

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/

Dated, the 28.01.2025

Quorum:

Er. Ranjan Kumar Naik

President

Sri Kamala Kanta Pattnaik

Member (Finance)

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1	Case No.	Case No. Complaint Case No. BPT-522/2024						
2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Sri Paramanand Majhi, Repr. By Sri Pitambar Majhi, At-Chhelendi, Po-			9062-3101-2176	Contact No. 63709-68229		
		Kotenchuan, Ps-Nuapada, DistNuapada.					TO STATE OF THE PROPERTY OF TH	
3	Respondent/s	Name Sri Abhinash Biswal, SDO Elect. Nuapada, TPWODL.			Division Nuapada Electrical Division, TPWODL			
4	Date of Application		3		y			
	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination	Walley Company	2. Billing Disputes √				
		3. Classification/Reclassification of Consumers	1	4. Contract Demand / Connected Load				
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply	F	6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer				
5		7. Interruptions		8. Metering				
3		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.Voltage Fluctuations				
		15. Others (Specify) –						
6	Section(s) of Electric	ity Act, 2003 involved						
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019; Clause(s)155						
	3	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	17.12.2024						
9	Date of Order	28.01.2025						
10	Order in favour of	Complainant √ Respondent Others						
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.	Nil				./		

CO- OPTED MEMBER

Co-Opted Member CAF, Bhawampatua MEMBER (Fin.)

MEMBER

Grievance Pettrascal Forum TPWODL, Bhawanipatna



Place of Hearing: Nuapada Appeared:

- 1. **For the Complainant –** Sri Paramanand Majhi, Repr. By Sri Pitambar Majhi, At-Chhelendi, Po-Kotenchuan, Ps-Nuapada, Dist.-Nuapada.
- 2. For the Respondent Sri Abhinash Biswal, SDO Elect. Nuapada, TPWODL.

Complaint Case No. BPT-522/2024

Sri Paramanand Majhi, Repr. By Sri Pitambar Majhi, At-Chhelendi, Po-Kotenchuan, Ps-Nuapada, Dist.-Nuapada.

Con. No. 9062-3101-2176

COMPLAINANT

Sri Abhinash Biswal, SDO Elect. Nuapada, TPWODL. -Versus-

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE COMPLAINT:

The complainant consumer Sri Paramananda Majhi, Repr. by Sri Pitambar Majhi AT-Chhelendi, Po- Katenchuan, Ps- Nuapada Dist- Nuapada under the territorial and statutory jurisdiction of respondent.

The complainant has appeared and submitted during course of hearing at camp court at Nuapada on dt. 17.12.24, in brief as follows:

- The complainant has appeared before the forum for bill dispute of his LT/ Domestic supply with CD of 0.50 KW having consumer no- 9062-3101-2176 under SDO Elect. Nuapada
- 2) As complained by the complainant that excess bill was claimed during the month of 08/2022 to 03/2024.
- 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. Nuapada) in its counter reply and course of hearing submitted as follows:

- 1) Consumer Complainant Redressal Form: 07/01/2025
- 2) Bill details from: 12/2020 to 12/2024



- 3) Date of supply: 10/08/2020
- 4) Category: LT/Domestic
- 5) Connected Load 0.50 KW
- 6) Meter No TWNX319262
- 7) Installed on: 10/04/2024 with IMR: "0"
- 8) CMR: 441 KwH as on 07/01/2025
- 9) The meter status: Ok
- 10) Facts of the complainant: Revision of bill
- 11) As written version submitted by SDO Elect. Nuapada as follows:
 - As per verification, the old meter has recorded abnormal reading for the period from 08/2022 to 02/2024. Then after meter was changed and bill has been generated normal as per the actual consumption.

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 verification, the old meter has recorded abnormal reading for the period from 08/2022 to 02/2024. Then after meter was changed and bill has been generated normal as per the actual consumption.
- As per billing database abnormal bill was served in high consumption meter reading in "U" code and DPS was levied from 02/2023 to 03/2023.

ORDER 28.01.2025

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 revise the bill from 08/2022 to 03/2024 by taking IMR "0" KwH on 04/2024 and FMR "309" KwH on 09/2024
- > To withdraw the DPS from 02/2023 to 03/2023 as the category of the complainant is domestic.

The case is disposed of accordingly.

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

Compliance Month-February-25

Co-Opted Member

K.K. PATTNAIK MEMBER (Fin.)

GRF, Bhawenipeta

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Grievance Redressal Forum

PRESIDENT

CRF, Bhawanipatua



Copy to: -

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- 2. SDO Elect. Nuapada 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."