GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM, BHAWANIPATNA

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

Memo No. GRF/BPT/Order/

Dated, the 29.03.2025

Quorum:

Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik

President

Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik

Member (Finance)

Sri Bhairaba Naik

Co-Opted Member

1	Case No.	airaba Naik Complaint Case No. BPT-125/20	25	Co-Opted Memb	er	
	Case NO.	Name & Address		Consumer No	Contact	No
2	Complainant/s	Sri Durbadal Behera, At/Po-Kotagaon, Ps-		80187-4		
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Deepak Kumar Behera SDO Elect. Charbahal, TPW0	Kalahandi We	Division Kalahandi West Electrical Division, TPWODL		
4	Date of Application	/	1 0	*		MIN SO
	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	2. E	2. Billing Disputes √		
		3. Classification/Reclassification of Consumers	L	4. Contract Demand / Connected Load		
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply	а	6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer		
5		7. Interruptions		8. Metering		
•		9. New Connection		10.Quality of Supply & GSOP		
		11. Security Deposit / Interest		12.Shifting of Service Connection & equipment's		
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership	14.V	14. Voltage Fluctuations		
		15. Others (Specify) –				
6	Section(s) of Electricit	y Act, 2003 involved				
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	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	11.03.2025				
9	Date of Order	29.03.2025				
10	Order in favour of	Complainant √ Respondent Others				
11	Details of Compe	ensation Nil		1 0		

CO- OPTED MEMBER

MEMBER (Fin.)

MEMBER FIN GRF, Bhawanipatna

PRESIDENT GRF, Bhawanipatna

Co-Opted Member GRF, Bhawanipatna



Place of Hearing: Charbahal Appeared:

- 1. For the Complainant Sri Durbadal Behera, At/Po-Kotagaon, Ps-Kalampur, Dist.-Kalahandi.
- 2. For the Respondent Sri Deepak Kumar Behera, SDO Elect. Charbahal, TPWODL.

 <u>Complaint Case No. BPT-125/2025</u>

Sri Durbadal Behera, At/Po-Kotagaon, Ps-Kalampur, Dist.-Kalahandi.

Con. No. 9044-4108-0776

COMPLAINANT

Sri Deepak Kumar Behera, SDO Elect. Charbahal, TPWODL.

-Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Durbadal Behera, At/Po- Kotagaon, Ps- Kalampur, Dist- Kalahandi under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at Charbahal on dt. 11.03.2025, in brief as follows:

- The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/General Purpose supply with CD of 0.05 KW having consumer no- 9044-4108-0776 under SDO Elect. Charbahal.
- 2) As complained by the complainant that the bill penalty was imposed without power supply.
- 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. Charbahal) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

- 1) PVR: 26/03/2025
- 2) Bill details from: 03/2022 to 01/2025
- 3) Date of supply: 08/03/2022
- 4) Category: LT/General Purpose
- 5) Connected Load 1 KW
- 6) Meter No N/A
- 7) Installed on: N/A

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- 9) The meter status: Bill Blocked
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Charbahal as follows:
 - As per PVR there is no meter installed at consumer premises and the SC no- 9044-4108-0776 has generated without installation physical meter.

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 as per PVR there is no meter installed at consumer premises and the SC no- 9044-4108-0776 has generated without installation physical meter.
- As per billing database the bill was generated in the name of Durbadal Behera in LT/GP tariff from 03/2022 to 01/2025. Whereas the complainant was applied for new service connection for his residential purpose against application no. 20220302W9999243020.
- But till date the there was no new service connection has released in his premises.
- A penalty amount of Rs. 74664/- was wrongly imposed in the name of Durbadal Behera on dtd. 21.11.2023.
- Amount of Rs. 2000/- was collected in EC head on dtd, 26.06.2024 vide MR no. 657538260624COAP0338.

ORDER 29.03.2025

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:

- > To release new service connection immediately in the name of Durbadal Behera in LT/ Domestic tariff against application no. 20220302W9999243020.
- To withdraw the wrong bill raised from 03/2022 to 01/2025.
- > To withdraw the wrong penalty imposed to Durbadal Behera on dtd. 21.11.2023 in co-ordination with enforcement team.
- To consider Rs. 2000/- against advance EC.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

Compliance report must be submitted to the Forum by <u>May-25</u> by the opposite party after compliance otherwise it will be treated as non-compliance.

Compliance Month- May-25

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K.K. PATTNAIK
MEMBER (Fin.)
MEMBER FIN

GRF, Bhawanipatna

R.K. NAIK PRESIDEN

GRF, Bhawanipatna



- 1. Sri Durbadal Behera, At/Po- Kotagaon, Ps- Kalampur, Dist- Kalahandi.
- 2. SDO Elect. Charbahal 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."