

CONSUMER GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM

ELECTRICAL CIRCLE, ROURKELA

Plot No. UU/9, Civil Township, Rourkela-769004

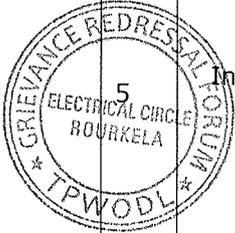
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Bench:

Sri Anil Kumar Patra (President), Sri Chitta Ranjan Dash (Member Finance), Sri Girish Chandra Mohapatra (Co-opted Member)

Corum: Sri Anil Kumar Patra ... President
Sri Chitta Ranjan Dash ... Member (Finance)
Sri Girish Chandra Mohapatra ... Co-opted Member

1	Case No.	RKL/ 025 /2026					
2	Complainant	Name & Address:		Consumer No:			
		Karnel Boradu		8114-2321-0314			
		Qr. No.C-121, At-Khadiakocha, PO-Jhirpani, Rourkela, Dist- Sundargarh.		Contact No.: 8093022776			
3	Respondent	Name		Division			
		SDO No-IV, RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.		RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.			
4	Date of Application		15.01.2026				
5	In the matter of-	1. Agreement / Termination	2. Billing Disputes	✓			
		3. Classification / Reclassification of Consumers	4. Contract Demand / Connected Load				
		5. Disconnection / Reconnection of Supply	6. Installation of Equipment & apparatus of Consumer				
		7. Interruptions	8. Metering				
		9. New Connection	10. Quality of Supply & GSOP				
		11. Security Deposit / Interest	12. Shifting of Service Connection & equipments				
		13. Transfer of Consumer Ownership	14. Voltage Fluctuations				
		15. Others (Specify) -					
		6	Section(s) of Electricity Act, 2003 involved		42(5)		
		7	OERC Regulation(s):				Clauses
		1	OERC Distribution (Licensee's Standard of Performance) Regulations,2004				
		2	OERC Conduct of Business) Regulations,2004				
		3	Odisha Grid Code (OGC) Regulation,2006				
		4	OERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff) Regulations,2004				
		5	Others-OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) code, 2019				155/157
8	Date(s) of Hearing		15.01.2026				
9	Date of Order		31-01-2026				
10	Order in favour of		Complainant	✓	Respondent	Others	
11	Details of Compensation awarded, if any.				Nil		
12	Appeared for the Complainant:		Appeared for the Respondent:				
	Hema Barla		Er. Purna Chandra Biswal, SDO				



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ORDER

Brief Facts of the Case

During the spot hearing at Jhirpani Section Office of Rourkela Electrical Division camp on dt.15.01.2026, the complainant appeared before the Forum whereas SDO-IV, RED, Rourkela appeared as Respondent before the Forum.

Brief facts pertaining to the case are that the Complainant is an LT-Domestic consumer with Consumer Number 8114-2321-0314 having connected load of 1 KW. That the Complainant has raised objection for provisional/average billing from Jan'2017 to Dec'2022. He requested revision of bills and mentions about verbal complaints being made to the Respondent earlier on.

Gist of Arguments made by the Parties

Both parties were present in the hearing. The contentions made by the parties are as follows:

Submission of the Complainant:

- The complainant submitted that provisional/average bills have been generated from Jan'2017 to Dec'2022 due to which high billings have been made resulting to accumulation of arrears.
- He further submitted that he had made verbal complaint to the Respondent about the erroneous bill.
- He also requested the Forum to revise the bills.

Reply Submission of the Respondent:

- The Respondent produced the following documents:
 - Billing abstract from Jan'2015 to Dec'2025.
 - Physical Verification Report on dt.21.01.2026.
 - Written version on dt.21.01.2026.
- The Respondent also agreed to the provisional/average billing from Jan'2017 to Dec'2022 and revision of bills.
- However, the Respondent requested the Forum to take appropriate decisions as necessary.

Findings of the Forum

Written/verbal Submissions were made by both parties and arguments were heard at length. This Forum, after hearing the parties and going through the relevant documents and provisions of law have concluded as follows:

- From Nov'2015 to Feb'2023 average bill had been served with various units per month as the meter is defective.
- The meter bearing serial number TWSP51166774 had been installed on dt.18.04.2024 and the current reading is 1202 Kwh as on dt.21.01.2026.
- From Jan'2017 to Aug'2022, there was no power supply.
- Therefore, it is decided by the Forum to revise the average bills.

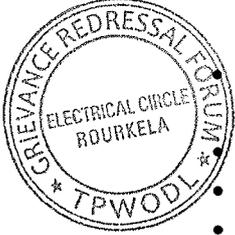
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Directions of the Forum

In view of the above facts and circumstances and after going through the documents submitted by both the parties, the Forum pronounces the following order as per regulations 155 and 157 of the Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2019.

- Bill served from Mar'2014 to Oct'2015 are to be revised by taking IMR as "00" (Initial Meter Reading) and FMR as "8101" (CMR of Oct'2015) of meter number 8141684.
- Bill served from Jan'2017 to Aug'2022 are to be revised by withdrawing all electricity charges except fixed charges.
- Adjustments made during this period are also to be taken into consideration.
- DPS charged on the wrong bills are also to be withdrawn.
- The complainant must clear up all dues upon revision of bills.

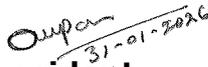


The matter is close herewith.

The compliance report is to be submitted on or before dt. **28.02.2026**


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No. GRF/RKL/ 63⁽⁶⁾

Date: 31/01/2026

Certified Copy to:

- 1) The Superintending Engineer, Electrical Circle, TPWODL, Rourkela.
- 2) The Executive Engineer, RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.
- 3) Asst. Manager (Com.), RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.
- 4) The Chief Legal, TPWODL, Burla.

If the complainant is aggrieved with this order or non-implementation of the order of the Grievance Redressal Forum in time, 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 Grievances Redressal Forums.

