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

Case No. CGRF(NZ)114/2016

Applicant : Shri Laxman H.Radke

At.Po.Ajni, Tq.Kamptee

Nagpur-02.

Non-applicant: Nodal Officer,

The Executive Engineer,

Dn.I,NRC,MSEDCL,

NAGPUR.

Applicant :- In person.

Respondent by 1) Shri G.C.Jaiswal, Adl EE, Mouda, Nodal Office

Quorum Present : 1) Shri Shivajirao S. Patil,

Chairman.

2) Shri N.V.Bansod Member

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

ORDER PASSED ON 24.08.2016.

- 1. The applicant filed present grievance application before this Forum on 20.07.2016 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. Non applicant, denied applicant's case by filing reply dated 16.08.2016.
- 3. Forum heard arguments of both the sides and perused record.
- 4. According to applicant date of connection is 05-08-1998 there was theft

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Of electricity by the applicant. Applicant paid theft assessment bill Rs.64360/- on dated 01-11-2012 thereafter applicant did not pay the bill because interest on arrears amount was included in the bill. Since April2013 applicant did not pay the bill.

- 5. Therefore matter is barred by limitation. Since April-2013 applicant did not file grievance application within 2 years. Present case is filed on 20-07-2016 therefore according to Regulation 6.6. of the said Regulation grievance application is barred by limitation.
- 6. Furthermore there was theft of electricity by the applicant Rs.64340/- is the assessment of theft and due to nonpayment of theft assessment interest was charged, therefore it is a matter under section 135 of Electricity Act 2003. Therefore according to Regulation 6.8[b] of the said Regulation this forum has no jurisdiction.
- 7. Grievance application deserves to be dismissed. Hence the following order.

ORDER

1 Grievance application is dismissed.

Sd/- sd/- sd/- (N.V.Bansod) (Mrs.V.N.Parihar) (Shivajirao S. Patil),
MEMBER MEMBER/SECRETARY CHAIRMAN

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