

# BEFORE THE VIDYUT OMBUDSMAN FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA

First Floor 33/11 kV Substation, Beside Hyderabad Boat Club Lumbini Park, Hyderabad - 500 063

# PRESENT : SRI MOHAMMAD NIZAMUDDIN VIDYUT OMBUDSMAN

WEDNESDAY THE TWENTY FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR

C.M.P.No 41 of 2023-24 in Appeal No. 42 of 2023-24

#### Between

Sri Suman Agarwal, s/o. Late Nandlal Agarwal, aged about 61 years, beneficiary of <u>S.C.No</u>.M1009269 of Sri Dhanraj and <u>S.C.No</u>.M2000068 of Sri A. Keshav Rao, <u>H.No</u>.20-3-648 & 20-3-649, Hussaini Alam, Hyderabad - 500 006. Cell No. 9246564016 and 9440944114.

.....Appellant

#### AND

- 1. The Assistant Engineer/Operation/Hussaini Alam/TSSPDCL/Hyderabad.
- 2. The Assistant Divisional Engineer/Operation/Charminar/TSSPDCL/Hyderabad.
- 3. The Assistant Accounts Officer/ERO/Salarjung/TSSPDCL/Hyderabad.
- 4. The Divisional Engineer/Operation/Charminar/TSSPDCL/Hyderabad.
- 5. The Superintending Engineer/Operation/Hyderabad South Circle /TSSPDCL/Hyderabad.

# ..... Respondents

This petition is coming on before me for final hearing today in the presence of Sri Ravinder Prasad Srivastava - representative of the petitioner, Sri D.Lingaiah - DE/OP/Charminar and Sri K. Chandrasekhar Rao- JAO/ERO/ on behalf of the other respondents virtually and having stood over for consideration till this day, this Vidyut Ombudsman passed the

following:-

### **ORDER**

This petition is registered suo-motu as per Clause 3.42 of Regulation 3 of 2015 of Hon'ble Telangana State Electricity Regulatory Commission for compliance of the Award passed in Appeal No. 42 of 2023-24 dt.11.12.2023 of this Authority, by the Licensee-respondents.

- 2. This Authority while allowing the appeal, at para No. 20 of the said Award has passed the following order:-
  - "In the result, the appeal is allowed in part and the Award of the learned Forum is set aside. The respondents are directed to refund the amount of Rs.20,075/- (Rupees twenty thousand and seventy five only) to the appellant by way of adjustment in his future electricity bills of S.C.No.M200068 and M1009269, commencing from January 2024."
- 3. In the written reply submitted by respondent No.3, it is stated that they are preferring Writ Petition before the Hon'ble High Court against the Award passed by this Authority.
- 4. Heard both sides. It is submitted that the W.P.No.2461 of 2024 was already filed.
- 5. The point for consideration is, whether there are sufficient grounds to close the petition?

### **POINT**

6. As seen from the record, aggrieved by the impugned Award of this Authority, the respondents have preferred W.P.No.2461 of 2024 before the

Hon'ble High Court for the State Telangana at Hyderabad. In view of the filing of the writ petition, I hold that there are sufficient grounds to close the petition.

### **RESULT**

7. In the result, the petition is closed.

A copy of this Award is made available at https://vidyutombudsman-tserc.gov.in.

Typed to my dictation by Office Executive cum Computer Operator, corrected and pronounced by me on the 21st day of February 2024.

Sd/-Vidyut Ombudsman

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7. The Chairperson, Consumer Grievances Redressal Forum of TSSPDCL-Greater Hyderabad Area, Door No.8-3-167/E/1, Central Power Training

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