ODISHA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION PLOT NO. 4, CHUNUKOLI, SAILESHREE VIHAR, CHANDRASEKHARPUR,

BHUBANESWAR-751021

Present: Shri G. Mohapatra, Officiating Chairperson

Shri S. K. Ray Mohapatra, Member

Case No. 131/2023

Sri Bhagirathi Behera Petitioner

Vrs.

The S.D.O(Electrical),

Electrical Sub-Division, Begunia, TPCODL Respondent

In the matter of: Application under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for non-

compliance of Order dated 16.10.2023 of the Ombudsman-I passed in

C.R. Case No.82 of 2023.

For Petitioner: Er. R.K. Behera, the authorised representative.

ORDER

Date of Hearing: 19.12.2023 Date of Order: 19.12.2023

Sri Bhagirathi Behera, S/o. Late Roula Behera of Kotapalla, P.S-Baghamari, Dist. Khordha has filed the present petition Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for non-compliance of Order dated 16.10.2023 of the Learned Ombudsman-I passed in C.R. Case No.82 of 2023.

- 2. The Authorized Representative of the Petitioner submitted that the Petitioner in his petition has prayed for extending new connection to his cabin shop situated in a Government land bearing Khata No.218, Plot No. 748 of Mouza-Ostapur. But new power supply is not yet extended to him despite order of the Learned Ombudsman-I. Hence, the grievance.
- 3. Heard the Parties through hybrid mode. The Petition at hand arises out of the order dated 16.10.2023 of the Learned Ombudsman-I passed in C R Case No.OM (1) 82 of 2023, the operative part whereof reads thus:
 - "In view of the aforesaid provision in the Code basing on the application filed by the petitioner engineer of the respondent may dispense with documentary evidence of lawful occupation of the cabin shop and after exercise of sound discretion recording sufficient reasons in consultation with the **Local Revenue Authority** and with the conditions

- stipulated by them the Respondent may provide electricity connection to the complainant petitioner. With the above order the representation of the petitioner stands disposed of."
- 4. It is seen that no clearance from Local Revenue Authority has been obtained either by the Petitioner or the Respondent-side in pursuance of the order of the Learned Ombudsman-I.
- 5. In the scenario, the Petition is treated to be premature and accordingly, the Petition stands disposed of.

Sd/-(S.K. Ray Mohapatra) Member Sd/(G. Mohapatra)
Officiating Chairperson