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Chief Executive Officer
Faisalabad Electric Supply Company (FESCO)
Abdullah Pur, Canal Bank Road, <u>Faisalabad</u>.

Subject: COMPLAINT FILED BY MR. ZAFAR IQBAL S/O SOHNA UNDER SECTION 39 OF

THE REGULATION OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF

ELECTRIC POWER ACT, 1997 AGAINST FESCO REGARDING DETECTION

BILLING (REF # 15-13168-0949800 R).

Complaint No. FESCO-FSD-38136-05-24

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of Complaints Resolution Committee 4 dated August) 0, 2024 regarding the subject matter.

Encl: As above

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1. GM (C&CS), FESCO, Abdullah Pur, Canal Bank Road, Faisalabad.

2. Director Customer Services, FESCO, Abdullah Pur, Canal Bank Road, Faisalabad.

2. 3. Mr. Zafar Iqbal S/o Sohna

R/o Mouza Sahmal, Tehsil Bhawana,

District Chiniot.

Cell # 0346-7259136.



NATIONAL ELECTRIC POWER REGULATORY AUTHORITY (NEPRA)

Complaint No. FESCO-FSD-38136-05-24

Mr. Zafar Iqbal S/o Sohna Mouza Sahmal, Tehsil Bhowana, District Chiniot.

..... Complainant

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Faisalabad Electric Supply Company (FESCO) Abdullah Pur, Canal Bank Road, <u>Faisalabad</u>.

..... Respondent

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Date of Hearing:

August 08, 2024

On behalf of

Complainant:

Mr. Zafar Igbal (Online)

Respondent:

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Mr. Abid Ali Haidri SDO (Operation), FESCO

SUBJECT: COMPLAINT FILED BY MR. ZAFAR IQBAL UNDER SECTION 39 OF THE REGULATION OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER ACT, 1997 AGAINST FESCO REGARDING DETECTION. SECTION BILL (REF # 15-13168-0949800)

DECISION

- Reference is made to the hearing held on August 08, 2024 at NEPRA Regional Office, Faisalabad regarding the subject matter.
- The hearing was attended by both the parties i.e. the concerned SDO and Complainant wherein the matter was discussed in detail. During the hearing, the Complainant raised the issue of charging exorbitant detection bill during the month of September, 2023. In response, FESCO official submitted that the Complainant was levied a detection bill of 2049 units for the period i.e. March to August, 2023 on basis of assessed load i.e. 4 kW as the Complainant was found involved in the direct theft of electricity from main PVC cable. After detailed deliberations, FESCO official agreed to revise the disputed bill on the basis of sanctioned load i.e. 3 kW as per which detected units comes out to the tune of 1173 instead of 2049 after adjustment of units already charged in routine billing during detected period; upon which the Complainant showed satisfaction.

3 - مندرجه بالا حقائق کے پیش نظر فیسکو کو ہدایت کی جاتی ہے که وہ اوپر دی گئی ہدایات کے مطابق ڈیٹیکشن بل پر نظر ٹائی کرے اور ڈیٹیکشن بل کی مد میں 1173 ہونٹ چارج کر مےجیسا که فیسکو کے اہلکار نے پہلے ہی اتفاق کیا ہے۔ تعمیل کی رپورٹ ا دس (100 دنوں کے اندر جمع کا 15 حالہ ۔

> NEPRA Folsalabad.

(Ubaid Khan)

Member, Complaints Resolution

Committee/Assistant Director (CAD)

Faisalabad, August 20, 2024

(Engr. Dr. Bilal Masood)

Member, Complaints Resolution Committee

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