

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

Case No. CGRF(NZ)/176/2015

Applicant Shri Digamber S. Sayankar
 At.Po.Satephal,
 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 07.12.2015.

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 26.10.2015.

3. Forum heard arguments of both the parties and perused record.

4. Applicant filed application for agricultural connection on 19-08-2014 but demand is given to him on 18-11-2014. There is delay not issuing demand. Therefore applicant is entitle for compensation for this delay period in issuing demand according to MERC's SOP Regulations 2005 and 2014.

5. Applicant paid amount of demand on 03-02-2015 but record shows that applicant did not submit test report. Today also test report is not available with the applicant. Without producing test report, connection can not be given. Applicant shall produce the test report in the office of MSEDCL and such compliance non applicant not issue agricultural connection to the applicant. Hence the following order.

ORDER

1. Application is partly allowed.

2. Non applicant is directed to pay compensation to the applicant for the period of delay in issuing demand note according to MERC's SOP Regulations 2005 and 2014.

3. Other prayers of the applicant are rejected.

3. Applicant shall produce test report in the office of MSEDCL and such compliance non applicant shall issue agricultural connection as per Rules and Regulations.

4. 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

