## ODISHA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION BIDYUT NIYAMAK BHAWAN UNIT-VIII, BHUBANESWAR - 751 012

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Present: Shri S. P.Nanda, Chairperson

Shri S. P. Swain, Member Shri A. K. Das, Member

## Case No. 64/2013

Shri Sudarsan Sahoo	 Petitioner
- Vrs	
SDO. Dasarathpur, NESCO & others	 Respondents

**IN THE MATTER OF** : An Application under S.142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for

non-compliance of the order dated 22.05.2013 passed in C.R.

Case No. OMB (II) N-07 of 2013.

**For Petitioner:** Shri Bijayananda Mohanty, authorized representative.

**For Respondent:** Shri Biranchi Narayan Dalai, S.D.O (Elect.), Dasarathapur, NESCO.

## **ORDER**

Date of Hearing: 22.08.2014 Date of Order:25.08.2014

The authorized representative of the petitioner Shri Sudarsan Sahoo of Village Kasapa, Po-Ahiyas, Dist. Jajpur bearing Consumer No. M3321D (6122/2305/0203) in the supply area of NESCO under the S.D.O (Elect.), Dasarathapur had filed the above case u/S. 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for non-implementation of the order dated 22.05.2013 passed by the Ombudsman-II in C. R. Case No. Omb (II) N-07/2013.

- 2. The case is taken up today on question of admission and hearing.
- 3. Heard the parties at length. The reply filed by the respondent is taken on record.
- 4. The S.D.O (Elect.), Dasarathapur, NESCO- the respondent herein submitted that as per

direction of the GRF-Jajpur the petitioner was advised to purchase a meter from open market and install after testing as departmental meter was not available at the store of the section. The petitioner purchased a meter bearing No. 2480685 from the open market and was tested on sub-division laboratory with Seal No. N403521 was fixed in the premises of the consumer on 14.02.2013 after replacement of the brunt distribution transformer on 25.01.2013. The petitioner being aggrieved on delay in implementation of the order of the GRF had filed a representation before the Ombudsman-II and the Ombudsman had disposed of the said representation in C.R.Case No. Omb (II) N-07/2013 on 28.01.2013 with a direction to the respondent to revised the electricity bills from May, 2009 to November, 2011 by taking average consumption of power per month of the new meter with IMR of 01 unit as on 14.02.2013 and FMR of 159 units as on 06.05.2013. The above order of the Ombudsman-II has been complied and accordingly Rs. 27721.81/- has been withdrawan as arrear amount of the bill of the consumer in the month of August, 2013. The findings of the Ombudsman-II in the conclusion Part-B regarding compensation to the petitioner as per Schedule-III is pending with the Divisional Revision Committee of the licensee.

- 5. After hearing the parties and perusal of the case records we opine that as the findings of the Ombudsman-II in C. R. Case No. Omb (II) N-07/2013 vide Para-A as has been complied and the findings of the above case vide Para-B is under consideration of the licensee, the respondent is hereby directed to comply the above order of the Ombudsman vide Para-B regarding compensation within 15 days from date of this order. The copy of such compliance report to be submitted to this Office forthwith.
- 6. With the above observation the case is deposed of.

Sd/-Sd/-(A .K. Das)(S. P. Swain)(S. P. Nanda)MemberMemberChairperson