

Pakistan Information Commission

Government of Pakistan

Order

Appeal No: 2650-04/23

Rana Abdul Wakeel

Vs

Election Commission of Pakistan

Date:

June 08, 2023

Appellant not present. Mr. Falak Sher Advocate appeared on behalf of respondent / public body.

2. Contents of the appeal and complaint filed by the appellant to Secretary to Election Commission of Pakistan have been gone through. It is gathered from the contents of complaint and appeal, that the appellant being an old worker of PMLN expects from his party to award him with any special seat like Special Assistant to Prime Ministry (SAPM) and as per reply sent to the appellant by Election Commission of Pakistan vide letter dated 20-03-22 no law under Election Act, 2017 and Election Rules 2017 bounds parties to give preference or award any political benefit/honorary seats to its workers on basis of inherited affiliation, loyalty and funding etc.

3. From the contents of the appeal and complaint annexed with the appeal, the commission could not find any information which is required by the appellant from any public body through this commission. The grievance of the appellant mentioned in his complaint or appeal is to have any special award from his party which is not in the domain of this commission, hence said grievance

cannot be addressed. The appeal is found not maintainable hence, is dismissed.

4. It is worth mentioning that the appellant is habitual litigant and has filed multiple appeals of similar nature and his two appeals No. 2643-04/23 and 2666-04/23 have been disposed of today. Such behavior is discouraged as in all the appeals similar matter is agitated. The appellant is directed to file only such appeals which are maintainable under the Right of Access to Information Act, 2017.

5. Copy of the order be sent to Secretary, Election Commission of Pakistan and appellant.

Shoaib Ahmad Siddiqui
Chief Information Commissioner

Ijaz Hassan Awan
Information Commissioner