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

Dated, the 15/05/2025

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo Sri Krupasindhu Padhee - President

Member (Finance)Co-Opted Member

Case No. Complaint Case No. BGR/281/2025 Consumer No Contact No. Name & Address 9668316143 911523270067 Sri Lokanath Mugri, Complainant/s For Sri Shyam Sundar Mugri, 2 At-Narasinghpur, Po-Badngomunda, Via-Tusura, Dist-Bolangir Division Name Bolangir Electrical Division, S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Tusura Respondent/s 3 TPWODL, Bolangir **Date of Application** 4 09.05.2025 1. Agreement/Termination 2. Billing Disputes 4. Contract Demand / 3. Classification/Reclassification of Consumers Load 6. Installation of Equipment Disconnection apparatus of Consumer Reconnection of Supply 8. Metering Interruptions In the matter of-5 10. Quality of Supply & GSOP 9. New Connection 11. Security Deposit / Interest 12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments 14. Voltage Fluctuations 13. Transfer Consumer Ownership 15. Others (Specify) -Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved 1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; OERC Regulation(s) 155, 157 Clause(s) with Clauses 2. 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 8 09.05.2025 Date of Order 15.05.2025 Others Respondent 10 Order in favour of Complainant 11 Details of Compensation Nil awarded, if any.

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PRESIDENT

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Place of Hearing: Camp Court at Tusura

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Lokanath Mugri

For the Respondent

-Sri Sanjeeb Kumar Padhi, S.D.O (Elect.), Tusura

Complaint Case No. BGR/281/2025

Sri Lokanath Mugri, For Sri Shyam Sundar Mugri, At-Narasinghpur, Po-Badngomunda, Via-Tusura, Dist-Bolangir Con. No. 911523270067 COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

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

ORDER (Dt.15.05.2025)

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the representative of the consumer Shri Lokanath Muguri who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 1.5 KW. He has disputed that the existing meter (meter sl. no. TWB605292) has been installed during May-2024 but the OP has been updated this on May-2024 with inflated bill in May-2024. The complainant needs updation of meter replacement date and revision of bill.

The case was heard in detail.

PROCEEDING OF HEARING DATED: 09.05.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Deogaon section of Tusura Sub-division. The complainant represented that the existing meter has been installed during Dec-2023 but the OP has shown the date as May-2024 which needs to be amended in the billing. Due to such delay meter updation, inflated bill of May-2024 needs bill revision. The complainant raised dispute against the said period and requested before the Forum for suitable revision of the 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 Sep.-2003. The dispute raised by the complainant about the meter installation date of existing meter is not based on the facts and hence to be rejected.

Considering the above, the OP requested before the Forum to reject the petition of the complainant and pass order as deemed fit.

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FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS OF THE FORUM

The consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer with a CD of 1.5 KW. The consumer has availed power supply since 24th Sep. 2003 and total outstanding upto Mar.-2025 is ₹ 19,218.23p. As complained by the complainant that the present meter (meter sl. no. TWB605292) has been installed during Dec-2023 but the OP wrongly shown as May- 2024.

The Forum has gone through the documents submitted by both the parties along with FG billing data where the present meter installation date has been punched as 14th May 2024. During the course of hearing, the Forum directed the OP to submit the meter protocol sheet which has been generated at the time of meter replacement. The OP was asked seven day time to submit the same after obtaining from MMG team. The OP submitted the same on 13th May 2025 where it is shown that the meter has been replaced on 28th Dec. 2023. The protocol sheet dated 28th Dec. 2023 has been taken into record.

From the above, it is clear evident that the existing meter with meter sl. no. TWB605292 has been installed on 28th Dec. 2023.

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 meter replacement date of existing meter (meter sl. no. TWB605292) must be amended to 28th Dec. 2023 from 14th May 2024.
- 2. The energy bills raised to the consumer from 28th Dec. 2023 to May-2024 is to be revised considering IMR: 0 (28.12.2023) & FMR: 1650 (May-2024) under OERC Distribution Code 2019.
- 3. DPS is to be levied as per OERC Regulation.
- 4. 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.

K.S.PADHEE CO-OPTED MEMBER

P.K.ŠAHOO MEMBER (Fin.) K.B.SAHU PRESIDENT

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- 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."

