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Q 17: I have authorized someone to buy a commodity for me and its price is five pounds but the seller gave it to the authorized man for 4.5 pounds. Does this person have the right to take the remaining amount?

A: This is considered to be a proxy and it is not permissible for the authorized person to take something from the money of the one who authorized him except with his permission because of the general evidence that states the prohibition of taking a Muslim's money except with the consent of the owner. May Allah grant us success! May peace and blessings be upon our Prophet Muhammad, his family and Companions!

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