# PUBLIC GRIEVANCES COMMISSION GOVT. OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI I.P. Estate (near ITO), Vikas Bhawan, M-Block, New Delhi-110110

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### Order under Para 2(B) of the PGC Resolution No F.4/14/94-AR dated 25.9.97

Date of hearing: 26.11.2020

Complainant : Shri Amit Saini.

Respondent : Chief Electoral Officer, GNCTD

Old St. Stephen Building Kashmere Gate, Delhi-110006

Grievance No.: PGC/20209/A.II/Election/01

## 1. Brief facts of the case

Shri Amit Saini filed a complaint stating that as a polling personnel in AC-30 for Delhi Legislative Assembly Election-2020, he was paid Rs. 1,550/- as remuneration, whereas in other Districts, polling personnel have been paid Rs. 1,550/1600/1700 for performing the same duty.

#### 2. Facts emerged during the proceeding:

2.1 Ms. Gagandeep Kaur, Senior Assistant, AC-30 stated that the AERO, AC-30 and SDM (Election), District West are having COVID and hence, reply could not be filed related to this grievance case. However, she informed that Shri Amit Saini, Polling Officer was paid Rs. 1550/- for performing duty as Polling Officer. She submitted a copy of receipt of this amount by the complainant Shri Amit Saini. Further, she explained that rate of remuneration to Polling Personnel was decided by the Order dated 16.1.2020 issued by the Office of CEO, Delhi. She submitted the copy of the above mentioned order, which was taken on record. This Order stipulated Rs. 250/- per day to the Polling Officer and Rs. 150/- per day for

packed lunch/refreshment. There were three trainings on 13.1.2020, 30.1.2020 and 7.2.2020 and two days duty for polling. As such, Rs. 1250/- was to be paid for training and polling days. In addition to this, two days refreshment for polling day and next day @ 150/- per day i.e. Rs. 300/- was to be paid. In all, Rs. 1550/- was to be paid as per the rates stipulated by Order dated 16.1.2020 of the office of CEO, which has been paid to the complainant.

2.2 Ms. Gagandeep Kaur was told to submit a written reply detailing the payments to the complainant. Accordingly, a reply from AERO-30 was forwarded through e-mail detailing payment of Rs. 1550/- to the complainant in accordance with the rates prescribed by Order of CEO dated 16.1.2020.

#### 3. **Directions**

In view of the above, the complainant was entitled for a payment of Rs. 1550/-, which has been paid to him. Thus,, the matter stands closed in the Commission.

( SUDHIR YADAV ) MEMBER (PGC)

PGC/2020/A.II/Election/01

Dated:

- The Chief Electoral Officer, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Old St. Stephan Building, Kashmere Gate, Delhi-110006
- 2. Shri Amit Saini