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

Case No. CGRF(NUZ)/19/2012

Applicant :	Shri Rajendra Ramdas Patil, At Plot No. 20, Jaihind Hsg. Society, Vidyanagar, Wathoda, NAGPUR.
Non–applicant :	Nodal Officer, (Distribution Franchisee, The Superintending Engineer, Nagpur Urban Circle, MSEDCL, NAGPUR.
<u>Quorum Present</u>	: 1) Shri. Shivajirao S. Patil Chairman,
	2) Adv. Smt. Gouri Chandrayan, Member,
	3) Smt. Kavita K. Gharat Member Secretary.

ORDER PASSED ON 19.4.2012.

The applicant filed present grievance application before this Forum on 27.2.2012 under Regulation 6.4 of the Maharashtra Electricity Regulatory Commission (Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum & Electricity Ombudsman) Regulations, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as Regulations). 1. The applicant's case in brief is that he is receiving excessive bills. There is difference between the electrical energy utilized by the applicant and the bills issued by M.S.E.D.C.L. The applicant deposited the testing fees and requested for testing of the meter but no action is taken. Therefore the applicant filed present application for testing of the meter and revision of the bills.

2. The Non applicant denied the applicant's case by filing reply on Dt. 16.3.2012. It is submitted that bills issued by the non applicant from time to time are as per meter reading and no excessive bills are issued by the non applicant. The applicant deposited all bills till January 2012. Only complaint of the applicant regarding bill of May 2011 is pending. Officers of distribution franchisee SPANCO went to inspect the spot but house of the applicant was locked. On 15.3.2012, meter was tested by acucheck and was found O.K. Meter will be sent to testing lab and as per the testing report the action will be taken.

3. Forum heard arguments of both the sides and perused the entire record.

4. On 17.3.2012, this Forum has ordered that meter be tested in presence of applicant and Member / Secretary of the Forum in the laboratory and to submit report within 10 days. Accordingly, meter is tested in the lab in present of applicant and Member / Secretary of the Forum. Dy. Executive Engineer Testing Division, NUZ, Nagpur filed testing report Dt. 28.3.2012

on record which shows that meter of the applicant is O.K. Therefore we find no force in the present grievance application and the application deserves to be dismissed. Hence the Forum proceeds to pass the following order :-

<u>ORDER</u>

1) Grievance application is dismissed.

Sd/-Sd/-(Smt.K.K.Gharat) (Adv.Smt.GauriChandrayan) (ShriShivajirao S.Patil)MEMBERMEMBERCHAIRMANSECRETARY