

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

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No. NEPRA/AB/Appeal/111/POI/2020/ /05/

December 28, 2021

- Muhammad Samin Khan S/o. Qasim Khan, R/o. House No. B-115, Block-B, Mohallah Hussain De-Selva Town, North Nazimabad, Karachi
- Mohallah Hussain De-Selva Town North Nazimabad, Karachi

 3. Asif Shajer,
- Deputy General Manager, K-Electric, KE House, 39-B,Sunset Boulevard, DHA-II, Karachi
- Electric Inspector/POI
 Karachi Region-II, Government of Sindh,
 Plot No. ST-2, Block-N, North Nazimabad,
 Near Sarina Mobile Market,
 Main Sakhi Hasan Chowrangi, Karachi

- Chief Executive Officer, K-Electric, KE House, 39-B, Sunset Boulevard, DHA-II, Karachi
- 4. Ms. Tatheera Fatima,
 Deputy General Manager,
 K-Electric, First Floor,
 Block F, Elander Complex,
 Elander Road, Karachi
- 6. Sajjad A. Bapar Advocate High Court, Office 7/1, Arkay Square, Shahrah-e-Liaqat, New Challi, Karachi

Subject:

Appeal Titled K-Electric Vs. Muhammad Samin Khan Against the Decision Dated 31.08.2020 of the Provincial Office of Inspection to Government of the Sindh Karachi Region-II, Karachi

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Appellate Board dated 29.11.2021, regarding the subject matter, for information and necessary action accordingly.

Encl: As Above

(Ikram Shakeel)
Deputy Director (M&E)/
Appellate Board

Forwarded for information please.

1. Director (IT) –for uploading the decision on NEPRA website



National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

Before Appellate Board

In the matter of

Appeal No.111/POI-2020

K-Electric Limited

.....Appellant

Versus

APPEAL UNDER SECTION 38(3) OF REGULATION OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION, AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER ACT, 1997 AGAINST THE DECISION DATED 31.08.2020 PASSED BY PROVINCIAL OFFICE OF INSPECTION KARACHI REGION-II, KARACHI

For the Appellant:

Mr. Asif Shajer General Manager

Ms. Tatheera Fatima Deputy General Manager

Mr. Najamuddin Sheikh

Mr. Masahib Ali Manager

Mr. Riaz Kazim Manager

For the Respondent:

Mr. Sajaad Ahmed Advocate

DECISION

1. As per facts of the case, the Respondent is a commercial consumer of the K-Electric having Ref No.AP-081952 with sanctioned load of 10 kW and the applicable Tariff is A-2C. The Respondent filed an application before the Provincial Office of Inspection, Karachi Region-II, Karachi (the POI) and challenged the arrears of Rs.2,103,738/- till July 2020, which included the bills for the period February 2020 to July 2020 charged by the K-Electric. The POI inspected the premises of the Respondent on 02.07.2020 wherein the behavior of the billing meter of the Respondent was observed abnormal. The complaint of the Respondent was disposed of by the POI vide decision dated 09.01.2020, wherein the bills for the period December 2019 to July 2020 were cancelled and the K-Electric was directed to install a new meter and revise the bills



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for the disputed period i.e. December 2019 to July 2020 based as per the average consumption of six months recorded by the new meter.

- 2. Instant appeal has been filed against the above-referred decision by the K-Electric before the NEPRA. After issuing notice, hearing of the appeal was held at the NEPRA Reginal Office Karachi on 19.11.2021, which was attended by both the parties. During the arguments, both the parties mutually agreed in writing on the following actions to be taken by the K-Electric; (1) the bills for the period from December 2019 and onwards till the replacement of the defective meter will be revised on the basis of average consumption of the undisputed period i.e. April 2019 to November 2019; (2) the revised bills of the disputed period December 2019 and onwards till the replacement of the defective meter will be assessed as per the applicable tariff of the relevant months; (3) the payments made, if any, against the above disputed bills will be adjusted accordingly; and (4) the defective meter and the cable of the Respondent will be replaced within one (1) week.
- 3. In view of above, the K-Electric is therefore directed to implement the agreement between the parties as mentioned in the para 2 above.
- 4. The appeal is disposed of in the above terms.

Abid Hussain Member/Advisor (CAD)

Nadir Ali Khoso Convener/Senior Advisor (CAD)

Date: 29.11.2021

