



HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY OMBUDSMAN
SHARMA SADAN, BEHIND KEONTAL COMPLEX, SHIMLA-171002
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In the matter of:

Complaint No. 23/2020

M/S Vardhman Polytex Limited, Village Nangal Nichla, Swarghat Road, Nalagarh, 174101
– Complainant

Vs

1. Executive Director (Personal), HPSEB Ltd, Vidyut Bhawan, Shimla-171004
2. Assistant Engineer (E), ESD No. 2, HPSEBL, Nalagarh, District Solan HP-174101
3. Sr Executive Engineer (E), Electrical Division, HPSEB Ltd, Nalagarh, District Solan HP 174101
4. Sr Executive Engineer (E), Electrical System Division, HPSEB Ltd, Nalagarh, District Solan HP 174101

- Respondents

Present for:

Complainant: Sh. Rakesh Bansal, Sh. Anuj Garg & Sh. Mohit Pathak
Respondent: Mr Anil Kumar God, Advocate, Er. Amit Gupta, Sr XEN, Operation Division, Nalagarh, Er. Gurcharan Singh, Sr XEN, ES Division Nalagarh, Er Dilbag Singh, JE Nalagarh

Dated: 05/09/2020 (03:00 PM)

Interim Order
(Admission Hearing)

Case called and both parties were heard. The counsel for the Complainant briefed about the case. The Respondents informed that SE, Operation Circle Solan vide letter dated 03/09/2020 have sought clarification from the Chief Engineer (Commercial) whether to charge Infrastructural Development Charges as per Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Recovery of Expenditure for Supply of Electricity) Regulations, 2012 and refund Rs 69,31,000/- excess charged to the Complainant.

The counsel for the Complainant contested the mechanism to charge as per Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Recovery of Expenditure for Supply of Electricity) Regulations, 2012 since in the communication dated 18/04/2011, the Respondent No. 3 had confirmed that they will be covered under Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Recovery of Expenditure for Supply of Electricity) Regulations, 2005.

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The Respondents to file their reply on or before 19/09/2020 and the Complainant to file their rejoinder on or before 26/09/2020. The case is listed for final arguments on 26/09/2020 at 3:00 PM or immediately thereafter.

Given under my hand and seal of this office.

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Electricity Ombudsman 5/9/2020

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Dated: 05/09/2020