



GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 6746

Dated, the 07.11.2024

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-428/2024																										
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Sri Ghanasyam Rout, At/Po-Brundabahal, Ps-Dharamgarh, Dist.-Kalahandi.	Consumer No 9043-4227-0257	Contact No. 77358-77283																								
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.	Division Kalahandi West Electrical Division, TPWODL																									
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8	Date(s) of Hearing	22.10.2024																										
9	Date of Order	07.11.2024																										
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	✓ Respondent	Others																								
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil																										

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Place of Hearing: Golamunda

Appeared:

1. **For the Complainant** – Sri Ghanasyam Rout, At/Po-Brundabahal, Ps-Dharamgarh, Dist.-Kalahandi.
2. **For the Respondent** – Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.

Complaint Case No. BPT-428/2024

Sri Ghanasyam Rout,
At/Po-Brundabahal,
Ps-Dharamgarh,
Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9043-4227-0257

COMPLAINANT

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

-Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Ghanashyam Rout, At/Po- Brundabahal, 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 Golamunda on dt. 22.10.24, 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-**9043-4227-0257** under SDO Elect. Dharamgarh.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that the bill was raised in some high consumption reading during the period from 09/2012 to 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. Dharamgarh) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

- 1) PVR: 29/10/2024
- 2) Bill details from: 09/2012 to 09/2024
- 3) Date of supply: 29/09/2012



- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 1.5 KW
- 6) Meter No – TWST1717701
- 7) Installed on: 10/08/24 with IMR: "0"
- 8) CMR: 140 Kwh as on 29/10/2024
- 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 period and wrong billing periods from 09/2012 to 07/2024. The billing is actual from 07/2024 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 excess billing.
- The OP stated that the consumer is complaining about bill revision during the average period and wrong billing periods from 09/2012 to 07/2024. The billing is actual from 07/2024 to till now.
- As per billing database some bill was raised from 09/2012 to 03/2024, which seems suppress meter reading.

ORDER

07.11.2024

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 recast the bill from 09/2012 to 03/2024 with IMR "0" Kwh on 09/2012 and FMR "13003" Kwh on 03/2024.
- To revise the bill from 04/2024 to 06/2024 by taking six-month average consumption of new meter install on 10/08/2024.

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-February-25


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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: Bhoinagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 within 30 days from the date of order of the Grievance Redressal Forums.”