

**In the Court of State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities
National Capital Territory of Delhi
25- D, Mata Sundari Road, Near Guru Nanak Eye Centre, New Delhi-2
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**[Vested with powers of Civil Court under the
Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016]**

Case No. 2573/1141/2022/04/1046-1047

Dated: 29-03-23

In the matter of:

**Sh. Manoj Kumar,
B-108, Baldev Park
Parvana Road Krishan Nagar,
Delhi-110054.**

.....Complainant

Versus

**The Secretary-Cum-Commissioner,
Deptt. of Food, Supplies and Consumer Affairs,
Govt. of NCT of Delhi,
K-Block, Vikas Bhawan,
I.P. Estate, New Delhi-110002
Email: cfood@nic.in**

.....Respondent

Date of Hearing: 28.03.2023

Present: Sh. Manoj Kumar, Complainant
Sh. Dinesh Mittal, FSO, AC-60, Krishna Nagar appeared on
behalf of Respondent

ORDER

The complainant, a person with 45% locomotor disability filed a complaint dated 09.04.2022 under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016, hereinafter referred to as the Act regarding non-issuance of new Ration Card to him. He submitted that he resides on a rented flat and being unemployed he has no source of money. He initially applied for issuance of a AAY/Priority Household Card in the Department of Food, Supplies & Consumer Affairs through Offline mode on 19.12.2019 as well as via online mode on 05.04.2020 under the PwD Quota at District Zonal Office (East), AC-

60, Krishna Nagar, Shanti Mohalla, Kanti Nagar, Delhi but he has not been issued any card till date.

2. The matter was taken up with the Secretary-Cum-Commissioner, Department of Food, Supplies and Consumer Affairs vide letter dated 22.04.2022 followed by reminders dated 18.07.2022, 19.10.2022 & 19.12.2022. In the absence of any response from the respondent, a hearing was scheduled on 28.03.2023.

3. During the hearing, the complainant reiterated his written submissions and added that he did not get any reply from the respondent till date about the status of his case. Thus, he requested for appropriate reply from respondent in this regard.

4. Sh. Dinesh Mittal, FSO, AC-60, Krishna Nagar appeared on behalf of respondent and confirmed that the new Ration Cards were being issued by F&S Deptt. on FIFO (First In First Out) basis keeping in view the capping fixed by the Central Govt. He also submitted that the written submission in this regard shall be furnished to this Court and complainant after due approval of the competent authority.

5. The matter was heard in detail and Court directs respondent (Secretary-Cum-Commissioner, Deptt. of Food, Supplies and Consumer Affairs) to file a reply citing reasons as explained in this Court's hearing to the complainant alongwith the copy of policy and orders of the Central Govt. on the subject within one month from the date of issue of this Order in the instant case. This Court be also apprised with the ATR as required under Section 81 of the Act.

6. Accordingly, the case is disposed of.

7. Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 28th day of March, 2023.

(Ranjan Mukherjee)
State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities