

CONSUMER GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL FORUM

ELECTRICAL CIRCLE, ROURKELA

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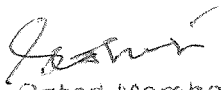
Bench:


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


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

1	Case No.	RKL/ 484 /2025			
2	Complainant	Name & Address:		Consumer No:	
		Doud Lan		8112-2424-0047	
		At- Masjid Gali, PO- Main Road, Rourkela, Dist- Sundargarh.		Contact No.: 9861303290	
3	Respondent	Name		Division	
		SDO No-II, RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.		RED, TPWODL, Rourkela.	
4	Date of Application	10.09.2025			
5	In the matter	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	10.09.2025			
9	Date of Order	26.09.2025			
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:			
	Daud Lan	Er. Anamika Bohidar, SDO			


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ORDER

Brief Facts of the Case

During the spot hearing at Bisra Road Section Office of Rourkela Electrical Division camp on dt.10.09.2025, the complainant appeared before the Forum whereas SDO-II, RED appeared as Respondent before the Forum.

Brief facts pertaining to the case are that the Complainant is an LT-GP consumer having connected load 0.5 Kw. The Complainant raised objection for suppress billing during May'2025. He requested revision of bills and mentions about verbal complaints being made to the Respondent earlier on.

Gist of Arguments made by the Parties

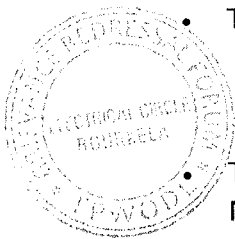
Both parties were present in the hearing. The contentions made by the parties are as follows:

Submission of the Complainant:

- The complainant submitted that suppress bills have been generated from Jun'2023 to May'2025 due to which high billings have been made resulting in 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'2023 to Jul'2025.
 - Physical Verification Report on dt.10.09.2025.
 - Meter testing report on dt.10.09.2025.
- The Respondent also agreed to the abnormal billing from Jun'2023 to May'2025 and revision of bills.
- However, the Respondent requested the Forum to take appropriate decisions as necessary.

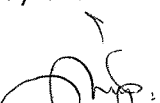



Findings of the Forum

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 Jun'2023 to May'2025, abnormal bills have been served with various units per month though the meter was advancing correctly.
- The meter bearing Sl. No. WLT050531 had been installed during May'2018 and the current reading is 5072 Kwh as on dt.10.09.2025.
- Therefore, it is decided by the Forum to revise the abnormal bills.


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Directions of the Forum

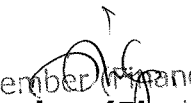
In view of the above facts and circumstances and after going through the documents submitted by both the parties, the Forum pronounces the following order as per regulations 155 and 157 of the Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2019.


- Bills served from Jun'2023 to May'2025 are to be revised by taking IMR as "2438" (CMR of Initial meter of meter) and FMR as "4922" (CMR of May'2025).
- 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 to be submitted on or before dt.**31.10.2025**.


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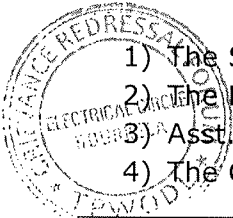

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No. GRF/RKL/ 651⁽⁶⁾

Date: 26/09/2025

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.

