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Bench: Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu (President),

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

Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/ 528°

Dated, the 29/07/2025

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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/377/2025 Name & Address Consumer No Contact No. Sri Ashok Kumar Sahu, 912134010027 9668987252 2 Complainant/s At/Po-Sindhekela, Dist-Bolangir Name Division 3 Respondent/s S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Titilagarh Titilagarh Electrical Division. TPWODL, Titilagarh 4 Date of Application 16.07.2025 1. Agreement/Termination 2. Billing Disputes Classification/Reclassi-4. Contract Demand / Connected fication of Consumers Load Disconnection 6. Installation of Equipment Reconnection of Supply apparatus of Consumer Interruptions 8. Metering 5 In the matter of-**New Connection** 10. Quality of Supply & GSOP 11. Security Deposit / Interest 12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments 13. Transfer Consumer 14. Voltage Fluctuations Ownership 15. Others (Specify) -6 Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses 155, 157 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 6. Others Date(s) of Hearing 16.07.2025 9 Date of Order 29.07.2025

CO-OPTED MEMBER

Details of Compensation Nil

Complainant

Order in favour of

awarded, if any.

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MEMBER (Fin.)

Respondent

PRESIDENT

Others

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Place of Hearing: Camp Court at Sindhekela

Appeared:

BOLANGIR

For the Complainant -Sri Ashok Kumar Sahu

For the Respondent -Sri Kailash Chandra Swain, DM (F&C) (Representative)

Complaint Case No. BGR/377/2025

Sri Ashok Kumar Sahu, At/Po-Sindhekela, Dist-Bolangir Con. No. 912134010027 COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

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

ORDER (Dt.29.07.2025)

During Camp Court hearing at Sindhekela Section Office on 16th Jul. 2025, the consumer Shri Ashok Kumar Sahu was present & Shri Kailash Chandra Swain, Dy. Manager (Fin. & Com.), Titilagarh division was present on behalf of SDO-Titilagarh as opposite party.

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the consumer Shri Ashok Kumar Sahu who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 1.5 KW. He has disputed that power supply to his premises was under disconnection since 17th Jan. 2022 but energy bills have been raised regularly and appealed before the Forum for withdrawal of bills during power supply disconnection period. The complainant needs suitable bill revision for the said period.

The case was heard in detail.

PROCEEDING OF HEARING DATED: 16.07.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Sindhekela section of Titilagarh Sub-division. The complainant represented that he has been served with false bills from Feb.-2022 to till date where he has not availed power supply. For that false bills, the arrear has been accumulated to ₹ 1,441.80p upto Jul.-2022. 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 Aug-2005. 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.

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PRESIDENT

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

FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS OF THE FORUM

The consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer with a CD of 1.5 KW. As per record, the consumer has availed power supply since 02nd Aug. 2005 and total outstanding upto Jul.-2022 is ₹ 1,441.80p, thereafter no bill has been generated. As complained by the complainant and submission of OP, it is observed by the Forum that,

The consumer represented that power supply to his premises has been disconnected since 17th Jan. 2022 and till date it is under disconnection status. Against that, the OP was asked seven day time to verify the matter and will make field inspection. They have undertaken to submit a detailed report within 7 days before the Forum. The OP inspected the premises the premises on 22nd Jul. 2025 and submitted the report before the Forum on 25th Jul. 2025 and certified that the consumer has availed power supply upto 19th Dec. 2022 and thereafter power supply has been disconnected. The inspection report dated 22nd Jul. 2025 submitted by ESO-Sindhekela has been taken into record.

From the above, it is clearly evident that power supply to the consumer premises has been disconnected since 19th Dec. 2022.

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 consumer must be tagged under PDC category under Cl-49 (vi) of OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code 2019.
- 2. A final bill should be raised upto 19th Dec. 2022 alongwith MMFC with other statutory charges upto Feb.-2023 and served to the consumer for making payment.
- 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.SAHOO MEMBER (Fin.) K.B.SAHU PRESIDENT

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- 1. Sri Ashok Kumar Sahu, At/Po-Sindhekela, Dist-Bolangir-767035.
- 2. Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, Titilagarh.
- 3. DFM/ AFM/ JFM, Titilagarh Electrical Division, TPWODL, Titilagarh.
- 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 → customer zone → Grievance Redressal Forum → BOLANGIR → (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."



