SOHAIL IKRAM PRESIDING OFFICER DISTRICT CONSUMER COURT GUJRANWALA

COMPLAINT / CASE NO. 21/2008

DATE OF INSTITUTION. 21-02-02

DATE OF DECISION. 17-04-08

STATE through Authority Gujranwala VS Unique CNG Tuck Shop..

Present:- Assistant Director Legal is present.

Respondent is not present.

JUDGMENT:

This order arises out of the reference sent by authority DCO Gujranwala and as per terms of section 23 (4) of the Punjab Consumer Protection Act, 2005.

Brief facts of the matter in hand are that Amer Ejaz National Coordinator Consumer Watch Pakistan purchased some packets of potato chips and clod drink form the tuck shop. The accumulative price of the food items was Rs. 85 but he sales man charge Rs. 110. when the complainant pointed out the overcharging, the sales man replied that the charged higher rates at petrol pumps. The case referred to the DCO / Chairman DCPC for appropriate legal action.

The respondent was summoned through ordinary means and as per report dated 03-03-08 respondent did not appear, therefore, the processes Server of this court was directed to serve the notices and for 07-03-08 the respondent received the notice but on 07-03-08 no body appeared on behalf of the respondent, therefore, the respondent was proceeded exparte. The exparte evidence in the form of oral evidence and documentary evidence was produced.

Amer Ejaz appeared as PW the above PW almost narrated that same facts in their evidence as narrated in compliant Exhibit "PB".

There is no evidence in rebuttal.

Under these circumstances I accept the petition of the complainant and it is ordered that the respondent shall return Rs. 110/-. The damages / compensation for the mental torture, stress, agony Rs.10000/-. The claim of the petition is decreed for a total amount of Rs.10110/- (rupees ten thousand one hundred ten rupees only) File be consigned in the record room after due to completion.

Announced:

17-04-08

(SOHAIL IKRAM)
PRESIDING OFFICER
District Consumer Court,
Guiranwala.

<u>CERTIFICATE:</u> This judgment consists of on one page and the same is dictated, corrected and signed by me.

(SOHAIL IKRAM)
PRESIDING OFFICER
District Consumer Court,
Gujranwala.