## Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Co. Ltd.'s Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum Nagpur Urban Zone, Nagpur

## Case No. CGRF(NUZ)/264/2014

**Applicant** : Shri Adarsha D. Sahare,

Plot No. 242, Bezanbagh,

Nagpur: 04.

Non-applicant : Nodal Officer,

The Superintending Engineer,

(Distribution Franchisee),

MSEDCL, N.U.C.,

NAGPUR.

Quorum Present : 1) Shri Shivajirao S. Patil,

Chairman.

2) Adv. Subhash Jichkar

Member.

3) Shri Anil Shrivastava, Member / Secretary.

## ORDER PASSED ON 6.12.2014.

- 1. The applicant filed present grievance application before this Forum on 21.10.2014 under Regulation 6.4 of the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Electricity Ombudsman) Regulations, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as Regulations).
- 2. The applicant's case in brief is that his date of connection is 3.4.2014. Since June 2014 he received excessive bills and therefore bills may be revised. Being aggrieved by the order passed by I.G.R.C. he approached to this Forum.

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- 3. Non applicant denied applicant's case by filing reply Dt. 3.11.2014. It is submitted that meter was tested by acucheck on 30.6.2014 and it is found O.K. As per order of Learned I.G.R.C. Dt. 26.9.2014, meter was replaced, old meter was tested in meter testing laboratory in presence of the applicant and it is found O.K. Grievance application may be dismissed.
- 4. Forum heard arguments of both the sides and perused the record.
- 5. Date of connection is 3.4.2014. In April 2014, reading is shown only '1' unit. In May 2014, reading was shown 352 units and in June 2014, reading is 650 units. It is seen from CPL of the applicant that his consumption of 650 units for June 2014 is excessive as compared to his assessed consumption per month as per his connected load. Therefore in our opinion, it is necessary to give slab benefit to the applicant and to revise bill of June 2014. Meter is tested in the meter testing laboratory and it is found O.K. Applicant is entitle for slab benefit and revision of bill accordingly. Hence following order:

## **ORDER**

- 1) Grievance application is partly allowed.
- 2) Non applicant is hereby directed to give slab benefit to the applicant and to revise the bill of April, May & June 2014 by dividing the total consumption into 3 months.
- 3) Compliance should be reported within 30 days from the date of this order.

Sd/-(Anil Shrivastava) MEMBER SECRETARY Sd/-(Adv. Subhash Jichkar) MEMBER Sd/-(Shivajirao S. Patil), CHAIRMAN