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Bench: Er. Sambit Kumar Nanda (President),

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

Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/ 898/CS

Dated, the 30/12/2025

Corum: Er. Sambit Kumar Nanda
Sri Prasanta Kumar Sahoo
Sri Krupasindhu Padhee

- President
- Member (Finance)
- Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BGR/629/2025					
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address		Consumer No	Contact No.		
		Sri Harish Kumar Rana, For Sri Satyaban Rana, At/Po-Kholan, Via-Titilagarh, Dist-Bolangir		912123061632	9337509482		
3	Respondent/s	Name		Division			
		S.D.O (Elect.), TPWODL, Titilagarh		Titilagarh Electrical Division, TPWODL, Titilagarh			
4	Date of Application	15.12.2025					
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination		2. Billing Disputes		✓	
		3. Classification/Reclassification of Consumers		4. Contract Demand / Connected Load			
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply		6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer			
		7. Interruptions		8. Metering			
		9. New Connection		10. Quality of Supply & GSOP			
		11. Security Deposit / Interest		12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments			
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership		14. Voltage Fluctuations			
		15. Others (Specify) –					
		6	Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved				
		7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; Clause(s) 155, 157			
				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			
				6. Others			
8	Date(s) of Hearing	15.12.2025					
9	Date of Order	30.12.2025					
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Respondent	<input type="checkbox"/>	Others	
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil					

CO-OPTED MEMBER

MEMBER (Fin.)

PRESIDENT

Place of Hearing: Camp Court at Kholan



Appeared:

For the Complainant
For the Respondent

Sri Harish Kumar Rana
Sri Binaya Kumar Panigrahi, S.D.O (Elect.), Titilagarh

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Sri Harish Kumar Rana,
For Sri Satyaban Rana,
At/Po-Kholan, Via-Titilagarh,
Dist-Bolangir
Con. No. 912123061632

COMPLAINANT

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

OPPOSITE PARTY

ORDER
(Dt.30.12.2025)

During Camp Court hearing at Kholan on 15th Dec. 2025, the representative of the consumer Shri Harish Kumar Rana was present & Shri Binay Kumar Panigrahi, SDO-Titilagarh was present as opposite party.

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complaint petition filed by the representative of the consumer Shri Harish Kumar Rana who is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 2 KW. He has disputed about the inflated and erroneous bills raised from the date of power supply to Jun-2018. 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 : 15.12.2025

SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under ESO-II section of Titilagarh Sub-division. The complainant represented that he was served with erroneous & inflated bill from the date of power supply to Jun-2018. For that, the total outstanding has been accumulated to ₹ 83,703.64p upto Nov-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 May-2002. The billing dispute raised by the complainant for the inflated and erroneous billing from the date of power supply to Jun-2018 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.

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Considering the above, the OP requested before the Forum for revision of previous disputed bills and pass order as deemed fit.

FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS OF THE FORUM

The consumer is a LT-Dom. consumer with a CD of 2 KW. The consumer has availed power supply since 23rd May 2002 under DOM category and total outstanding upto Nov-2025 is ₹ 83,703.64p. 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 Jun-2018 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 ₹ 10,384.12p 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 ₹ 83,703.64p upto Nov.-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 ₹ 10,384.12p. 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.


K.S.PADHEE
CO-OPTED MEMBER


P.K.SAHOO
MEMBER (Fin.)


S.K.NANDA
PRESIDENT

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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."