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Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo Sri Krupasindhu Padhee Medical

Member (Finance)Co-Opted Member

Case No. Complaint Case No. BGR/125/2025 Name & Address Consumer No Contact No. 915202190095 Sri Baisakhu Padhan, 9178458327 2 Complainant/s At-District Cricket Building, Gandhi Stadium, Po/Dist-Subarnapur Division Name Sonepur Electrical Division, 3 Respondent/s S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, B.M.Pur TPWODL, Sonepur **Date of Application** 4 27.02.2025 2. Billing Disputes  $\checkmark$ 1. Agreement/Termination 3. Classification/Reclassi-4. Contract Demand / Connected fication of Consumers Load Disconnection 6. Installation of Equipment apparatus of Consumer Reconnection of Supply Interruptions 8. Metering 5 In the matter of-10. Quality of Supply & GSOP **New Connection** 12. Shifting of Service Connection & 11. Security Deposit / Interest equipments 14. Voltage Fluctuations 13. Transfer Consumer Ownership 15. Others (Specify) Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; OERC Regulation(s) Clause(s) with Clauses OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations, 2004; Clause\_ OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004; Clause Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation, 2006; Clause OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations,2004; Clause\_ Others Date(s) of Hearing 21.03.2025 Date of Order 27.03.2025 Respondent Others Order in favour of Complainant 10

CO-OPTED WEMBER

Details of Compensation Nil

awarded, if any.

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MEMBER (Fin.)

PRESIDENT

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Place of Hearing:

Camp Court at B.M.Pur

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Baisakhu Padhan

For the Respondent

-Sri Soumyaranjan Das, S.D.O (Elect.), B.M.Pur

## Complaint Case No. (BGR/125/2025

Sri Baisakhu Padhan, At-District Cricket Building, Gandhi Stadium, Po/Dist-Subarnapur Con. No. 915202190095 **COMPLAINANT** 

-Versus-

Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, B.M.Pur **OPPOSITE PARTY** 

## ORDER (Dt.27.03.2025)

During Camp Court hearing at B M Pur on 21<sup>st</sup> Mar. 2025, the consumer Shri Baisakhu Padhan was present & Shri Soumya Ranjan Das, SDO-B M Pur was present as opposite party.

## HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the consumer Shri Baisakhu Padhan who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 2 KW. He has disputed about the payments made by him which has not deducted from his account and requested for deduction of the same. The complainant needs suitable bill revision for the said period.

The case was heard in detail.

#### PROCEEDING OF HEARING DATED: 21.03.2025

## SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under ESO-B M Pur section of B M Pur Sub-division. The complainant represented that he was made some no. of payments towards energy bill which has not been deducted from his energy bill. He requested before the Forum for revision of bill.

#### SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY DURING HEARING

The OP appeared before the Forum with relevant records. On defence, he intimated that the consumer is a LT-Domestic consumer availing power supply since Dec.-1996. The dispute raised by the complainant for non-deduction of payment made towards energy bill is not a genuine dispute. Also, the allegation of non-issue of money receipt made by him is not true.

Based on the above, the OP requested before the Forum to reject the complaint of complainant and pass order as deemed fit.

CO-OPTED MEMBER

MEMBER (Fin.)

DDECIDENT

## FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS OF THE FORUM

The consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer with a CD of 2 KW. The consumer has availed power supply since 17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1996 and total outstanding upto Feb.-2025 is ₹ 91,808.85p. As complained by the complainant and submission of OP, it is observed by the Forum that,

The Complainant represented that he has made some payment which has not been adjusted subsequently needs bill revision. The OP submitted that all payments made by the complainant has properly adjusted. However, during the course of hearing, the Forum asked the consumer to produce the MR which has not been deducted. The complainant produced seven no. of MR and found that the same has been deducted from his energy bill. Secondly, the allegation of not providing MR is not based on facts.

During the hearing process, the OP submitted that they have initiated a bill revision for the average billing period of Jan-Feb/2001 to Apr-2005 and withdrawn ₹ 17,364.41p from his account on 05<sup>th</sup> Mar. 2025 which is to be reflected in the next month energy bill.

Considering the above facts, the Forum feels that the complaint of the complainant is not based on facts. On the other hand, the OP has examined the billing ledger and taken initiative for revision of energy bill pertaining to the period Jan-Feb/2001 to Apr-2005 and withdrawn ₹ 17,364.41p on 05<sup>th</sup> Mar. 2025. The Forum appreciate the pro-active action of OP.

In view of above facts and circumstances and after going through the documents submitted by both the parties, the Forum pronounces the following order as per regulations of the OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code 2019.

The complaint of the complainant is not based on facts. Hence, the petition is hereby rejected. The complainant is directed to clear the arrear outstanding of the licensee. The Forum advised the OP to allow suitable installment on the arrear outstanding to the complainant if the complainant desires and the complainant has to adhere the same.

Case is disposed off accordingly.

K.S.PADHÉE CO-OPTED MEMBER P.K.SAHOO MEMBER (Fin.) K.B SAHU

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- 3. DFM/ AFM/ JFM, Sonepur Electrical Division, TPWODL, Sonepur.
- 4. Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Bolangir.
- 5. Chief Legal, Head Quarter Office, TPWODL, Burla.

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