



GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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ER. RANJAN KUMAR NAIK (PRESIDENT),
SRI KAMALA KANTA PATTNAIK (MEMBER (FINANCE))

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 786th Dated, the 06.01.2025

Quorum: Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik - President
Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik - Member (Finance)
Sri Bhairaba Naik - Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BPT-518/2024																			
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Sri Lalbahadur Kathar, At/Po-Belkhandi, Ps-Kesinga, Dist.-Kalahandi.	Consumer No 9033-1406-0556	Contact No. 70770-04376																	
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Devi Prasad Dixit, SDO Elect. Kesinga, TPWODL.	Division Kalahandi East Electrical Division, TPWODL																		
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8	Date(s) of Hearing	16.12.2024																			
9	Date of Order	06.01.2025																			
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	✓ Respondent	Others																	
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any	Nil																			

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MEMBER (Fin.)
MEMBER
Grievance Redressal Forum
TPWODL, Bhawanipatna

PRESIDENT
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GRF, Bhawanipatna



Place of Hearing: Kesinga

Appeared:

1. **For the Complainant** – Sri Lalbahadur Kathar, At/Po-Belkhandi, Ps-Kesinga, Dist.-Kalahandi.
2. **For the Respondent** – Sri Devi Prasad Dixit, SDO Elect. Kesinga, TPWODL.

Complaint Case No. BPT-518/2024

Sri Lalbahadur Kathar,
At/Po-Belkhandi,
Ps-Kesinga,
Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9033-1406-0556

COMPLAINANT

Sri Devi Prasad Dixit,
SDO Elect. Kesinga,
TPWODL.

-Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Lalbahadur Kathar, AT/Po- Belkhandi, Ps- Kesinga, Dist- Kalahandi under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at Kesinga on dt. 16.12.24, in brief as follows:

- 1) The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/ Domestic supply with CD of 044 KW having consumer no- **9033-1406-0556** under SDO Elect. Kesinga.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that the average bill was served though the meter was running.
- 3) The complainant has intimated the same to the OP, but till date the OP remains silent for which getting no other way the complainant has approached this forum for redressal of his grievance.

The complainant has prayed for:

To revise the excess bill.

SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY IN BRIEF:

The OP (SDO Elect. Kesinga) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

- 1) PVR: 19/12/2024
- 2) Bill details from: 12/2007 to 11/2024
- 3) Date of supply: 21/11/2007
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 0.44 KW



- 6) Meter No – TWB314659
- 7) Installed on: 15/03/2024 with IMR: "0"
- 8) CMR: 422 Kwh as on 19/12/2024
- 9) The meter status: Ok
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Kesinga as follows:
 - Average bill from 08/2013 to 05/2017.
 - Excess billing in the month of 02/2023 and 03/2024.

FINDINGS / OBSERVATIONS OF THE FORUM

On perusal of the complaint petition with all relevant enclosures as well as submission of OP and billing statement; the forum observes the followings:

- The complainant reiterated for excess billing.
- The OP submitted that average bill from 08/2013 to 05/2017.
- Excess billing in the month of 02/2023 and 03/2024.
- As per billing database some bill was raised in high consumption meter reading from 12/2007 to 09/2023, which seems suppress meter reading.

ORDER

06.01.2025

Basing on above observations, the forum passes the following order as per regulations of OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code 2019.

The OP is directed as follows:

- To recast the bill from 12/2007 to 09/2023 with IMR "0" Kwh on 12/2007 and FMR "8950" Kwh on 09/2023.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

Compliance report must be submitted to the Forum by January-25 by the opposite party after compliance otherwise it will be treated as non-compliance.

Compliance Month-January-25

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Co-Opted Member

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MEMBER (Fin.)
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R.K. NAIK
PRESIDENT
PRESIDENT
GRF, Bhawanipatna

Copy to: -

1. Sri Lalbahadur Kathar, ATPO Belkhandi, Ps- Kesinga, Dist- Kalahandi
2. SDO Elect. Kesinga. TPWODL
3. Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Kalahandi.
4. Chief Legal, Head Quarter Office, TPWODL, Burla.

"If the Complainant is aggrieved with this order of the Grievance Redressal Forum, 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."