

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.09.2018

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THE HONOURABLE Mr. JUSTICE S.M.SUBRAMANIAM

W.P.No.4577 of 2016

Arokiasamy

..Petitioner

Vs

1. Assistant Executive Engineer,  
O & M, TANGEDCO (Rural)  
Jayankondam.

2. The Superintending Engineer,  
Perambalur, TANGEDCO (Rural)  
Perambalur - 621 220

..Respondents

PRAYER: Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India, to issue a Writ of Certiorari, calling for the records of the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent made in Ka.No.MaPo./Pe.Me.Pa.Va/Po/U.Se. Po/Pothu/U.Mi.Po/ Popu-2/ Ko-Kattu/ A.No.04/2015 dated 04.01.2016 and passed by the 2<sup>nd</sup> respondent and quash the same.

For Petitioner : Mrs.C.Sangamithirai

For Respondents : Mr.P.Gunaraj, standing counsel  
For TNEB

ORDER

The learned counsel for the writ petitioner states that the impugned order dated 04.01.2016, stipulates that the writ petitioner is liable to pay the Electricity consumption charges of Rs.1,20,085/- (Rupees One Lakh, Twenty Thousand and Eighty Five only). The petitioner had already deposited Rs.85,000/- (Rupees Eighty Five Thousand only) and the balance amount of Rs.35,085/- (Rupees Thirty Five Thousand and Eighty Five only) is to be paid to the Electricity Board.

2. The Learned Counsel for the respondents states that the allegations against the writ petitioner is theft of energy and therefore, the petitioner is liable to pay the entire amount. Taking note of the fact that the writ petitioner had already

deposited Rs.85,000/- (Rupees Eighty Five Thousand only), the writ petitioner is directed to deposit the balance amount of Rs.35,085/- (Rupees Thirty Five Thousand and Eighty Five only) in two equal instalments, commencing from 15.09.2018. In the event of not paying the said amount, the respondent Board is empowered to initiate all further actions by following the procedures as contemplated under law.

3. With these observations, the writ petition stands disposed of. However, there shall be no order as to costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar (CS-IV)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

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