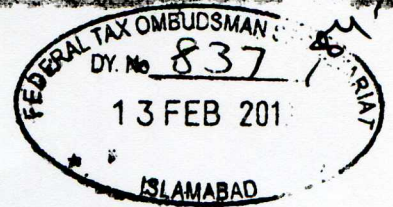


No.17/2008- Law-I (FTO)
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Islamabad, the 4th February, 2010

From :- Muhammad Hashim Abro,
Section Officer.

To:- The Second Secretary (TO),
Islamabad.

Sub: REPRESENTATION UNDER SECTION 32 OF THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL TAX
OMBUDSMAN ORDINANCE (XXXV OF 2000) IN COMPLAINT NO.
81/2007 (FBR VS MR. ABDUL REHMAN)

359/2007

I am directed to refer to your representation No.4(359)TO-I/07/08/14127-R, dated 25.01.2008 on the subject noted above and to say that the President has been pleased to pass the following orders:-

2. This representation is made by the Agency (FBR) against the findings of the FTO. The complaint is against non payment of reward money to the complainant who had supplied information in cases of tax evasion. The Agency's case was as follows:

"Reward was due in 16 cases (out of total 81). The learned DR also informed that reward was not being paid due to heavy rush of work on reorganization and lack of funds under this head"

3. The FTO made the following recommendations:

- i. Secretary, Revenue Division should immediately ensure that adequate funds are placed at the disposal of RTO Faisalabad to enable him to meet his obligation to the deserving persons, and amount lawfully due to complainant be paid within 30 days;
- ii. all out efforts should be made to effect maximum recoveries in all cases in which amounts remains un-recovered and then due amount of reward be also paid within 90 days;".

4. It appears that the Agency filed a review petition before the FTO. This too was rejected with the following recommendation

"The complainant had acquired a valuable right for payment of reward when tax demand was raised due to information supplied by him. It was

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