



GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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ER. ACHYUTANANDA MEHER (PRESIDENT),
SRI KAMALA KANTA PATTNAIK (MEMBER (FINANCE))

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 1093^(S)

Dated, the 13.10.2025

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

1	Case No.	Complaint Case No. BPT-4252025		
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Sri Pabitra Tandi, At/Po-Thanat, Ps- Golamunda, Dist.- Kalahandi.	Consumer No 9043-4201-0187	Contact No. 78549-43592
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Balmakund Biswal SDO Elect. Dharangarh, TPWODL.	Division Kalahandi West Electrical Division, TPWODL	
4	Date of Application			
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination 3. Classification/Reclassification of Consumers 5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply 7. Interruptions 9. New Connection 11. Security Deposit / Interest 13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership 15. Others (Specify) -	2. Billing Disputes 4. Contract Demand / Connected Load 6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer 8. Metering 10. Quality of Supply & GSOP 12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipment's 14. Voltage Fluctuations	✓
6	Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved			
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; Clause(s) <u>155</u> 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	23.09.2025		
9	Date of Order	13.10.2025		
10	Order in favour of	Complainant <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Respondent <input type="checkbox"/>	Others <input type="checkbox"/>
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil		



Place of Hearing: Dharamgarh

Appeared:

1. **For the Complainant** – Sri Pabitra Tandi, At/Po-Thanat, Ps-Golamunda, Dist.- Kalahandi.
2. **For the Respondent** – Sri Balmakund Biswal, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Pabitra Tandi, At/Po-Thanat, Ps-Golamunda, 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. 23.09.2025, 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- 9043-4201-0187 SDO Elect. Dharamgarh.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that average bill was served from 09/2015 to 09/2019.
- 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: 24.09.2025
- 2) Bill details from: 01/2007 to 08/2025
- 3) Date of supply: 21.11.2006
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load: 1.5 KW
- 6) Meter No – LW258706
- 7) Installed on: 29.10.2019 with IMR "0"
- 8) CMR: 11662 KWH on 24.09.2025
- 9) The meter status: Regular
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Dharamgarh as follows:
 - Billing was actual from date of connection to 07/2015 and average from 08/2015 to 09/2019. A new meter is installed on 10/2019 and billing is actual till now. 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. Billing was actual from date of connection to 07/2015 and average from 08/2015 to 09/2019. A new meter is installed on 10/2019 and billing is actual till now.
- Meter no LW258706 had been installed on dt-29.10.2019.

ORDER

13.10.2025

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 06/2016 to 05/2018 are to be revised by taking average of six consecutive billing of new meter. (By taking IMR "2501" KwH on 06/2021 and FMR "2811" KwH on 11/2021).
- Any adjustments made during the revision period are also be taken into consideration / DPS charged on the wrong bills are also to be withdrawn.
- The complainant must clear all dues upon revision of bills.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

The matter is closed herewith. The compliance report to be submitted to the undersigned on or before **Dt- 30.11.2025**.

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Copy to: -

1. Sri Pabitra Tandi, At/Po-Thanat, Ps-Golamunda, Dist.- Kalahandi.
2. SDO Elect. Dharamgarh 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: Bhoi Nagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 within 30 days from the date of order of the Grievance Redressal Forums."