

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

Case No. CGRF(NZ)/172/2015

Applicant : Shri Gajanan C. Mahajan
At.Mansawali,Po.Sirasgaon
Tq.Hinganghat
Dist.Wardha.

Non-applicant : Nodal Officer,
The Executive Engineer,
O&M Dn.,MSEDCL,
Hinganghat,

Applicant :- 1) Shri Betal.

Respondent by 1) Shri Awachat, Dy.E E. Hinganghat(R) S/Dn.

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

2)Adv.Subhash Jichkar
Member

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

ORDER PASSED ON 03.12.2015.

1. Present grievance application was filed by applicant as per provisions at CGRF (NRZ) Nagpur and C.G.R.F. Nagpur Rural Zone, Nagpur transferred this matter to this Forum on 13.10.2015 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 16.10.2015.
3. Forum heard arguments of both the parties and perused record.
4. Applicant filed application for agricultural connection on 27-06-2014 but demand is given on 19-09-2015. Therefore there is delay for issuance of demand note beyond the period of 15 days and therefore applicant is entitle for compensation for the delay period according to MERC's SOP Regulations 2005 and 2014.
5. Though demand is given on 19-09-2015 up till now applicant is not paid demand. Test report is not given. In our opinion on payment of demand & on production of test report connection can not be given. Hence order.

ORDER

1. Grievance application is partly allowed.
2. Non applicant shall pay compensation to the applicant beyond period of 15 days regarding the delay in issuing demand note according to MERC's SOP Regulations 2005 and 2014.
3. Other prayers of the applicant are dismissed.
4. Applicant shall pay amount of demand and to submit test report, on such compliance by the application, Non applicant shall issue connection as per Rules and Regulations.
5. Non applicant is directed to submit compliance report within 30 days from the date of this order.

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

sd/-
(Adv. Subhash Jichkar)
MEMBER

sd/-
(Shivajirao S. Patil),
CHAIRMAN

