



GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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SRI KAMALA KANTA PATTNAIK (MEMBER (FINANCE))

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/ 6216

Dated, the 28.10.2024

Quorum: Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik - President
Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik - Member (Finance)
Sri Bhairaba Naik - Co-Opted Member

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2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Smt Damen Dei, Repr. By Sri Bansidhar Majhi, At-Suknimunda, Po-Khaliakani, Dist.-Kalahandi.	Consumer No 9043-4305-0847	Contact No. 78949-26069																								
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	18.09.2024																										
9	Date of Order	28.10.2024																										
10	Order in favour of	Complainant	✓ Respondent	Others																								
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any	Nil																										

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Place of Hearing: Dharamgarh

Appeared:

1. **For the Complainant** – Smt Damen Dei, Repr. By Sri Bansidhar Majhi, At-Suknimunda, Po-Khaliakani, Dist.-Kalahandi.
2. **For the Respondent** – Sri Gupta Prasad Tripathy, SDO Elect. Dharamgarh, TPWODL.

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Smt Damen Dei,
Repr. By Sri Bansidhar Majhi,
At-Suknimunda,
Po-Khaliakani,
Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9043-4305-0847

COMPLAINANT

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

-Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Smt. Damen Dei, Repr. By Sri Bansidhar Majhi AT- Suknimunda, Po- Khaliakani, 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. 18.09.24, in brief as follows:

- 1) The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/ Domestic supply with CD of 0.50 KW having consumer no- **9043-4305-0847** under SDO Elect. Dharamgarh.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that the abnormal bill was raised during the period from 03/2023 and 05/2023.
- 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: 03/10/2024



- 2) Bill details from November 2017 to August 2024
- 3) Date of supply 07/11/2017
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 0.50 KW
- 6) Meter No – TWSP51035910
- 7) Installed on 01/09/2023 with IMR: "0"
- 8) CMR: 348 Kwh as on 03/10/2024
- 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 05/2023 to 07/2023. The billing is actual 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 submitted that the consumer is complaining about bill revision during the average period 05/2023 to 07/2023. The billing is actual till now.
- As per billing database some meter reading recoding in high consumption in the month of 03/2023 and 04/2023, which seems suppress meter reading. And
- The defective period assessment from May-23 to Aug-23 was take in palace on dtd. 16.08.2024.

ORDER

28.10.2024

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 11/2017 to 04/2023 taking with IMR "0" Kwh on 11/2017 and FMR "6946" Kwh on 04/2023.

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-November-24


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2. SDO Elect. Dharamgarh. TPWODL
3. EE, KWED, Bhawanipatna, TPWODL.
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.”