Grievance Redressal Forum TPWODL, BURLA

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Ref: GRF/Burla/Div/DED/ (Final Order)/2095 (4)

Date: 30 1/0.2024

By Regd. Post/Courier

Present:

Sri A.K. Satapathy, President

Sri B.Mahapatra (Co-opted Member)

Sri A.P.Sahu Member(Finance)

1	Case No.	BRL/656/2024		
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2	Complainant/s	Name & Address Consumer No Contact Kalpana Rana At/Po-Laimura Ps-Teleibani Dist-Deogarh Consumer No Contact 4141-1505-0182 76569199		
3	Respondent/s	S.D.O (Elect),Deogarh Division D.E.D, TPWODL Deogarh	49	
4	Date of Application	12.09.2024		
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement/Termination X 2. Billing Disputes	1	
		3. Classification/Reclassification X 4. Contract Demand / Connected Load	X	
		5. Disconnection / X 6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer	X	
		7. Interruptions X 8. Metering	X	
		9. New Connection X 10.Quality of Supply & GSOP 11. Security Deposit / Interest X 12.Shifting of Service Connection & equipments	X	
		13. Transfer of Consumer X 14. Voltage Fluctuations Ownership	X	
		15. Others (Specify) -X	-	
6	Section(s) of Electricity Ac	t, 2003 involved		
7	OERC Regulation(s) with Clauses	1. OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code,2019 √		
		2. OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performan Regulations, 2004	ice)	
		3. OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004	<i>r</i>	
		4. Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation, 2006 5. OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tark		
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		6. Others		
8	Date(s) of Hearing	12.09.2024		
9	Date of Order	29.10.2024		
10	Order in favour of	Complainant √ Respondent Others		
11	Details of Compen awarded, if any.	<u> </u>		

Place of Camp: ESO Office, Barkote, TPWODL, Deogarh

Appeared

For the Complainant- Kalpana Rana

For the Respondent - SDO(Electrical), Deogarh, TPWODL.

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SDO(Electrical), Deogarh, TPWODL.



COMPLAINANT

OPPOSITE PARTY

GIST OF THE CASE

Kalpana Rana has appeared in the hearing on Dt. 12.09.2024 at the camp held at ESO Office, Barkote and submitted a written complaint wherein she has stated about billing dispute& requested to revise/rectify the same.

SUBMISSION OF OPPOSITE PARTY

The opposite party has submitted billing abstract from May-2015 to Aug-2024, a PVR carried out on 28.09.2024 and written statement in this case.

OBSERVATION

The case is pursued with all documents available in records submitted by the complainant and merit of the case. On examining the case in details, the Forum observed that the complainant is a LT-DOM consumer having CD of 1KW with date of initial power supply on Dt.21.05.2015 through meter Sl No WCV25817 as seen from FG/Samadhan App. The complainant has raised objection on billing dispute as mentioned in GIST with prayer to revise the bill. This Forum has gone through the billing ledger as well as W/S of opposite party where found that due to punching of wrong meter reading by meter reader i.e. less reading then previous month/irregular readings/supressed readings bills were raised wrongly on the complainant in Sept Oct 2019, Nov Dec 2019, July-Aug 2020, Sept Oct 2020, April May 2021. In many occasions rounded up took place but really it was not true as accepted by opposite party. Meanwhile meter SL No TPWDL1099781 was effected in billing in Oct 2022. Bill revision is required to settle the billing dispute.

Hence it is the opinion of the Forum that the opposite party is liable to revise the bill through recast the reading for the periods Dec 2018 to Aug 2021 as well as Avg bills from Sept 2021 to Oct 2022 with reference to consumption recorded in meter Sl No TPWDL1099781 in 6 consecutive months with the daily/monthly actual consumption thereof, considering the adjustment of previous bill revisions if any as per law.

ORDER

After careful consideration of hearing and data submitted by both parties the Forum is pleased to pass the Order as follows.

 The Opposite Party is directed to revise the bill through recast the reading for the periods Dec 2018 to Aug 2021 as well as Avg bills from Sept 2021 to Oct 2022 with reference to consumption recorded in meter Sl No TPWDL1099781 in 6 consecutive months with the daily/monthly actual consumption thereof, considering the adjustment of previous bill revisions if any as per law.

- 2. The Opposite party is directed not to consider the bill revision for the period revised earlier and adjust the revision as per law/for the period of penalty/in both cases, if any, as applicable as it has not submitted any information for the same.
- The Opposite party is directed not to consider the bill revision for the period already where the complainant has availed the benefits of OTS scheme and rebate thereof, if any, as applicable as it has not submitted any information for the same.
- The Opposite Party is directed to serve the revised energy charges bill with revised due date within 30 days from the receipt of this Order, duly considering the applicable tariff during the period, taking into account the adjustments, if any, and adjustment for the payments made by the complainant and ensure payment thereof.
- The Opposite Party is directed to collect the revised bill amount and on non-payment, serve the 5. Disconnection Notice to the Complainant as per Indian Electricity Act, 2003 under Section 56(i) and disconnect the power supply accordingly.
- The Complainant is directed to pay the revised billed amount so arrived at, if any, within due date after 6. receipt of the revised energy charges bill to avoid disconnection.
- Opposite party is directed to submit the compliance report to this Forum within one month from the 7. date of issue of this order as the case may be.

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Accordingly, the case is disposed of.

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1. Kalpana Rana, At/Po-Laimura, Ps-Teleibani, Dist-Deogarh.

A.K. Satapathy (President) President Grievance Redressal Forum

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- Sub-Divisional Officer (Elect.) Deogarh, TPWODL, with the direction to serve one copy of the order to the Complainant/Consumer
- Executive Engineer (Elect.), DED, TPWODL, Deogarh
- The Chief Legal-cum-Nodal Officer, TPWODL, Burla for information.

"If the complainant is aggrieved either by this order or due to non-implementation of the order of the Grievance Redressal Forum in time, he/she is at liberty to make representation to the Ombudsman II, Qrs. No.3R-2(S), GRIDCO Colony, P.O:Bhoinagar, Bhubaneswar-751022 (Tel No. 0674-2543825 and Fax No. 0674-2546264) within 30 days from the date of this order of the Grievance Redressal Forums."

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