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APPEAL PETITION No. P/121/2015  
(Present: Sri. V.V. Sathyarajan)  
Dated: 18<sup>th</sup> September 2015

Appellant : Sri Aboobacker K.R.  
Proprietor, K.P. Oil Mills,  
Ponnani,  
Malappuram District.

Respondent : The Assistant Executive Engineer,  
KSEBoard Ltd,  
Electrical Sub Division,  
Ponnani,  
Malappuram.

### **ORDER**

The appellant is a consumer having consumer number 61 under the electrical Section, Ponnani. The appellant is running an oil mill in the name of K. P. Oil Mills at Ponnani. On 11-11-2011, the APTS team along with the KSEB officials inspected the premises of the appellant and detected the 'Y' phase voltage to the CT meter found missing. On the basis of the inspection, the appellant was issued a provisional assessment bill for Rs. 62,675/- on 6-12-2011. The appellant filed an objection before the Assistant Engineer, Electrical Section, Ponnani which was disposed after conducting a hearing and issued a final bill amounting to Rs. 1,91,549/-. The appellant filed an appeal petition, after remitting the 50% of the bill amount, before the Deputy Chief Engineer, Tirur, who confirmed the bill amount. Still not satisfied with the decision, the appellant approached CGRF, Kozhikode with a petition as numbered OP 46/2014-15 and the same was dismissed since the case comes under Section 126 of Electricity Act 2003. Against the order of CGRF, Kozhikode, the appellant filed this appeal before this Authority on 18-06-2015.

The respondent has been directed to furnish statement of facts on the appeal petition vide this office letter no P/121/2015/3085 dated 18-06-2015. Meanwhile, in letter no. DB/OMBUDSMAN-121/2015/24 dated 16-9-2015, the respondent has submitted a request to drop the case since the KSEBL has accorded sanction to settle the case as requested by the appellant vide his

letter dated 31-07-2015. As per the letter No. LD/CGRF9(N)6942/2015 dated 09-07-2015, the Law Officer, KSEBL informed the Asst. Executive Engineer, Ponnani that the Board of Directors decided to settle the matter for an amount of Rs. 62,675/- and requested to settle the dispute for the said amount.

Since both parties were agreed to settle the matter as per the above terms, the appeal petition is disposed as settled. No order as to costs.

**ELECTRICITY OMBUDSMAN**

P/121/2015 \_\_\_\_\_ /Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Forwarded to:

1. Sri Aboobacker K.R., Proprietor, K.P. Oil Mills, Ponnani, Malappuram District
2. The Assistant Executive Engineer, KSEBoard Ltd, Electrical Sub Division, Ponnani, Malappuram.

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1. The Secretary, Kerala State Electricity Regulatory Commission, KPFC Bhavanam, Vellayambalam, Thiruvananthapuram-10.
2. The Secretary, KSE Board Limited, Vydhyuthibhavanam, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram-4.
3. The Chairperson, Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum, Kerala State Electricity Board Limited, Gandhi Road, Kozhikode District.