BEFORE THE HARYANA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION AT PANCHKULA

Case No. HERC/Petition No. 05 of 2024

Date of Hearing : 27.03.2024

Date of Order : 02.04.2024

In the Matter of

Complaint under Section 142, 146 read with Section 94 of the Electricity Act, 2003 & Regulation 2.32 of HERC (Forum & Ombudsman) Regulations, 2020 for imposing penalty u/s 142 and institution of complaint u/s 146 of the Electricity Act, 2003 on account of non compliance of order/direction issued by the Electricity Ombudsman (EO) HERC, Panchkula as well as continuing failure to comply with the direction dated 13.10.2023 by respondent(s) and for direction(s) to ensure the strict compliance of the order passed by the Electricity Ombudsman (EO) HERC, Panchkula vide order dated 13.10.2023.

Petitioner:

SURESH GOYAL, PRESIDENT TKCGA, KALANWALI, M/s SURESH COTTON OIL & GEN MILLS, KALANWALI

versus

Respondents:

SDO OPERATIONS SUB DIVISION KALANWALI, DISTRICT- DABWALI (HARYANA)

Present:

On behalf of the Petitioner:

Sh. Akshay Gupta, Advocate

On behalf of the Respondents:

- 1. Sh. Raheel Kohli, Advocate
- 2. Ms. Himangini Mehta, Advocate
- 3. Sh. Krishan Swaroop, SE/CBO, DHBVN
- 4. Ms. Sushila Kumari, FA/CBO, DHBVN
- 5. Sh. Ravi, SDO, DHBVN.

QUORUM

Shri Nand Lal Sharma, Chairman Shri Naresh Sardana, Member Shri Mukesh Garg, Member

INTERIM ORDER

- 1. The case was heard on 27/03/2024, as scheduled, in the court room of the Commission.
- 2. At the outset, Sh. Akshay Gupta counsel for the petitioner submitted that the Order dated 13/10/2023 passed by the Electrical Ombudsman has not been complied with by respondent-DHBVN till date.
- 3. Sh. Raheel Kohli counsel for the respondent DHBVN submitted that the orders of the EO were addressing mainly three issues i.e. benefit of ToD/ToU, Power Factor rebate and interest on Advance Consumption Demand (ACD). DHBVN has already complied directions related to benefit of ToD/ToU and interest on Advance Consumption Demand (ACD) whereas the circular with respect to power factor rebate stands withdrawn. The counsel requested to allow the respondent to file its reply explaining all the facts.
- 4. Acceding to request of the respondent-DHBVN, the Commission allowed the respondent- DHBVN to file reply by 01/04/2024 with an advance copy to the petitioner and the petitioner may file response if any with in three days thereafter and adjourns the matter.
- 5. The matter to come up again on 14/05/2024.

This order is signed, dated and issued by the Haryana Electricity Regulatory Commission on 02.04.2024.

Date: 02.04.2024 (Mukesh Garg) (Naresh Sardana) (Nand Lal Sharma)
Place: Panchkula Member Member Chairman