



GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 1206^S

Dated, the 30.08.2025

Er. Achyutananda Meher	-	President
Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik	-	Member (Finance)
Sri Bhairaba Naik	-	Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BPT-297/2025																											
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Sri Bijaya Mahapatra, At-Chudiharpada, Po/Ps-Bhawanipatna, Dist.-Kalahandi.		Consumer No 9035-1114-0518	Contact No. 94374-27748																								
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Susanta Sekhar Barik, SDO Elect. No-I, Bhawanipatna, TPWODL.		Division Kalahandi East Electrical Division, TPWODL																									
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8	Date(s) of Hearing	07.08.2025																											
9	Date of Order	30.08.2025																											
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	√	Respondent	Others																								
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil																											



Place of Hearing: Bhawanipatna

Appeared:

1. **For the Complainant** – Sri Bijaya Mahapatra, At-Chudiharipada, Po/Ps-Bhawanipatna, Dist.-Kalahandi.
2. **For the Respondent** – Sri Susanta Sekhar Barik, SDO Elect. No-I, Bhawanipatna, TPWODL.

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GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Bijaya Mahapatra, At-Chudiharipada, Po/Ps-Bhawanipatna, Dist.-Kalahandi under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at Bhawanipatna on dt. 07.08.2025, in brief as follows:

- 1) The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/Domestic supply with CD of 2 KW having consumer no- **9035-1114-0518** under SDO Elect. No-I, Bhawanipatna.
- 2) As complained by the complainant bills to be revised.
- 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. No-I, Bhawanipatna) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

- 1) PVR: 30/08/2025
- 2) Bill details from: 01/2015 to 07/2025
- 3) Date of supply: 21.10.2014
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load: 2 KW
- 6) Meter No – TPWODL1033364
- 7) Installed on: 26.09.2022 with IMR "0"
- 8) CMR: 18137 Kwh on 30/08/2025
- 9) The meter status: Regular
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. No-II, Bhawanipatna as follows:
 - Average & provisional bills are served from 05/2015 to 11/2017. D/C shown from 12/2017 to 09/2021 in billing data. After meter change an average unit 1622 charged

in the month of 09/2022. However, the respondent requested the forum to take appropriate decision as necessary.

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 the average & provisional bills are served from 05/2015 to 11/2017. D/C shown from 12/2017 to 09/2021 in billing data. After meter change an average unit 1622 charged in the month of 09/2022
- From 10/2014 to 12/2017 provisional / average bills have been served.
- Some bill was served in high consumption meter reading during the period from 09/2022 to 06/2025 due to suppress meter reading.
- Meter no. TPWODL1033364 had been installed on dt. 22/09/2022.

ORDER

30.08.2025

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:

- The bills served from 12/2015 to 11/2017 (2 year) are to be revised by taking average of six consecutive billing of new meter.
- To recast the bill from 09/2022 to 06/2025 with IMR "0" Kwh on 09/2022 and FMR "17773" Kwh on 07/2025.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

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

Compliance Month-September-25


B. NAIK
Co-Opted Member

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GRF, Bhawanipatna


K.K. PATTNAIK
MEMBER (Fin.)

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GRF, Bhawanipatna


A.N. MEHER
PRESIDENT

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Copy to: -

1. Sri Bijaya Mahapatra, At-Chudiharipada, Po/Ps-Bhawanipatna, Dist.-Kalahandi.
2. SDO Elect. No-I, Bhawanipatna, 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: Bhoynagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 within 30 days from the date of order of the Grievance Redressal Forums."