

CONSUMER GRIEVANCES REDRESSAL FORUM;
MSEDCL NAGPUR (RURAL) ZONE NAGPUR
COMPLAINT NO. 158/2014

Shri Aadku Kawdu Dhurve
At.Bothali, Po.Waigaon(Gond)
Tq.Samudrapur
District - Wardha.

Complainant

,,VS..

1. Executive Engineer,
MSEDCL,O&M Division,
Hinganghat.
2. Executive Engineer/Nodal Officer,
I. G. R. C., Circle Office,
MSEDCL,Wardha.

Respondents

Applicant represented by 1) Dr.N.N.Behare, Authorized representative
Respondents represented by 1) Shri V.M.Hedao, Dy.Exe. Engineer Samudrapur

CORAM:

Shri Vishnu S. Bute, Chairman.
Adv. Gauri D. Chandrayan, Member
Ms. S. B. Chiwande, Member-Secretary.

JUDGEMENT

(Delivered on this 02nd day of February, 2015)

2. Shri Aadku Kawdu Dhurve, r/o Bothali, Po.Waigaon(Gond), Tq.Samudrapur, Dist. Wardha (hereinafter referred to as, the applicant) is an agricultural consumer. It is the contention of the applicant that the respondent issued him a bill dated 28-10-2009 of Rs.77,150/-. The power consumption of the applicant is very less. The bill is wrong. So the applicant did not pay the bill amount. The respondent disconnected the power supply of the applicant on 15-01-2011. When the respondent took away the electric meter, the reading was 3180 units. The applicant is ready to deposit the amount payable for 3180 units. The respondent may be directed to accept the aforesaid

proposal. The respondent may be directed to restore the power supply.

3. Shri V.M.Hedao, Dy.Executive Engineer, Samudrapur represented the respondent. Shri Hedao stated that the applicant had been given the power supply on 30-09-1996. The applicant did not pay even a single pie toward the electricity bill. He was informed from time to time to pay the bill. Upto December 2010 the applicant is in arrears of Rs.82,060/-. Since the applicant did not pay the electricity bill, his power supply is disconnected. The action taken by the respondent is proper. The application may be dismissed.

4. We have perused the record. We have heard the arguments advanced by both the parties.

Before going into the merits of the case it is necessary to verify the application on the point of limitation.

The applicant stated that his power supply had been discontinued on 15-01-2011. The prayer of the applicant is for restoration of the same. So it is clear that the cause of action has arisen on 15-01-2011.

Regulation 6.6 of the MERC (CGRF and EO) Regulations 2006 reads as under,

6.6 The Forum shall not admit any Grievance unless it is filed within two (2) years from the date on which the cause of action has arisen.

The applicant approached this forum on 22-12-2014. From the aforesaid discussion it is clear that the applicant approached the Forum after two years. Naturally, the instant application is barred by limitation.

5. So we pass the following order,

ORDER

- i) Application No.158 of 2014 is hereby dismissed.
- ii) The parties to bear their own cost.

Sd/- (Adv.Gauri D.Chandrayan) **sd/-** (Ms.S.B.Chiwande) **sd/-** (Vishnu S. Bute)
MEMBER **MEMBER SECRETARY** **CHAIRMAN**
CONSUMER GRIEVANCES REDRESSAL FORUM; NAGPUR ZONE NAGPUR
(Nagpur Dtd.02nd day of February, 2015)

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Date :

Certified copy of order dated 2nd February, 2015 in Case No.158 / 2014 is enclosed herewith.

Member-Secy/ Exe.Engineer,
C.G.R.F.(NZ)MSEDCL
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To,
Shri Aadku Kawdu Dhurve At.Bothali Po.Waigaon(Gond)
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Copy s.w.r.to :-

1. The Chief Engineer(NZ), MSEDCL, Vidyut Bhavan,Katol Road, Nagpur.

Copy f.w.cs.to:

1. The Executive Engineer/Nodal Officer., O&M Circle Office, MSEDCL.Wardha
2. Executive Engineer,C.C.O&M Dn., MSEDCL, Hinganghat.
for information and necessary action.

Address of the Electricity Ombudsman is given as below.

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