## LOKPAL OF INDIA (Plot No.6, Institutional Area, Phase-II, Vasant Kunj) New Delhi- 110070

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Complaint No.

:230/2024(arising out of Dy.No. 2522024)

Date

14.11.2024

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Shri Justice A.M. Khanwilkar

Chairperson

Shri Justice L. Narayana Swamy

**Judicial Member** 

**Shri Justice Sanjay Yadav** 

**Judicial Member** 

Shri Sushil Chandra

Member

Shri Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi

**Judicial Member** 

Shri Pankaj Kumar

Member

Shri Ajay Tirkey

Member

## **ORDER**

From the perusal of the statement of allegations, it appears that there
is discontentment amongst the resident of RWA, Gali Sagar Chand,
Shora Kothi, Subzi Mandi, Delhi towards lackadaisical working of the



- Junior Engineer of Delhi Jal Board posted at Malka Ganj Store resulting in supply of dirty water and overflow of sewers.
- It is also the allegation that, the complaints are not attended either by the said Junior Engineer nor by the CEO, Executive Engineer of the Delhi Jal Board and that the Inspector posted at Malka Ganj Office misbehaves.
- 3. On the bedrock of these allegations, the complainant seeks action against the officials of the Delhi Jal Board.
- 4. Section 14 of the Act of 2013, stipulates that, the Lokpal shall cause an inquiry to be conducted into any matter involved in, or arising from, or connected with, any allegation of corruption made in respect of any person who is or has been officer or employee in any corporation established by an Act of Parliament [section 14(1)f].
- 5. Thus, unless the allegations are in respect of omission or commission of an offence punishable under the provision of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, the complaint is not amenable to the jurisdiction of Lokpal.
- 6. In the case at hand, as apparent from the statement of allegations, the allegation of corruption is conspicuously missing, as would attract the jurisdiction.



- 7. In view whereof, since the complaint is not tenable, we refrain from causing any indulgence.
- 8. Consequently, the complaint is finally disposed of in the above term.
- 9. The complainant is however at liberty to avail remedy before appropriate legal forum.

## Sd/-(Justice A.M. Khanwilkar) Chairperson

Sd/-

(Justice L Narayana Swamy)

**Judicial Member** 

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Member

(Court Master)

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