

CONSUMERS GRIEVANCES REDRESSAL FORUM AT KASUMPTI SHIMLA-171009.

No. CGRF/Complaint No. 1413/1/23/09

Dated:-

M/s Kailash Chand (LR Collage),
Village Jabli (Kyar)PO Ochghat,
Tehsil & Distt. Solan HP

Complainant

V/s.

HPSEBL & Others.

Respondents

Application No. MA23/5-A1Complaint No. 1413/1/23/09

Present for:-

Complainant 1. Sh. O.C Sharma, Advocate.

Respondent 1. None.

Dated:-20.02.2023

Interim Order

(The previous date of hearing in the complaint was nil).

Complainant M/s Kailash Chand LR Collage Village Jabli (Kyar) P.O Ochghat Tehsil & Distt. Solan, HP has filed an Application accompanying the Complaint for Ad-Interim Ex-Parte stay on the recovery of Rs. 43,64,660/- demanded by the HPSEBL vide Notice dated 01.02.2023. As stated in the Application, the ibid Notice has been received by the Complainant on 14.02.2023 through post, wherein 15 days Notice of disconnection on failure to make payments has also been served.

Perusal of the complaint shows that the arrears have been raised by Respondent HPSEBL for the past periods. The Applicant has also annexed Bill No. 170000591502 dated 18.01.2023. The Forum cannot ascertain the exact disputed amount from the ibid Notice and sundry reflected in the ibid bill, which are not the same and therefore the Forum only considers the Notice amount as disputed.

Complaint is admitted. In accordance with Regulation 25 of HPERC (Consumer Grievances Redressal Forum & Ombudsman) Regulation, 2013, Ex-parte Stay is granted on operation of ibid Notice dated 01.02.2023 till further orders.

The Complainant is directed to deposit $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$ of the disputed Rs. 43,64,660/- amounting to Rs. 14,54,887/- with in a week's time positively i.e on or before 27.02.2023. On deposit of this $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$ amount within the time given, no coercive action by way of disconnection of electricity of Complainant premises shall be taken.

The Applicant after deposit of the $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$ amount, shall place on record Receipt of deposit of this amount with copy to Respondent. The applicant shall continue to pay any current charges that may be raised to the Complainant in the Electricity bills. On failure of Complainant to deposit the $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$ amounting to Rs. 14,54,887/- in the time given, the Stay granted vide this Interim Order, shall automatically stand vacated.

On aforesaid terms the Application filed by the Complainant stands disposed.

Registry is directed to issue Notices to parties to be present on next date of hearing which is 03.03.2023.

List on 03.03.2023 at 11.15AM.

**Sd-
(Vikas Gupta)
(Member)**

**Sd-
(Tushar Gupta)
Chairman**

Notice

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1. The Executive Director (Pers.),
HPSEBL, Vidyut Bhawan,
Shimla-171004.
2. The Sr. XEN, (E) Division,
HPSEBL, Solan,
Distt. Solan,
(H.P.)
3. The Assistant Engineer,
Electrical Sub-Division,
HPSEBL, Solan III,
District Solan (H.P.).

Respondents

An attested copy of interim order dated 20.02.2023 passed by the Hon'ble Forum in the above mentioned complaint is enclosed herewith for further necessary action at your end. You are, therefore, requested to appear in person or through an authorized representative or through an advocate duly appointed by you for the purpose on the said date & time.

Also take notice that in default of your appearance on the said date and time fixed, the case will be heard ex-parte.

List on 03.03.2023 at 11.15AM.

DA:-As above.

Secretary,
Consumers Grievances Redressal Forum,
HPSEBL, Kasumpti Shimla-171009.