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Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo (Member (Finance)), Sri Krupasindhu Padhee, (Co-Opted Member)

Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/_

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At-Kesaipali, Po-Dudka,

Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

Dated, the____

- President

		Prasanta Kumar Sahoo - Krupasindhu Padhee -	Member (Finance) Co-Opted Member	
1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BGR/229/2025		
		Name & Address	Consumer No	Contact No.
		Sri Soumendra Sahu,	911313161082	9337290163
2	Complainant/s	For Sri Rama Sahu,		

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		Via-Salebhata, Dist-Bolangir				
3	Respondent/s	Name S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Loisingha		Division Bolangir Electrical Division, TPWODL, Bolangir		n,
4	Date of Application	11.04.2025				
	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	2. Billing Disputes			√
		3. Classification/Reclassi- fication of Consumers	4. Contract Demand / Connected Load			
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply	6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer			
_		7. Interruptions	8. Mete	8. Metering		
5		9. New Connection	10. Qual	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) -				
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Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved OERC Regulation(s) 1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; 155, 157 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 11.04.2025 22.04.2025 9 Date of Order Others Complainant Respondent 10 Order in favour of Details of Compensation 11 awarded, if any.

CO-OPTED MEMBER

MEMBER (Fin.)

PRESIDENT

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Place of Hearing:

Camp Court at Salebhata

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Soumendra Sahu

For the Respondent

-Sri Abanikanta Maharana, S.D.O (Elect.), Loisingha

Complaint Case No. BGR/229/2025

Sri Soumendra Sahu, For Sri Rama Sahu, At-Kesaipali, Po-Dudka, Via-Salebhata, Dist-Bolangir Con, No. 911313161082 **COMPLAINANT**

-Versus-

Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, Loisingha **OPPOSITE PARTY**

ORDER (Dt.22.04.2025)

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the representative of the consumer Shri Saurendra Sahu who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 0.5 KW. He has disputed that though he has availed power supply on 07th Oct. 2023 but energy bills have been raised from Jan.-2023 and appealed before the Forum for withdrawal of bills during no power supply period i.e. Jan-2023 to Sep.-2023. The complainant needs suitable bill revision for the said period.

The case was heard in detail.

PROCEEDING OF HEARING DATED: 11.04.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Salebhata section of Loisingha Sub-division. The complainant represented that he has been served with false bills from Jan-2023 to Sep.-2023 where he has not availed power supply. For that false bills, the arrear has been accumulated to ₹ 3,876.38p upto Mar.-2025. The complainant raised dispute against the said period and requested before the Forum for suitable 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 Jan.-2023. The billing dispute raised by the complainant for the false billing about no power supply period requires field verification for which seven days time may be allowed to make field verification.

Considering the above, the OP requested before the Forum to allow 7 day time to submit the physical verification report.

CO-OPTED TEMBER

MEMBER (Fil.)

PRESIDENT TO THE PRESIDENT

FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS OF THE FORUM

The consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer with a CD of 0.5 KW. As per record, the consumer has availed power supply since 01st Jan. 2023 and total outstanding upto Mar-2025 is ₹ 3,876.38p. As complained by the complainant and submission of OP, it is observed by the Forum that,

As per billing data, power supply to the consumer has been released on 01st Jan. 2023 but the consumer disputed that power supply to his premises has been released on 07th Oct. 2023. Against that, the OP was asked seven day time to verify the matter and will make field inspection. They were undertaken to submit a detailed report within 7 days before the Forum. The OP inspected the premises the premises on 17th Apr. 2025 and submitted the report on 21st Apr. 2025 vide ref. no. nil, dated 17th Apr. 2025 and certified that the consumer has availed power supply on 01st Oct. 2023. The inspection report dated 17th Apr. 2025 submitted by SDO-Loisingha has been taken into record.

From the above, it is clear evident that power supply has been given to the consumer on 01st Oct. 2023. Hence, the bills raised during no supply period needs bill revision under Cl-155 & 157 of OERC Dist. (Conditions of Supply) Code 2019 to redress the consumer grievances.

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.

- 1. The MMFC raised to the consumer from 01st Jan. 2023 to 30th Sep. 2023 must be withdrawn as there was no power supply to the consumer premises. Also, the KWH billed must be recasted considering date of power supply as 01st Oct. 2023.
- 2. DPS is to be levied as per OERC Regulation.
- 3. All sundries and adjustments are to be considered during the above revision period.

Case is disposed off accordingly.

Compliance report must be submitted to the Forum by the opposite party within one month after receipt of GRF order otherwise it will be treated as non-compliance.

PRESIDENT

Copy to: -

- 1. Sri Soumendra Sahu, At-Kesaipali, Po-Dudka, Via-Salebhata, Dist-Bolangir-767061.
- 2. Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, Loisingha.
- 3. DFM/ AFM/ JFM, Bolangir Electrical Division, TPWODL, Bolangir.
- 4. Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Bolangir.
- 5. Chief Legal, Head Quarter Office, TPWODL, Burla.

The order is also available at TPWODL. Web site: tpwesternodisha.com \rightarrow customer zone \rightarrow Grievance Redressal Forum \rightarrow $BOLANGIR \rightarrow (GRF\ CASE\ NO.)$

"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:Bhoinagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 within 30 days from the date of order of the Grievance Redressal Forums."