

Shri Betal authorized representative for the applicant argued that the applicant submitted an application for connection to the agricultural pump on 16-05-2013. He gave all the details of the agricultural land where the connection is necessary. However the respondent issued a demand note which was received by the applicant on 06-03-2014. The demand note was received late so he is entitle for compensation.

Shri Vaidya, Executive Engineer and Shri Hedao, Assistant Engineer, Hinganghat were present for the respondent. It was stated by the respondent that the applicant submitted an application on 13-05-2013. However when the Junior Engineer went to the spot to conduct the survey it was noticed that the applicant is not residing at village Yenora. He has two pieces of agricultural land at village Yenora. So the Junior Engineer could not conduct the survey. The applicant never enquired about his application in the office. So the Junior Engineer wrote a letter on 05-07-2013. Eventhen the applicant did not give any information. Thereafter the applicant came to the office personally. At that time required information was obtained. After necessary approval a demand note was given on 06-03-2014. There is no delay in giving the demand note. The application may be dismissed.

We have perused the record. We have heard the arguments advanced by both the parties. Main contention of the respondent is that the details of survey no. were not available on the record. So it was not possible to conduct the survey. As per the applicant all the details were given in the initial application itself.

However there is absolutely no evidence as to when the applicant received the demand note. The copy of the demand note is not placed on record by the applicant. In

absence of any evidence much less reliable and cogent evidence about the receipt of the demand note by the applicant we are not inclined to accept the claim of the applicant in this regard

So, we pass the following order,

ORDER

- i) Application No.28 of 2014 is hereby dismissed.
- ii) The parties to bear their own cost.

Sd/-
(Adv.Gauri D.Chandrayan)
MEMBER

Sd/-
(Ms.S.B.Chiwande)
MEMBER SECRETARY

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(Vishnu S. Bute)
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(Nagpur Dtd.25th day of April, 2014)

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Date :

Certified copy of order dated 25th April, 2014 in Case No.28 / 2014 is enclosed herewith.

Member-Secy/ Exe.Engineer,
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2. Executive Engineer,C.C.O&M Dn., MSEDCL, Hinganghat.
for information and necessary action.

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