

CONSUMER GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM

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Present:

Sri B.K.Singh	...	President
Sri Pulakesh Dasbhaya	...	Member (Finance)
Sri D.R Sahu	...	Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	BGH/203/2026			
2	Complainant	Name & Address:		Consumer No:	
		Gouranga Ch. Sahu		5153-0106-0282	
		At-Dasmile Chowk, Jai Laxmi Medical		Contact No.:	
		Dist-Bargarh		9778174510	
3	Respondent	Name		Division	
		SDO(Elect.), TPWODL, Sohela		BWED-II, TPWODL, Bargarh.	
4	Date of Application	06.06.2026			
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement / Termination		2. Billing Disputes	
		3. Classification / Reclassification of Consumers		4. Contract Demand / Connected Load	
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply		6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer	
		7. Interruptions		8. Metering	
		9. New Connection		10. Quality of Supply & GSOP	
		11. Security Deposit / Interest		12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments	
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership		14. Voltage Fluctuations	
		15. Others (Specify) -			
6	Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved	42(5)			
7	OERC Regulation(s):	Clauses			
	1	OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations, 2004			
	2	OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2004			
	3	Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation, 2006			
	4	OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations, 2004			
	5	Others-OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) code, 2019			155 & 157
8	Date(s) of Hearing	06.06.2026			
9	Date of Order	20.06.26			
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	✓	Respondent	Others
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil			
12	Appeared for the Complainant:		Appeared for the Respondent:		
	Gouranga Ch. Sahu		SDO(Elect.), TPWODL, Sohela		

ORDER



Brief Facts of the Case

During the spot hearing at Sohela Electrical Sub-division under Bargarh West Electrical Division camp on 06-06-2026, the complainant appeared before the Forum whereas SDO Sohela appeared as respondent before the Forum.

Brief facts pertaining to the case are that the Complainant is a LT- Domestic consumer having consumer No. 5153-0106-0282 with connected load of 2.00 KW. That the Complainant has raised objection regarding the average bill served to him for the month of Sep'2024. He requested for revision of bills and mentions about verbal complaint being made to the respondent earlier on.

Gist of Arguments made by the Parties

Both parties were present in the hearing. The contentions made by the parties are as follows:

1. Submission of the Complainant:

1. The complainant submits that, high consumption average bill have been served to him for the month of Sep'2024 resulted to accumulation of arrear.
2. He further submits that; he had made verbal complain to the respondent about the erroneous bill.
3. He also requested the Forum to revise the bills.

2. Reply Submission of the Respondent:

- i. The respondent also agreed upon average billing for the month of Sep'2024 and agreed for revision of bills and submitted PVR dated 09-06-2026 received on 11-06-2026. However, the respondent requested the Forum to take appropriate decision as necessary.

Findings and observations of the Forum

Written/verbal Submissions were made by both parties and arguments were heard at length. This Forum, after hearing the parties and going through the relevant documents, FG and Samadhan database (Licensee's soft records) and provisions of law have concluded as follows:

- a. That the complainant has been given power supply on 15-07-2011 under domestic category and bills on actual meter readings have been served up to Sep'2021 with a monthly average consumption of 40 units. From Oct'2021 to Aug'2024, bills on average basis have been raised with a monthly average consumption of 127 units but for the month of Sep'2024 bill has been raised @ 2955 units which is disputed by the complainant.
- b. In the meanwhile, a new meter bearing Sl. No. TWB653679 has been installed on 16-11-2024 in the premises of the complainant.
- c. Therefore, the Forum construed that the bill for the month of Sep'2024 should be revised.

Directions of the forum

In view of the above findings and discussions, the Forum is of the view that,

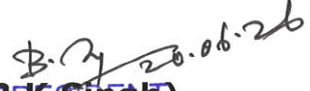
- The average/abnormal bill for the month of Sep'2024 is to be revised as per the average of six consecutive billing of new meter as per Section 155 and 157 of Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2019.
- Any adjustments done during the revision period are also to be taken in to consideration.
- DPS charged on the wrong bills are also to be withdrawn.

The Opposite party is directed to submit the compliance report to this Forum within one month from the date of issue of this order.

Accordingly, the case is disposed of.


(D.R. Sahu)
Co-Opted Member
Grievance Redressal Forum
TPWODL, Bargarh-768028
No. GRF/BGH/
207 (3)


(P. Dasbhaya)
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(B.K. Singh)
President
Grievance Redressal Forum
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Date: 20.06.26

Certified Copy to:

- 1) The Zonal Head, Bargarh Zone, TPWODL, Bargarh.
- 2) The Chief Legal, TPWODL, Burla.

"If the complainant is aggrieved with this order or non-implementation of the order of the Grievance Redressal Forum in time, he/she can make the representation to the Ombudsman-II, Qrs. No. 3R-2(S), GRIDCO Colony, P.O: Bhoynagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 (Tel. No. 0674-2543825 and Fax No. 0674-2546264) within 30 days from the date of order of the Grievances Redressal Forums".

This order can be accessed at TPWODL website www.tpwesternodisha.com- Customer Zone- Grievance Redressal Forum- BGH- GRF case No. BGH 203 of 2026.