

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No: 4921-09/2025

Rauf Khalid

Vs

Establishment Division

Date:

October 16, 2025 Applicant present in person. Naseer Ahmed, Establishment Division on behalf of public body.

2. The applicant, in his information request, sought the Gazette Notification pertaining to Office Memorandum No. 8/2/97-CP-4 dated December 29, 2001. The public body furnished a categorical response, stating that the aforementioned Office Memorandum is a policy document which remains in force to date. It has further been submitted by the representative of the public body that no Gazette Notification in respect of this document was required, and that the policy is already in the public domain. The representative of the public body has also stated that the said Office Memorandum has not been placed in the Estacode. A copy of the response was handed over to the applicant, who has contested the same.

3. The applicant has been advised to file a complaint against the public body if he believes that the response is false or fabricated. The appeal is accordingly disposed of in the manner mentioned above and copy of this order be forwarded to both the parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Pakistan Information Commission
Government of Pakistan
Order

Appeal No: 4587-03/2025

Saqib Amin

Vs

Ministry of Energy (Power Division)

Date:

October 16, 2025

None appeared on behalf of public body.

2. Information provided by the public body was shared with the applicant vide letter dated September 18, 2025 under RGL No. 154261470.
3. No objection has been received from the applicant it appears that applicant is satisfied with the information shared with him. No further proceedings are required, appeal stands disposed of.
4. Copy of 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: 4841-07/2025

Zafar Iqbal

Vs

Postal Life Insurance Company Limited

Date:

October 16, 2025

None appeared on behalf of public body.

2. In spite of the issuance of three notices to the CEO, Postal Life Insurance Company Limited, including a final notice dated 18-09-2025 under RGL No. 154261480 with a warning that, in case nobody appeared before the Commission, ex parte proceedings would be conducted and the appeal would be decided accordingly, but today no one has appeared. There is a presumption of truth attached to the record unless the contrary is proved. Therefore, the Commission is satisfied that sufficient grounds exist to proceed with the appeal ex parte.
3. Accordingly, the appeal is decided ex parte. In his information request addressed to the CEO, Postal Life Insurance Company Limited, the applicant sought responses to four queries regarding non-payment of claims and the reasons for their delay. All of these queries pertain to matters of public importance and relate to the record held by the public body. None of the information requested by the applicant falls under any exemption provided in the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017.
4. Hence, the appeal is allowed with the direction that the CEO, Postal Life Insurance Company Limited, shall furnish the requested information to the applicant as well as to this Commission within 10 days of receipt of this order.
5. Copy of 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: 4430-01/2025

Farrukh Nawaz Bhatti

Vs

Federal Investigation Agency (FIA)

Date:

October 16, 2025

None appeared on behalf of public body.

2. Information provided by the public body vide September 10, 2025 in compliance with the order of the Commission dated August 27, 2025 was shared with the applicant vide notice dated September 11, 2025 under RGL No. 154261393.
3. No objection has been received from the applicant it appears that applicant is satisfied with the information shared with him. No further proceedings are required, appeal stands disposed of.
4. Copy of 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: 4616-04/2025

Ch. Ashraf Ali Gujjar

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

Date:

October 16, 2025

Usman Maqbool, OG-II, ZTBL present on behalf of public body.

2. Information provided by the public body in compliance with the order of the Commission was shared with the applicant vide letter dated September 17, 2025 under RGL No. 154261442.
3. No objection has been received from the applicant it appears that applicant is satisfied with the information shared with him. No further proceedings are required, appeal stands disposed of.
4. Copy of 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: 4315-12/2024

Agha Hassan Khurshid

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

Date:

October 16, 2025

Usman Maqbool, OG-II, ZTBL present on behalf of public body.

2. Information provided by the public body in compliance with the order of the Commission was shared with the applicant vide letter dated September 16, 2025 under RGL No. 154261418.
3. No objection has been received from the applicant it appears that applicant is satisfied with the information shared with him. No further proceedings are required, appeal stands disposed of.
4. Copy of 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: 4835-07/2025

Agha Hassan Khurshid

Vs

Zarai Taraqati Bank Limited (ZTBL)

Date:

October 16, 2025

Usman Maqbool, OG-II, ZTBL present on behalf of public body.

2. Information provided by the public body, as per the applicant's information request, was shared with him vide letter dated September 16, 2025, under RGL No. 154261435. The applicant, through a rejoinder dated September 25, 2025, has alleged that the requested documents have not been provided and that the public body has willingly and maliciously failed to submit a correct reply. He has also challenged the contents of the inquiry report, stating that the correct information has not been furnished.
3. The Commission has examined the information request, the response of the public body, and the rejoinder of the applicant. The Commission has also heard the representative of the public body present during the proceedings. The entire matter has been considered in light of the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017. The replies submitted by the public body are in accordance with the two queries raised by the applicant in his information request. Propriety attaches to the official response of the public body, and they are responsible for it.
4. In view of the allegations made by the applicant regarding withholding of information and providing incorrect information, he may file a complaint before the Commission for inquiry under the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017. The appeal stands disposed of in the terms mentioned above. Copy of the order be sent to both parties.

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner