

Before the Appellate Board National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (NEPRA)

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No. NEPRA/AB/Appeal-097/2017/ // 3-//07

July 06, 2018

- 1. Asim Ali Zahid S/o Bakarullah, R/o Gala Rana Aftab Wala, Shadman Colony, Near Aslam Chowk, Gujranwala
- 3. Saeed Ahmed Bhatti, Advocate High Court, Neela Gumbad, Lahore
- Second Floor, Akram Mansion,
- GEPCO Ltd, 565-A, Model Town, G. T. Road, Gujranwala

2. Chief Executive Officer

- 4. Sub Divisional Officer, GEPCO Ltd, Baghbanpura Sub Division, Near Aalam Chowk, By-Pass, Gujranwala
- Electric Inspector, Gujranwala Region, Govt. of Punjab, Munir Chowk, Near Kacheri Road, Gujranwala

Subject:

Appeal Titled GEPCO Vs. Asim Ali Zahid Against the Decision Dated 31.03.2017 of the Provincial Office of Inspection to Government of the Punjab Gujranwala Region, Gujranwala

Please find enclosed herewith the Decision of the Appellate Board dated 03.07.2018, regarding the subject matter, for information and necessary action accordingly.

Encl: As Above

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Forwarded for information please.

(Ikram Shakeel)

Assistant Director Appellate Board

Registrar



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Before Appellate Board

In the matter of

Appeal No. 097/2017

Gujranwala Electric Power Company Limited	Appellant
Versus	
Asim Ali Zahid, S/o Bakarullah, R/o. Gala Rana Aftab Wala,	
Shadman Colony, Near Aslam Chowk, Gujranwala	Respondent

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 38(3) OF REGULATION OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER ACT, 1997 AGAINST THE DECISION DATED 31.03.2017 PASSED BY PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF INSPECTION GUJRANWALA REGION GUJRANWALA

For the appellant:

Mr. Saeed Ahmed bhatti Advocate

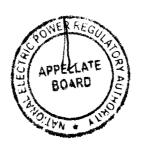
Mr. Tariq Mahmood SDO

For the respondent:

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DECISION

1. Facts of the case are that the respondent is an industrial consumer of GEPCO with Ref No. 24-12113-5168900 and load sanctioned as 7 kW under B-1 (b) tariff. The respondent was charged detection bill of Rs. 102,763/- for 5,386 units for November to April 2016 (06 months) charged in June 2016 on account of 38 % slowness of the meter found by GEPCO during M&T checking dated 03.05.2016. The respondent





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agitated above detection bill before Provincial Office of Inspection (POI) Gujranwala Region Gujranwala on 30.07.2016. POI vide its decision dated 31.03.2017 (hereinafter referred to as the impugned decision) declared the above detection bill and the bills with enhanced M.F = 1.6 as null and void and allowed charging the bills @ 5.22 % slowness.

- 2. Being aggrieved, GEPCO has challenged the impugned decision through the instant appeal. Notice was issued and the hearing was held in Lahore on 26.06.2018. At the outset of the hearing, SDO GEPCO informed that the matter was amicably settled inter-se the parties. The learned counsel for GEPCO therefore averred that the appellant did not intend to pursue the appeal.
- 3. In view of facts stated above, the appeal is dismissed as withdrawn.

Muhammad Qamar-uz-Zaman Member

Nadir Ali Khoso

Convener

Dated: <u>03.07.2018</u>



Muhammad Shafique

Member