-01-2026, 20-02-2026, and 30-03-2026. The last notice dated 30-03-2026 was sent through RGL No. 170312636, and service of the said notice has been confirmed from the website of Pakistan Post. In the said notice dated 30-03-2026, it is specifically mentioned that if nobody appears on behalf of the public body, an ex parte decision shall be recorded by the Commission. Since delivery of the notice has been confirmed from the website of Pakistan Post and a presumption of truth is attached thereto, there are sufficient grounds to decide the appeal ex parte; hence, the appeal is disposed of as under.

2. The Commission has examined the contents of the information request. The applicant has required certified copies of the inquiries conducted in complaint numbers 6731 and 10360 dated 10-06-2025 and 28-08-2025, respectively.

3. The said documents are to be published by the public body, including uploading them on the internet, as required under Section 5(i) of the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017. In view of the above, the appeal is allowed. The Deputy Commissioner, Islamabad, is directed to provide the required information to the applicant within 10 days.

4. Adjourned to 02-06-2026 for implementation proceedings.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5248-12/2025

Imran Khan

Vs

Chief Commissioner Islamabad

April 29, 2026

None appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 11-03-2026 under RGL No. 170312351. A period of more than 20 days as required under the Access to Information Regulations 2023 have passed. No objection has been received from the applicant. It appears that the applicant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

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Order

Appeal No 5438-02/2026

Abaid Ullah

Vs

Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)

April 29, 2026

Syed Shabih Haider, Deputy Director, FBR appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. The Commission has examined the contents of the information request and the memo of appeal. It is noted that the applicant is an employee of the public body and joined service in 2019. He has made request to the public body to prepare an updated seniority list of Sepahi (BS-05) and then provide a copy of the same.

2. The prayer of the applicant mentioned in the information request and the memo of appeal shows that up till now, the seniority list of Sepahi (BS-05) has not been prepared by the public body. Therefore, when a document is not in existence, how can this Commission pass an order for the provision of the same? The applicant shall first approach the appropriate forum for the preparation of the same, and if it is not provided thereafter, he may approach this Commission for provision of the same.

3. In view of the above, no further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

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Appeal No 4639-04/2025

Tahira Batool

Vs

Pakistan Nursing and Midwifery Council (PNMC)

April 29, 2026

Waleed Saeed Advocate appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ahsan Ullah, Legal Advisor, PNMC and Asif Khattak, Director MIS, PNMC appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. The representative of the public body has furnished certified copies of Serial No. 1 and 3 of the information request as directed by the Commission vide order dated 24-07-2025, and compliance has been made. The information and documents furnished today were handed over to the counsel for the applicant present before the Commission, who, after examining them, has expressed satisfaction over the same.
2. Moreover, reply to the show cause notice issued to Mr. Asif Khattak, Director MIS, has also been furnished, stating that he was transferred from PNMC on March 25, 2026. He regretted his absence and requested that the show cause notice be withdrawn. The Commission has considered the request; hence, the show cause notice is withdrawn.
3. All the required information has been furnished and stands shared with the applicant; therefore, no further proceedings are required. The implementation proceedings stand settled. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission
Government of Pakistan
Order

Appeal No 5099-11/2025

Agha Hassan Khurshid

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

April 29, 2026

Muhammad Usman, OG-II, ZTBL appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. The applicant required from the public body, vide his information request dated 27-10-2025, to provide him copy of the order and approval of the competent authority in compliance with which Kh. Adnan, Advocate, submitted a reply in Writ Petition No. 53502/19 and approval of the competent authority in compliance with which Kh. Adnan, Advocate, filed CPLA No. 1165/21.
2. Allegedly, the said information was not provided to the applicant; hence, he filed this appeal. The Commission issued notice dated 25-02-2026 stating that the power of attorney/wakalatnama is signed by the competent authority, which forms part of the judicial record and is filed before the concerned court, meaning thereby that no separate approval, except signing of the power of attorney, is required. Copy of the written reply was shared with the applicant, who filed a rejoinder vide email dated 11-03-2026, showing dissatisfaction over the response of the public body.
3. Now, reply to the rejoinder has been furnished by the public body reiterating that the wakalatnama/power of attorney serves as authorization/approval from the competent authority to engage the services of Adnan Khwaja.
4. The Commission has examined the information request, written reply, rejoinder filed by the applicant, and its reply, and concludes that the written reply furnished by the public body, coupled with the reply to the rejoinder, satisfies the information request and no further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 4903-08/2025

Agha Hassan Khurshid

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

April 29, 2026

Muhammad Usman, OG-II, ZTBL appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. On the complaint of Agha Hassan Khurshid alleging that the public body filed false information in Appeal No. 4903, the Commission vide its order dated 25-02-2025 appointed Mr. Irfan Bashir, Assistant Director, PIC, as Inquiry Officer in order to hold the inquiry and submit his report. The Inquiry Officer vide his report dated 31-03-2026 submitted that call-up notice dated 25-03-2026 was issued to the applicant, and it was confirmed that the same was duly served upon the complainant; however, he did not join the inquiry proceedings in order to substantiate his allegation.

2. The Commission has examined the inquiry report and concludes that since the applicant did not join the inquiry proceedings in order to substantiate the allegation, no further proceedings are required and the complaint is dismissed. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No 5273-01/2026

Mian Ejaz Saifal

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

April 29, 2026

Muhammad Usman, OG-II, ZTBL appeared on behalf of the public body.

1. Information furnished by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated 03-03-2026 under RGL No. 170312189. The applicant vide his email dated 16-03-2026 has acknowledged its receipt and has expressed satisfaction over the same.

2. In view of above, no further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner