

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BOLANGIR

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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/ 1009

Dated, the 29/10/2024

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu

- President

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

| 1 | Case No. | Complaint Case No. BGR/595/2024 | | | | |
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| 2 | Complainant/s | Name & Address | | Consumer No | onsumer No Contact No. | |
| | | Sri Laba Sahu, | | 915303040254 | 7077000708 | |
| | | At/Po-Binka, Tanlapada, | | Te. | | |
| | | Dist-Sonepur | | 300 | | |
| 3 | Respondent/s | Name | | Division | | |
| | | S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Binka | | Sonepur Electrical Division, | | |
| | | TPWODL, Sonepur | | | | |
| 4 | Date of Application | 03.09.2024 | | | | |
| * | | 1. Agreement/Termination | 2. Billi | 2. Billing Disputes √ | | |
| | , | 3. Classification/Reclassi- | 4. Con | 4. Contract Demand / Connected | | |
| | In the matter of- | fication of Consumers | 2000 | Load | | |
| | | 5. Disconnection / | | 6. Installation of Equipment & | | |
| | | Reconnection of Supply | | apparatus of Consumer | | |
| 5 | | 7. Interruptions | 8. Mete | o. Metering | | 1 |
| | | 9. New Connection | 10. Qua | 10. Quality of Supply & GSOP 12. Shifting of Service Connection & | | |
| | | 11. Security Deposit / Interest | equi | equipments | | |
| 4 . | | 13. Transfer of Consumer | 14. Volt | 14. Voltage Fluctuations | | |
| 7 | | Ownership | | | | |
| 17.7 | | 15. Others (Specify) – | | | | |
| 6 | ection(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved | | | | | |
| 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) Regulations, 2004; | | | | |
| | | 2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations, 2004; Clause | | | | |
| | 17.0 | 3. OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004; Clause | | | | |
| | | 4. Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation, 2006; Clause | | | | |
| 1 | | 5. OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations,2004; | | | | |
| Sold of | | Clause | | | | |
| | - " | 6. Others | | | | |
| 8 | Date(s) of Hearing | 03.09.2024 | | | | |
| 9 | Date of Order | 29.10.2024 | | | | |
| 10 | Order in favour of | Complainant √ Respondent Others | | | | |
| 11 | Details of Compens | sation Nil | | | | |
| | awarded, if any. | *** | | | | |

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Place of Hearing:

Camp Court at Binka

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Laba Sahu

For the Respondent

-Sri Udaya Sankar Patjoshi, S.D.O (Elect.), Binka

Complaint Case No. BGR/595/2024

Sri Laba Sahu, At/Po-Binka, Tanlapada, Dist-Sonepur Con. No. 915303040254 COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division,

TPWODL, Binka

OPPOSITE PARTY

ORDER (Dt.29.10.2024)

During spot hearing at Binka consumer camp on dt.03.09.2024 the Complainant Sri Laba Sahu appeared before the Forum in person and Sri Udaya Sankar Patjoshi, S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Binka appeared as opposite party.

The Complainant bearing consumer no. 915303040254 in his written petition stated that the power supply to his premises was under disconnection from the year 2013 to till 2021. Subsequently it was reconnected on installation of a new meter but bills were raised during the period of disconnection resulting a huge arrear. He therefore requested before the Forum for withdrawal of wrong billings by way of a suitable bill revision.

On the other hand the opposite party submitted a billing abstract concerning to the period from November'2009 to July'2024 having being enclosed with a PVR and a written version dt.03.10.2024 which reveals that;

- 1. The date of power supply to the premises is dt.13.11.2009.
- 2. Average bills have been raised in different spells of time with variation of consumption.
- 3. A new meter has been installed on dt.25.09.2021 having Sl. No. WLT250034 and actual billing is being done therefrom.
- 4. It appears that the line was disconnected during the period from March'2013 to September'2021 since no payment appears to have been done during the period and is of the opinion for revision of wrong billings done in this regard.

The Forum after going through the written version taken into the record the period of disconnection from March'2013 to September'2021 since a new meter is seen to have been replaced on dt.25.09.2021 bearing no. WLT250034 and thus is of the opinion for revision of bills as per norms of the OERC regulation 2019.

Basing on above observations, Forum passes the following direction as per Regulation of OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code 2019.

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The monthly bills raised during the period of disconnection i.e. from March'2013 to eptember'2021 are to be withdrawn excepting the fixed charges.

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

Copy to: -

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1. Sri Laba Sahu, at/Po-Binka, Tanlapada, Dist-Sonepur.

- 2. Sub-Divisional Officer, Electrical Sub-Division, TPWODL, Binka.
- 3. DFM/ AFM/ JFM, Sonepur Electrical Division, TPWODL, Sonepur.
- 4. Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Bolangir.

5. Chief Legal, Head Quarter Office, TPWODL, Burla.

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

"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."