

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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Memo No. C	GRF/BPT/Order/	Dated, the			
Quorum:	Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik	-	President		
	Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik	-	Member (Finance)		

Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik - Member (Finance)
Sri Bhairaba Naik - Co-Opted Member

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1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BPT-557/2024					
		Name & Address			Consumer No Contact N		
2	Complainant/s	Smt Sindura Majhi, Repr. By Sri Raja Majhi, At-Bhatel, Po-Sergarh, Ps-Narla, Dist Kalahandi.		9034-2315-0722	99374-58012		
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Kamalesh Kumar Pradhan, SDO Elect. Narla, TPWODL.		Kalahandi Ea	Division Kalahandi East Electrical Division, TPWODL		
4	Date of Application						
	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	2.	2. Billing Disputes √			
5		Classification/Reclassification of Consumers Disconnection / Reconnection	The second	4. Contract Demand / Connected Load 6. Installation of Equipment &			
		of Supply		apparatus of Consumer			
		7. Interruptions		8. Metering			
		9. New Connection		10.Quality of Supply & GSOP 12.Shifting of Service Connection			
		11. Security Deposit / Interest		& equipment's			
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership	14.	14.Voltage Fluctuations			
		15. Others (Specify) –					
6	Section(s) of Electri	city Act, 2003 involved					
7	OERC Regulation(s) with	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019;					
	Clauses	2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations,2004 Clause					
		3. OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004; Clause					
	A WELL	4. Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation,2006; Clause					
	(4)	5. OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations,2004; Clause					
	The state of the s	6. Others					
8	Date(s) of Hearing	20.12.2024					
9	Date of Order	06.01.2025				·	
10	Order in favour of	Complainant √ Respond	dent	0	thers		
11	Details of Cor awarded, if any.	npensation Nil				/	

CO- OPTED MEMBER

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Grievance Redressal Forum

PRESIDENT

GRF, Bhawanipatna



Place of Hearing: M. Rampur Appeared:

- 1. **For the Complainant** Smt Sindura Majhi, Repr. By Sri Raja Majhi, At-Bhatel, Po-Sergarh, Ps-Narla, Dist.-Kalahandi.
- 2. For the Respondent Sri Kamalesh Kumar Pradhan, SDO Elect. Narla, TPWODL.

 <u>Complaint Case No. BPT-557/2024</u>

Smt Sindura Majhi, Repr. By Sri Raja Majhi, At-Bhatel, Po-Sergarh, Ps-Narla, Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9034-2315-0722

COMPLAINANT

Sri Kamalesh Kumar Pradhan, SDO Elect. Narla, TPWODL. -Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Smt. Sindura Majhi Repr. by Sri Raja Majhi, AT- Bhatel, Po- Sergarh, Ps- Narla, Dist- Kalahandi under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at M. Rampur on dt. 20.12.24, in brief as follows:

- The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/domestic supply with CD of 0.04 KW having consumer no- 9034-2315-0722 under SDO Elect. Narla.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that abnormal bill was served in the month of 12/2023 & 06/2024.
- 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.

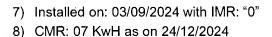
The complainant has prayed for:

To revise the excess bill.

SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY IN BRIEF:

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

- 1) PVR: 24/12/2024
- 2) Bill details from: 01/2022 to 11/2024
- 3) Date of supply: 17/04/2019
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 0.04 KW
- 6) Meter No TWST1801505



9) The meter status: Ok

10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill

1) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Narla as follows:

- After verification from the consumer ledger, it is to be found that the following revision proposal to be done.
 - 1) The defective bill from 01/2024 to 06/2024 may be revised by taking average of six months of new meter installed i.e. from 09/2024 to 02/2025.
 - 2) We may recast the reading the meter from 04/2019 to 12/2023 as IMR 0 kwh and FMR 1231 kwh as 1090 units was billed in the month of 12/2023.

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 after verification from the consumer ledger, it is to be found that the following revision proposal to be done.
 - 1)The defective bill from 01/2024 to 06/2024 may be revised by taking average of six months of new meter installed i.e. from 09/2024 to 02/2025.
 - 2)We may recast the reading the meter from 04/2019 to 12/2023 as IMR 0 kwh and FMR 1231 kwh as 1090 units was billed in the month of 12/2023.
- As per billing database an unit of "1090" bill was served in the month of 12/2023 which seems to be suppressed meter reading. And from 01/2024 to 08/2024 the bill was served in average basis due to meter defective.

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 04/2019 to 12/2023 with IMR "0" KwH on 04/2019 and FMR "1231" KwH on 12/2023.
- To revise the bill from 01/2024 to 08/2024 by taking six months average consumption of present meter installed on 03/09/2024.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

Compliance report must be submitted to the Forum by <u>March-25</u> by the opposite party after compliance otherwise it will be treated as non-compliance.

Compliance Month-March-25

Co-Opted Member

Carpusti Norther GNF, Bhawanipuua K.K. PATTNAIK MEMBER (Fin.)

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- 1. Smt. Sindura Majhi Repr. by Sri Raja Majhi, AT- Bhatel, Po- Sergarh, Ps- Narla, Dist-Kalahandi
- 2. SDO Elect. Narla, 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."