GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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BENCH:

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

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 4936

Dated, the

31.08.2024

Quorum:

Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik

- President

Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik

Member (Finance)

Sri Bhairaba Naik

Co-Opted Member

	Sri Bhairaba Naik -				Co-Opted Member			
1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BPT-280/2024						
		Name & Address			Consumer No	Contact No.		
2	Complainant/s	Smt Laxmi Bewa, Repr. By Sri Laxman Bag, At-Godbhanja, Po-Chhilipa, Ps- Dharamgarh, DistKalahandi.			9043-4110-0053	76099-78149		
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.			Division Kalahandi West Electrical Division, TPWODL			
4	Date of Application							
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	* 1	2. Billi	ing Disputes √			
		3. Classification/Reclassificat ion of Consumers		4. Con Load	ntract Demand / Connected			
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply			tallation of Equipment & paratus of Consumer			
		7. Interruptions		8. Mete				
9		9. New Connection		10.Qua	Quality of Supply & GSOP			
		11. Security Deposit / Interest			12.Shifting of Service Connection & equipment's			
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership		14.Volt	14.Voltage Fluctuations			
		15. Others (Specify) –						
6	Section(s) of Electricity A	Act, 2003 involved						
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; Clause(s) 155						
		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	10.07.2024						
9	Date of Order	31.08,2024						
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	nder	nt) Ot	hers		
11	Details of Compensation Nil awarded, if any.							
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CO- OPTED MEMBER

Co-Opted Member CRF, Bhawanipatna MEMBER (Fin.)

Grievance Redressal Forum

PRESIDENT

GRF, Bhawanipatna



Place of Hearing: Dharamgarh Appeared:

- 1. **For the Complainant** Smt Laxmi Bewa, Repr. By Sri Laxman Bag, At-Godbhanja, Po-Chhilipa, Ps-Dharamgarh, Dist.-Kalahandi.
- 2. For the Respondent Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.

Complaint Case No. BPT-280/2024

Smt Laxmi Bewa, Repr. By Sri Laxman Bag, At-Godbhanja, Po-Chhilipa, Ps-Dharamgarh, Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9043-4110-0053

COMPLAINANT

Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL. -Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Smt. Laxmi Bewa repr. by Sri Laxman Bag, AT- Godbhanja, Po- Chhilipa, Ps- Dharamgarh, Dist- Kalahandi under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at Dharamgarh on dt. 10.07.24, in brief as follows:

- 1) The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/ Domestic supply with CD of 1.5 KW having consumer no- **9043-4110-0053** under SDO Elect. Dharamgarh.
- 2) As complained by the complainant the provisional/average billing was served from 04/2016 to 12/2023.
- 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. Dharamgarh) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

1) PVR: 08/08/2024



- 2) Bill details from October 2005 to June 2024
- 3) Date of supply 10/08/2005
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 1.5 KW
- 6) Meter No TWB647744
- 7) Installed on 10/02/2024 with IMR: N/A
- 8) CMR: 358 KwH as on 08/08/2024
- 9) The meter status: Ok
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Dharamgarh as follows:
 - The consumer is complaining about bill revision during the average periods from 04/2016 to 12/2023 as a new meter was installed on 10/02/2024 and billing is actual from 02/2024 to till now.

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 provisional/average billing. The OP submitted that
 the consumer is complaining about bill revision during the average periods from
 04/2016 to 12/2023 as a new meter was installed on 10/02/2024 and billing is actual
 from 02/2024 to till now.
- As per billing database the provisional/average bill was served from 04/2016 to 12/2023.

ORDER 31.08.2024

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 revise the bill from 01/2022 to 12/2023 by taking six-month average consumption of present meter (i.e. IMR "0" KwH on 01/2024 and FMR "309" KwH on 06/2024).

The case is disposed of accordingly.

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

Compliance Month-September-24

Co-Opted Member

Co-Opted Member GRF, Bhawanipatna

K.K. PATTNAIK MEMBER (Fin.) MEMBER

Grievance Redressal Forum

R.K. NAIK PRESIDENT

PRESIDENT GRF, Bhawanipatna



Copy to: -

- 1. Smt. Laxmi Bewa, Repr. by Sri Laxman Bag, AT- Godbhanja, Po- Chhilipa, Ps- Dharamgarh, Dist- Kalahandi
- 2. SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.
- 3. EE, KWED, Bhawanipatna.
- 4. Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Kalahandi.
- 5. 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."