

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

Case No. CGRF(NZ)/43/2017

Applicant : Shri Ishant P.Harle
1551, Chandramani Rd.Manewada
Nagpur.

Non-applicant : Nodal Officer,
The Superintending Engineer,
(DF), NUC, ,MSEDCL,
Nagpur.

Applicant :- In person

Respondent by 1) Shri Vairagade,EE, Nodal, NUC,MSEDCL, Nagpur
2) Shri Tekam,AA, Nodal, NUC,MSEDCL, Nagpur
3) Shri Dahashastra, SNDL

Quorum Present : 1) Shri Shivajirao S. Patil,
Chairman.

2) Shri N.V.Bansod
Member

3) Mrs. V.N.Parihar,
Member, Secretary

ORDER PASSED 25.04.2017.

1. The Applicant filed present grievance application before this Forum dated 21.03.2017 under Regulation 6.4 of the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Electricity Ombudsman) Regulations, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as said Regulations).

2. Applicant's case in brief is that he applied for new service connection but application was rejected for non-payment of PD dues of Rs.7580/- against old PD

cons.No.410010295282. He approached to IGRC but his application is rejected hence approached to this forum.

3. Non applicant SNDL denied the applicant's case by filling reply dated 06.04.2017. It is submitted that there are PD arrears against Shri Charandas R. Mandawe, Cons.No.410010295282. There was amount of Rs.7530/- due against Shri Charandas therefore his connection was permanently disconnected on 31-12-2000. Applicant did not pay PD arrears therefore IGRC rejected his application.

4. Though PD arrears is dated 31-12-2000 for the period 10-07-1978 to 31-12-2000 (it was the period of MSEDCL and not SNDL) even then MSEDCL did not file any written reply separately in this case it is not proper. Nodal officer is expected to note for future.

5. Forum heard arguments of both the side and perused record.

5. Record shows that one Shri Charandas R. Mandawe, Cons.No.410010295282 took residential connection on 10-07-1978, there are PD arrears of Rs.7530/- therefore his supply was disconnected on 31-12-2000. It was the period of MSEDCL and MSEDCL handed over to SNDL for the year 2011. Therefore it was necessary for MSEDCL to file separate reply but MSEDCL did not file separate reply on record. It is not proper. It is appears that this period is pertaining to MSEDCL in that case it is necessary for MSEDCL to file separate reply in future in such matters.

6. During course of argument SNDL file pursis dated 17-04-2017 on record that presently one more new connection is already given to son of Shri Charandas Mandawe by SNDL Cons.No.410018387950. SNDL had informed as per letter dated 17-04-2017 that PD arrears of Rs.7530/- of Shri Charandas Mandawe shall be added

in the bill of his son Shri Arvind Charandas Madawe Cons. No.41001838790. As per the letter of MSEDCL now SNDL is ready to release the residential connection to the applicant on completion of requisite formalities.

7. Therefore grievance of the applicant is now redressed.

8. Hence the following order.

ORDER

1. Grievance of the applicant is redressed therefore disposed off.
2. SNDL shall release residential connection to the applicant on completing necessary formalities of the documents by the applicant.

Sd/-
(N.V.Bansod)
MEMBER

sd/-
(Mrs.V.N.Parihar)
MEMBER/SECRETARY

sd/-
(Shivajirao S. Patil),
CHAIRMAN