

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BOLANGIR

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Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/ 737

Dated, the 16/10/2025

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

PresidentMember (Finance)

Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo Sri Krupasindhu Padhee

Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BGR/52	4/2025			
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address		Consumer No	Contact	No.
		Sri Nabin Kumar Biswal,		911212200119	9556240	0044
		At/Po-Bilaisarda,				
		Dist-Bolangir		-		
		Name		Division		TI.
3	Respondent/s	S.D.O (Elect.), No. II, TPWODL, Bolangir		Bolangir Electrical Division,		
		TPWODL, Bolangir				
4	Date of Application	08.10.2025				
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	2. Billi	2. Bining Disputes		√
		3. Classification/Reclassi-	4. Con	Contract Demand / Connected		*2
		fication of Consumers		Load		
		5. Disconnection /		Installation of Equipment &		
		Reconnection of Supply		apparatus of Consumer . Metering		
		7. Interruptions), Quality of Supply & GSOP		
		9. New Connection 11. Security Deposit / Interest		12. Shifting of Service Connection &		
		11. Becarity Deposits.		pments		
		13. Transfer of Consumer	14. Volt	14. Voltage Fluctuations		
		Ownership				
		15. Others (Specify) -				
6	Section(s) of Electricity	Act, 2003 involved				
7	OERC Regulation(s)	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; Clause(s) 155, 157				
	with Clauses					
	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				
		6. Others				
8	Date(s) of Hearing	08.10.2025				
9	Date of Order	16.10.2025				
10	Order in favour of	Complainant √ Responde	nt	0	thers	
11	Details of Compensation Nil					
	awarded, if any.	1,11		2		
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CO-OPTED MEMBER

MEMBER (Fin.)

PRESIDENT

Place of Hearing:

Camp Court at Bilaisarda



Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Nabin Kumar Biswal

For the Respondent

-Sri Jagannath Mohanty, ESO, Chhatamakhna

Complaint Case No. BGR/524/2025

Sri Nabin Kumar Biswal, At/Po-Bilaisarda, Dist-Bolangir Con. No. 911212200119 COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, No. II, TPWODL, Bolangir **OPPOSITE PARTY**

ORDER (Dt.16.10.2025)

During Camp Court hearing at Bileisarda on 08th Oct. 2025, the consumer Shri Nabin Kumar Biswal was present & Shri Jagannath Mahanty, ESO-Chatamakhna was present as opposite party.

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the consumer Shri Nabin Kumar Biswal who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 1.5 KW. He has disputed about the inflated and erroneous bills raised in may occasion during the period Dec-2008 to Jul-2021. He has filed his 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: 08.10.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Chatamakhna section of Balangir-II Sub-division. The complainant represented that he was served with erroneous & inflated bill in many occasions between Dec-2008 to Jul-2021. For that, the total outstanding has been accumulated to ₹52,915.91p upto Sep-2025. 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 record. On defence, he intimated that the consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer availing power supply since Aug.-2008. The billing dispute raised by the complainant for the inflated and erroneous billing 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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PRESIDENT

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 20th Aug. 2008 under DOM category and total outstanding upto Sep-2025 is ₹ 52,915.91p. 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 in between Dec-2008 to Jul-2021 which needs bill revision as per actual meter reading.



The OP admitted the complaint and submitted that due to suppressed 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.

During the course of hearing, the OP has admitted with the billing complaints and initiated bill revision process on the spot observing departmental guidelines. Accordingly, the monthly bill has been recalculated with the consumption and an amount of ₹ 1,336.04p is to be withdrawn from the arrear outstanding.

2. The complainant has not paid the monthly bill regularly for which the total has been accumulated to ₹ 52,915.91p upto Sep.-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 has agreed with the billing dispute and revised the bill on spot and the petitioner was convinced with the proposed withdrawal amount of ₹ 1,336.04p. 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

MEMBER (Fin.)

K.B.SAHU PRESIDENT

Copy to: -

1. Sri Nabin Kumar Biswal, At/Po-Bilaisarda, Dist-Bolangir-767071.

- 2. Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, No. II, TPWODL, Bolangir.
- 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; towesternodisha.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."