

# **GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BOLANGIR**

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3 Memo No.GRF/BGR/Order/

Dated, the

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Er. Kumuda Bandhu Sahu Sri Krupasindhu Padhee

President

**Co-Opted Member** 

1	Case No.	Case No. Complaint Case No. BGR/726/2024					
	3. 1 Y Y Y	Name & Address		Consumer No Conta		No.	
2	Complainant/s	Sri Chudamani Pande, For Smt. Sabita Pande, At-Mandiapadar, Po-Hirapur, Dist-Bolangir		911212140328	9668390989		
3	Respondent/s	Name S.D.O (Elect.), No. II, TPWODL, Bolangir		Division Bolangir Electrical Division, TPWODL, Bolangir			
4	Date of Application	20.11.2024					
02   13   07   1   2   1		1. Agreement/Termination	2. Billi	ng Disputes √			
		3. Classification/Reclassi- fication of Consumers	4. Con	ontract Demand / Connected			
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply	appa	6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer			
5	In the matter of-	7. Interruptions	8. Met				
		9. New Connection		Quality of Supply & GSOP			
		11. Security Deposit / Interest		. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments			
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership	14. Volt	. Voltage Fluctuations			
		15. Others (Specify) –					
6	Section(s) of Electricity	Act, 2003 involved		0 7			
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	<ol> <li>OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019;</li> <li>Clause(s) 155, 157</li> <li>OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations,2004</li> </ol>					
		<u>Clause</u>					
		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	20.11.2024					
9	Date of Order	30.11.2024		Francisco de la composición del composición de la composición de l			
10	Order in favour of	Complainant   Respondent   Others					
11	Details of Compens awarded, if any.				Action 2		

PRESIDENT

Place of Hearing:

Camp Court at Chhatamakhna

Appeared:

For the Complainant

-Sri Chudamani Pande

For the Respondent

-Sri Sunil Kumar Swain, S.D.O (Elect.), No. II, Bolangir

# Complaint Case No. BGR/726/2024

Sri Chudamani Pande, For Smt. Sabita Pande, At-Mandiapadar, Po-Hirapur, Dist-Bolangir Con. No. 911212140328 COMPLAINANT

-Versus-

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

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## ORDER (Dt.30.11.2024)

HISTORY OF THE CASE

The Complainant is a LT-Dom. consumer availing a CD of 0.5 KW. He has disputed about the erroneous avg bills from Apr-24 to Oct-24 due to meter no mismatch. Actual meter sl no is TWSP51157879 whereas wrongly billed through TWST1732368. He has submitted 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: 20.11.2024

#### SUBMISSION OF COMPLAINANT DURING HEARING

The complainant is a consumer under Chhatamakhna Section of Sub-division No-II, Bolangir. The consumer represented that he was served with erroneous avg bills from Apr-24 to Oct-24 due to meter no. mismatch. For that abnormal bills, the arrear has been accumulated to ₹ 8640.22 upto Oct-2024. 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 records. On defence, he intimated that the consumer is a LT-Domestic consumer availing power supply since Dt.24.7.2023. The billing dispute raised by the complainant for the erroneous billing from Apr-2024 to Oct-2024 is a genuine dispute which needs bill revision. This has happened due to wrong tagging of meter no, in the concerned consumer account.

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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 0.5 KW. The consumer has availed power supply since 24<sup>th</sup> july. 2023 and the arrear accumulated to ₹ 8640.22 upto Oct-2024.. As complained by the complainant and submission of OP, it is observed by the Forum that,

1. The meter with sl. no. TWSP51157879 has been installed on 15<sup>th</sup> Apr. 2024 but due to wrong tagging of meter number, the consumer has been billed erroneously from Apr-2024 to Oct-2024 which needs bill revision as per actual meter reading.



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 ₹ 5,356.26p is to be withdrawn from the arrear outstanding.

2. The complainant has not paid the monthly bill regularly for which the arrear has accumulated to ₹ 8,640.22p upto Oct.-2024.

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 total withdrawal amount of ₹ 5,356.26p. 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 K.B\SAHU PRESIDENT

Copy to: -

1. Sri Chudamani Pande, At-Mandiapadar, Po-Hirapur, Dist-Bolangir.

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: tpwesternodisha.com  $\rightarrow$  customer zone  $\rightarrow$  Grievance Redressal Forum  $\rightarrow$  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."