

**BEFORE THE HARYANA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION AT
PANCHKULA**

Case No. HERC/P. No. 22 of 2026

Date of Hearing : 24/04/2026
Date of Order : 30/04/2026

IN THE MATTER OF:

Petition under Section 142, 146 of the Electricity Act, 2003 for Non-Compliance of Order passed by Electricity Ombudsman, Haryana.

Petitioner

Naman Jain S/o Sh. Vipin Jain Resident of Ward No. 6, Near Arya Samaj Mandir, Nuh, Haryana Also at: Tata Primanti, Sector-72, Gurugram

VERSUS

Respondent:

1. Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam through its Managing Director
2. Executive Engineer / Operation, Badshahpur, Gurugram
3. Sub Divisional Officer / Operation, Sohna Road Sub-Division, DHBVN, Gurugram

Present

On behalf of the Petitioner

Sh Akshya Gupta Proxy Advocate

On behalf of the Respondent

1. Sh. Abhishek Vashista, Advocate
2. Sh. Manoj Yadav, SE, DHBVN
3. Sh. Sattar Khan, XEN, DHBVN
4. Sh. Rajesh Kaushik, SDO, DHBVN

QUORUM

Shri Nand Lal Sharma, Chairman
Shri Mukesh Garg, Member
Shri Shiv Kumar, Member

INTERIM ORDER

1. The case was heard on 24/04/2026, as per schedule, in Court Room of the Commission.
2. At the outset, counsel for the respondent, Sh. Abhishek Vashista, submitted that the process for release of the connection was initiated in

compliance with the directions; however, the EO order has been stayed by the Hon'ble High Court.

3. In response to a query from the Commission, counsel submitted that the Hon'ble High Court has passed an ex-parte order and that the same has been communicated by the RWA to the respondents.
4. The Commission observed with concern that the conduct of the officials of DHBVN was not satisfactory, as the EO order was not complied with within the stipulated period.
5. Sh. Sattar Khan, XEN, prayed for leniency in respect of the cost imposed upon him for non-appearance on the last date of hearing, stating that he was preoccupied and that his absence was neither deliberate nor intentional; however, since no prior exemption from appearance had been sought by him, the Commission did not find his request acceptable.
6. The Commission observes that although the EO order has been stayed by the Hon'ble High Court, proceedings against the respondents are still warranted for non-compliance with the EO order within the stipulated time frame.
7. The Commission therefore directs the respondent to submit its reply with a copy of the petition filed and stay orders of the Hon'ble High court with in two weeks.
8. The matter shall come up next on 28/05/2026.

This order is signed, dated and issued by the Haryana Electricity Regulatory Commission on 30/04/2026.

Date: 30/04/2026
Place: Panchkula

-Sd/-
(Shiv Kumar)
Member

-Sd/-
(Mukesh Garg)
Member

-Sd/-
(Nand Lal Sharma)
Chairman