

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3765-07/2024**  
**Aun Ali**  
**VS**  
**Cantonment Board Quetta**

**November 05, 2024** Mr. Muhammad Waqar Malik, Cantt Engineer, ECF appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The representative of the public body has furnished a copy of the letter dated 10-10-2024, written by the Audit Officer, Office of the AGP Defence Services, South Karachi, which includes a copy of the draft paras concerning the audit of the Cantonment Board Quetta. This letter is addressed to the Secretary, Government of Pakistan, Ministry of Defence, for recording his remarks on the nine audit paras highlighted in the said report. The representative of the public body has further submitted that the final audit report for the year 2023-24 has not yet been prepared, as the audit paras are still under settlement.
3. In view of the above, since the audit report for the required period has yet to be finalized and is currently in progress, the said information cannot be shared with the appellant under Section 7 of the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017. However, as soon as the audit report is finalized and prepared, the appellant may approach the public body for certified copy of the same, and the public body shall share it with the appellant.
4. In view of the above, no further proceedings are required, as the remaining information per the information request has already been shared with the appellant. The appeal stands disposed of accordingly. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**Appeal No: 3842-08/2024**

**Murtaza Hashim**

**VS**

**Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis & Human Resources Development**

**November 05, 2024** Tahir Mehmood, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resources Development appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. Reply to the rejoinder has been filed by the public body. The public body earlier, vide letter dated September 08, 2024, furnished the required information, responding to each query of the appellant, which was shared with the appellant. The appellant vide letter dated 07-10-2024, acknowledged receipt of the sharing letter along with its enclosures but expressed dissatisfaction regarding the answers to three queries. The public body has now replied to these queries.
3. In respect of Query No. 2 of the information request, it is submitted that the manual for Community Welfare Attache is not maintained by the public body. Regarding Query No. 3, which pertains to past examination papers for the years 2019 and 2023 for the recruitment of Community Welfare Attache posted in Pakistan Embassies, it was stated that examinations are conducted by testing agencies such as LUMS or IBA, and the papers are not available with the ministry. As for as the detail of stations where the post of Community Attache is vacant is concerned, it has been submitted that no station is vacant.
4. In view of the reply to the rejoinder furnished by the public body, no further proceedings are required, as the information requested by the appellant at Serial No. 2 and 3 of the information request is not available with the public body. However, as pointed out by the appellant regarding the obligatory duty of the public body to maintain a manual for Community Welfare Attache, as per page 26 of the Year Book of 2021 and 2022, if the public body has made any violation of the Year Book, the appellant may approach the concerned forum against the public body. This Commission cannot take any action concerning the said violation, as it is beyond the scope of this Commission.
5. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. A copy of the order be sent to the Secretary, Ministry of Overseas Pakistanis and Human Resource Development, sensitizing him

regarding the government instructions about affixing dates on official letters, as the response of the public body did not carry any date. This is in the interest of improving the performance of the departments in light of the preamble of this Act.

6. The reply to the rejoinder containing answers to the remaining three queries be shared with the appellant. Copy of the order be also sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3879-08/2024**  
**Naeem Sadiq**  
**VS**  
**Ministry of Interprovincial Coordination**

November 05, 2024 Ali Nawaz, Deputy Secretary and M. Zahid Superintendent, Ministry of Interprovincial Coordination appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The public body has furnished a letter dated 04-11-2024, intimating that the appellant has already been informed, vide letter dated 30-08-2024, that the expenses incurred on the visit of the Ministry of Interprovincial Coordination in connection with the Paris Olympics 2024 were borne by the minister himself, and the visit was not financially sponsored by the Government of Pakistan. Therefore, no expenses were involved to the national treasury or taxpayer money.
3. The representative of the public body, vide letter dated 13-09-2024, informed this Commission about the same stance earlier taken by the public body, with a copy sent to the appellant.
4. A copy of the letter was shared with the appellant vide notice dated 30-10-2024 under RGL No. 139879163, but no response has been received despite the lapse of a reasonable period of time for intimation by the public body as well as by this Commission. Therefore, no further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order shall be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**Appeal No: 3869-08/2024**

**Muhammad Waseem Elahi**

**VS**

**Employees Old Age Benefit Institute (EOBI)**

November 05, 2024 None appeared on behalf of the public body, although the Commission sent two notices to the Chairperson of EOBI with a copy to the appellant. The Commission has examined the contents of the information request of the appellant and the memo of appeal. The appellant has requested records pertaining to the EOBI pension sanction case of Mr. Sadiq Jamal Khan, Principal of Quaid-e-Azam Division School, Gujranwala. The information required by the appellant pertains to records relating to the personal privacy of an individual, which is excluded from disclosure under Section 7(g) of the Right to Information Act, 2017. Therefore, it cannot be shared with the appellant. Hence, the appeal is disposed of accordingly. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**Appeal No: 3789-07/2024**

**Kamran Saqi**

**VS**

**Pakistan Electronic Media Regulatory Authority (PEMRA)**

November 05, 2024 Sardar Alam Shafqat, Law Officer, PEMRA, appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The law officer has furnished three sets of certified documents pertaining to the required information vide letter dated 01-11-2024. The Commission, in its order dated 17-10-2024, directed the appellant to deposit an amount of Rs. 2,100/- as photocopying charges involved in the photocopying of the record and submit the deposit receipt. However, neither the appellant has appeared nor has any intimation regarding the deposit of the photocopying charges been received by the Commission. Therefore, the office is directed to retain the information and share it with the appellant, subject to the deposit and furnishing of the payment receipt to the Commission. 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: 3841-08/2024**  
**Aamir Baloch**  
**VS**  
**National Accountability Bureau (NAB)**

**November 05, 2024** Burj Lal, Director (Law), NAB appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The law officer has furnished certified documents pertaining to the required information vide letter 09-10-2024. The Commission, in its order dated 17-10-2024, directed the appellant to deposit an amount of Rs. 350/- as photocopying charges involved in the photocopying of the record and submit the deposit receipt. However, neither the appellant has appeared nor has any intimation regarding the deposit of the photocopying charges been received by the Commission. Therefore, the office is directed to retain the information and share it with the appellant, subject to the deposit and furnishing of the payment receipt to the Commission. 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: 3984-09/2024**

**Ahtisham Gull**

**VS**

**Military Land and Cantonment Department**

**November 05, 2024** None appeared on behalf of the public body. However, the public body, vide letter dated 07-10-2024, informed that the copy of the National Identity Card (NIC) used by Mr. Khursheed Anwar at the time of opening his bank account is not available with them, and the appellant may approach the concerned bank to obtain it.

2. The written reply, along with a copy of the appointment letter for the aforementioned individual, was shared with the appellant vide notice dated 03-10-2024 under RGL No. 139879097. No response has been received from the appellant despite the passage of more than one month. It appears that the appellant is satisfied with the public body's response. Therefore, no further proceedings are required, and the appeal stands disposed of.
3. A copy of the order will be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3778-07/2024**  
**Tariq Mehmood & Other**  
**VS**  
**Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL)**

**November 05, 2024** Ahmed Haseeb, Clerk for the Counsel of the public body appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The public body, vide letter dated 03-09-2024, provided a written reply containing answers to all the appellant's queries. This information was shared with the appellant through notice dated 09-10-2024 under RGL No. 139878897. A reasonable amount of time has passed since the required information was shared, but no response has been received from the appellant. It appears that the appellant is satisfied with the public body's response. Therefore, no further proceedings are required, and the appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order will be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3821-08/2024**  
**Muhammad Usman Nawaz**  
**VS**  
**Oil and Gas Development Company Limited (OGDCL)**

**November 05, 2024** Abdul Basit Advocate appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The public body, vide letter dated 03-09-2024, provided a written reply containing answers to all the appellant's queries. This information was shared with the appellant through notice dated 09-10-2024 under RGL No. 139878897. A reasonable amount of time has passed since the required information was shared, but no response has been received from the appellant. It appears that the appellant is satisfied with the public body's response. Therefore, no further proceedings are required, and the appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order will be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**Appeal No: 3942-09/2024**

**Malik Ammar Ali**

**VS**

**Prime HR**

**November 05, 2024**

Sarmad Riaz Abbasi, HR Director of Prime HR, appeared on behalf of the public body. The Commission has examined the contents of the appeal and the information request and found that Prime HR operates as a service provider under a contract with State Life Insurance in relation to the Sehat Sahulat Card. The appellant, in a letter dated 24-10-2024, submitted written arguments asserting that Prime HR utilizes public funds and is accountable before the Pakistan Information Commission. However, as a third-party contractor, Prime HR does not fall within the definition of a public body, hence the appeal is not maintainable and is disposed of accordingly. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**Appeal No: 3943-09/2024**

**Malik Ammar Ali**

**VS**

**Prime HR**

**November 05, 2024** Sarmad Riaz Abbasi, HR Director of Prime HR, appeared on behalf of the public body. The Commission has examined the contents of the appeal and the information request and found that Prime HR operates as a service provider under a contract with State Life Insurance in relation to the Sehat Sahulat Card. The appellant, in a letter dated 24-10-2024, submitted written arguments asserting that Prime HR utilizes public funds and is accountable before the Pakistan Information Commission. However, as a third-party contractor, Prime HR does not fall within the definition of a public body, hence the appeal is not maintainable and is disposed of accordingly. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3941-09/2024**  
**Ishaque Ahmed**  
**VS**  
**Pakistan Telecommunication Authority (PTA)**

**November 05, 2024** None appeared on behalf of the public body.

2. The public body vide letter dated 27-09-2024, has questioning the maintainability of the appeal, stating that the appellant is seeking data/documents related to the working of PTCL, a private entity. This information does not fall under the statutory functions of the PTA and does not qualify as public information under the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017. A copy of the written reply was shared with the appellant via notice dated 03-10-2024 under RGL No. 139878990, but no response has been received raising any objections. Therefore, the appeal stands disposed of. A copy of the order will be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**  
**Government Of Pakistan**  
**Order**  
**Appeal No: 3928-09/2024**  
**Boota Imtiaz**  
**VS**  
**Islamabad Electric Supply Company (IESCO)**

**November 05, 2024** Ansar Mehboob Khan, Advocate, and Muhammad Sheraz, Assistant HR, appeared on behalf of the public body and provided the required information in a tabulated format. The Commission compared this information with the appellant's request and found it satisfactory, as it addressed all the questions posed by the appellant. A copy of the written reply submitted today be shared with the appellant. No further proceedings are required, the appeal stands disposed of. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner

**Pakistan Information Commission**

**Appeal No: 3962-09/2024**

**Boota Imtiaz**

**Government Of Pakistan**

**Order**

**VS**

**Pakistan Television Corporation (PTVC)**

**November 05, 2024** None appeared on behalf of the public body. Information furnished by the public body was shared with the appellant vide notice dated 17-10-2024 under RGL No. 139879049 but no objection has been received from the appellant thereof. It appears that the appellant is satisfied with the response of the public body. No further proceedings are required. The appeal stands disposed of.

2. Copy of the order be sent to both the parties.

**Ijaz Hassan Awan**  
Information Commissioner

**Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui**  
Chief Information Commissioner