

**ODISHA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION
PLOT NO. 4, CHUNUKOLI, SAILESHREE VIHAR,
CHANDRASEKHARPUR,
BHUBANESWAR-751021**

**Present: Shri S. C. Mahapatra, Chairperson
Shri G. Mohapatra, Member**

Case No. 75/2023

Sri Laxmidhar Swain
Vrs.

.....Petitioner

The S.D.O(Elect.), Sub-Division-IV, Badambadi Electrical Sub-Division,
TPCODL, Badambadi, Cuttack

.....Respondent

In the matter of: Application under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for non-implementation of order dated 11.07.2022 of the Ombudsman-I passed in C.R. Case No.41 of 2022(arising out of order dated 20.01.2022 of the GRF, Cuttack passed in C.C. Case No.1041/2021.

For Petitioner: Shri Rabin Kishore Behera, Authorized Representative.

For Respondent: Shri Hemanta Kumar Routray, SDO(elect.), Badamabadi Sub-Division, CDD-II, TPCODL, Cuttack.

ORDER

Date of Hearing: 22.08.2023

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The Petitioner- Shri Laxmidhar Swain, S/O; Late Subarna Swain, Balabhadrapur, Cuttack has filed the present petition under Section 142 of the Electricity Act, 2003 alleging non-implementation of order dated 11.07.2022 of the Ombudsman-I passed in C.R. Case No.41 of 2022(arising out of order dated 20.01.2022 of the GRF, Cuttack passed in C.C. Case No.1041/2021.

2. The Learned Ombudsman-II while disposing of C.R. Case No.41 of 2022 has observed as follows:

“x xx. During conciliation, it is unanimously agreed that at present the Petitioner shall pay Rs.50,000/- towards arrear electricity charges along with the required reconnection fees to the O.P. where after the O.P. shall supply electricity to the Petitioner and after installation of new meter, the O.P. shall revise of provisional bills of the Petitioner-Consumer for the period from 04/2005 onwards till installation of new meter by taking into consideration six months’ average consumption pattern of the Petitioner-Consumer from the date of installation of new meter.

This order is in suppression of order dated 20.01.2022 passed by the GRF, Cuttack in C.C. Case No. 1041/2021.”

3. We heard the Parties. In course of hearing, the S.D.O(Electrical), Badambadi Electrical Sub-Division, TPCODL, Cuttack-the Respondent herein submits that the order of the Learned Ombudsman-I passed in C.R. Case No.41 of 2022 has already been implemented and the revision has also made as per order of the Ombudsman-I

after taking six months consumption pattern, from the date of meter installation. The bill was revised in the month of 04/2023, for an credit amount of Rs.345204.25/-, and submitted to the appropriate authority as per SOP circulated vide letter No.12843 dated 09.12.2021 of Chief Commercial service, TPCODL, Bhubaneswar for approval. The said revision of bill was approved by the higher authority and the same was updated to the consumer-Petitioner ledger in the month of August, 2023 and credited an amount of Rs.345204.25/-. The copy of the said revision of bill is also served on the Petitioner in the ensuing electricity bill. The Authorized Representative of the Petitioner has agreed to the above submissions of the Respondent and prays the Commission to direct the Respondent to serve a copy thereof in respect of such revision of the bills of the Petitioner.

4. Upon hearing the above submissions of the parties, the Commission finds that there is no need to proceed further in present case and accordingly, the Respondent-TPCODL is directed to serve the compliance report on the Petitioner with an intimation to this Commission.
5. With the above direction to the Respondent-TPCODL, the case is disposed of.

Sd/-

(G. Mohapatra)
Member

Sd/-

(S. C. Mahapatra)
Chairperson