

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

Case No. CGRF(NUZ)/314/2014

Applicant : Shri Nandkishore S. Mohankar,
Plot No. 1449/20, Gondpura,
Nagpur.

Non-applicant : Nodal Officer,
The Superintending Engineer,
(Distribution Franchisee),
MSEDCL,
NAGPUR.

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

2) Adv. Subhash Jichkar
Member.

3) Shri Anil Shrivastava,
Member / Secretary.

ORDER PASSED ON 28.1.2015.

1. The applicant filed present grievance application before this Forum on 4.12.2014 under Regulation 6.4 of the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Electricity Ombudsman) Regulations, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as Regulations).

2. Applicant's case in brief is that he received excessive bills. Being aggrieved by the order passed by I.G.R.C. he approached to this Forum.

3. Non applicant denied applicant's case by filing reply Dt. 22.12.2014. It is submitted that meter of the applicant is tested by acucheck and it is found O.K. Grievance application may be dismissed.

4. Forum heard argument of non applicant and perused record.

5. CPL of the applicant shows that meter of the applicant is changed in April 2013, prior to that there was tremendously less consumption even below 50 units per month which absolutely not possible considering the premises and connected load. Therefore there is possibility of mischief committed by Meter Reader by joining hands with the consumer to suppress the real reading. When meter was replaced in April 2013 and since then proper reading is appearing which is less than 150 units per month approximately or at the most about 200 units per month. Considering connected load, it is naturally justified and proper. Meter testing report by acucheck shows that meter is O.K.

6. In our opinion, order passed by Learned I.G.R.C. is legal and proper and needs no interference. Grievance application deserves to be dismissed. Hence following order :-

ORDER

1) Grievance application is dismissed.

Sd/-
(Anil Shrivastava)
MEMBER
SECRETARY

Sd/-
(Adv. Subhash Jichkar)
MEMBER

Sd/-
(Shivajirao S. Patil),
CHAIRMAN