



Madhya Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission

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Petition No. 123/2005

SUB:- IN THE MATTER ILLEGAL RECOVERY OF SYSTEM STRENGTHENING CHARGES OF RS. 12,16,164/-

M/s. Shubhalay (Builders & Developers) - Petitioner
9/1 Trilanga Main Road, Near Rajeev Gandhi School,
E-8, Arera Colony, Bhopal
Vs
MP Madhya Kshetra Vidyut Vitaran Co. Ltd, Bhopal - Respondent

ORDER

(Passed as on this day of 12th July 2006)

Shri Pradeep Kumar, Advocate appears on behalf of the petitioner.
Shri A.O. Bhatnagar, Addl. EE appears on behalf of the respondent.

2. The petition is filed in the matter of illegal recovery of systems strengthening charges of Rs. 12,16,164/-.
3. Today Respondent has submitted reply stating that a Committee was constituted to investigate into the subject matter regarding return of cheque without seeking permission from proper authority. The Committee on enquiry has found three officers prima fasci guilty and it has been decided to issue charge-sheet to the defaulting officers namely-
 - (i) Shri K.S. Rajpoot, Addl SE then EE City Dn West Bhopal.
 - (ii) Shri Subodh Ingle, JE, City Dn West.
 - (iii) Shri Rajendra Kumar Joshi, Addl OA, Gr. II, City Dn. West Bhopal.
3. Today Commission has heard both the parties. Commission enquired as to why the petitioner did not approach the Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum if the Respondent had over charged them. Petitioner confirms that he has not yet approached the Forum. Commission therefore directs the Petitioner to approach the Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum and if still not satisfied with the decision of the Forum the Petitioner may submit representation before the Electricity Ombudsman for settlement of the grievances. Commission also directs that departmental enquiry against the defaulting officers must be pursued by the licensee and result be communicated to the Commission in due course of time.

With the directions aforesaid, Commission directs to close the case.

Ordered accordingly.

Sd/-
(R.Natarajan)
Member (Econ.)

Sd/-
(D.Roybardhan)
Member (Engg.)

Sd/-
(P.K.Mehrotra)
Chairman