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Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/

Dated, the 16/08/

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo Sri Krupasindhu Padhee - President

- Member (Finance)

- Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BGR/427/2025				
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		Sri Hemanta Meher,		911313080033	9938295	
2	Complainant/s	For Sri Bhokolo Meher,		<i>>1101000000</i>	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	201
	-	At-Balpur, Po-Kutasingha,				
		Via-Lachhipur, Dist-Sonepur	•	- 1 ± ± ±		
		Name		Division		
3	Respondent/s	S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Loisingha		Bolangir Electrical Division, TPWODL, Bolangir		
4	Date of Application	06.08.2025				
5		1. Agreement/Termination	2. Billin	2. Billing Disputes √		1
		3. Classification/Reclassi-	4. Cont	4. Contract Demand / Connected		
		fication of Consumers		Load		
		5. Disconnection /		6. Installation of Equipment &		
		Reconnection of Supply 7. Interruptions		apparatus of Consumer		
		9. New Connection		8. Metering 10. Quality of Supply & GSOP		
		11. Security Deposit / Interest	12. Shift	12. Shifting of Service Connection &		
		equipments				
		13. Transfer of Consumer		14. Voltage Fluctuations		
		Ownership				77
		15. Others (Specify) –				
6	Section(s) of Electricity					
7	OERC Regulation(s)	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019;				
	with Clauses	Clause(s) 155, 157 2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Populations 2004.				
		2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations, 2004; Clause				
		3. OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations, 2004; Clause				
		4. Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation, 2006; Clause				
		5. OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations, 2004;				
	× = = = =	Clause				
8	Data(s) of Heaving	6. Others				
9	Date(s) of Hearing Date of Order	06.08.2025				
10	Order in favour of	14.08.2025 Complainant √ Responde				
11			ent		Others	
11	Details of Compens awarded, if any.	ation Nil				

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MEMBER (Fin.)

PRESIDENT

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Place of Hearing: Camp Court at Kutasingha

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Hemanta Meher

For the Respondent

-Sri Saroj Kumar Kanda, S.D.O (Elect.), Loisingha

Complaint Case No. BGR/427/2025

Sri Hemanta Meher, For Sri Bhokolo Meher, At-Balpur, Po-Kutasingha, Via-Lachhipur, Dist-Sonepur Con. No. 911313080033

COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, Loisingha

OPPOSITE PARTY

ORDER (Dt.14.08.2025)

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the representative of the consumer Shri Hemanta Meher who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 1.2 KW. He has disputed about the provisional and inflated bill raised from the date of power supply to Dec-2006. He has filed grievances for revision of bill. The complainant needs suitable bill revision for the said period.

The case was heard in detail.

PROCEEDING OF HEARING DATED: 06.08.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Salebhata section of Loisingha Sub-division. The complainant represented that he was served with provisional and inflated bills from the date of power supply to dec-2006. For that disputed bills, the total outstanding has been accumulated to ₹ 9,305.06p upto Jun.-2025. The complainant raised dispute against the said period and requested before the Forum for suitable revision of the bill.

PREVIOUS COMPLAINS IF ANY:

Not available.

SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY DURING HEARING

The OP appeared before the Forum with relevant record. On defence, he intimated that the consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer availing power supply since Dec-2004. The billing dispute raised by the complainant for the provisional and inflated billing from the date of power supply to Dec-2006 2023 is a genuine dispute. This has happened due to suppressed meter reading done by concerned meter to prevent actual billing in the previous months. As the above-stated period bill has not been revised, it needs bill revision.

Considering the above, the OP requested before the Forum for revision of previous disputed

bills 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 1.2 KW. The consumer has availed power supply since 29th Dec. 2004 and total outstanding upto Jun.-2025 is ₹ 9,305.06p. As complained by the complainant and submission of OP, it is observed by the Forum that,

1. The consumer represented that erroneous reading & inflated billing was done from the date of power supply to Dec-2006 which needs bill revision as per actual meter reading.

The OP admitted the complaint and submitted that due to supressed meter reading by the concerned meter reader in the above-stated period, the consumer was billed less units than his actual consumption. Hence, to resolve the consumer grievances, the meter reading should be recasted as per TPWODL guidelines.

- 2. The OP intimated that a bill revision was done with withdrawal amount of ₹ 3,279.00p. After careful consideration, the OP initiated bill revision process on the spot observing departmental guidelines. Accordingly, the monthly bill has been recalculated with the consumption and an amount of ₹ 1,575.80p (₹ 4,854.80p ₹ 3,279.00p) is to be withdrawn from the arrear outstanding.
- 3. The complainant has not paid the monthly bill regularly for which the total has been accumulated to ₹ 9,305.06p upto Jun.-2025.

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 OP was agreed with the billing dispute and revised the bill on spot and the petitioner was convinced with the proposed withdrawal amount of $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{=}} 1,575.80p$ ($\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{=}} 4,854.80p$ - $\stackrel{?}{\stackrel{?}{=}} 3,279.00p$). Hence, the Forum directed the OP to carry-out the revision proposal and must be reflected in the next bill.

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.

CO-OPTED MEMBER

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

Copy to: -

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- 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 TPWODI. Web site: tpwesternodisha.com → customer zone → Grievance Redressal Forum → $BOLANGIR \rightarrow (GRF\ CASE\ NO.)$

"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."