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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 28.07.2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE N. ANAND VENKATESH

Contempt Petition No.813 of 2025
in WP.No.14989 of 2020

and

Sub Application(OS) No.326 of 2025 in Cont.P.DR.No.6516 of 2025

Delta Electronics India Pvt. Ltd.,
SEZ Unit, SF No.16/1B2B (Part) &
16/1B2A 9 Part) Plot No.1
Industrial Park
Kurubarapally Village
Krishnagiri 635 115.
Represented by its Authorized Signatory.

.. Petitioner

vs.

1.Dr.Rajesh Lakhoni, IAS
Chairman and Managing Director
The Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution
Corporation Limited (TANGEDCO)
10th Floor, No.144, Anna Salai
Chennai 600 002.

2.K.Balakrishnan
The Chief Financial Controller-General
TANGEDCO
7th Floor, No.144, Anna Salai
Chennai 600 002.

3.Selva Kumar
The Superintending Engineer
TANGEDCO
Krishnagiri Electricity Distribution Circle
Krishnagiri.

.. Respondents



Contempt Petition filed under Section 11 of the Contempt of Courts Act, to punish the respondents under the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 for willful and wanton disobedience of the directions/orders, dated 09.01.2024 passed by this Court in WP.No.14989 of 2020.

For Petitioner : Mr.Rahul Balaji

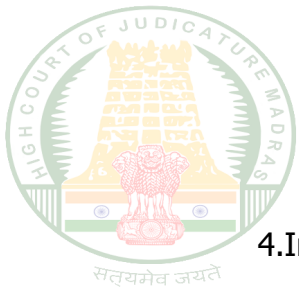
For Respondents : Mr.S.Madhusuthanan
Standing Counsel
for R1 to R3

ORDER

This Contempt Petition was filed on the ground that the order passed by this Court in WP.No.14989 of 2024 dated 09.01.2024, was not complied with.

2.When the matter was taken up for hearing today, the learned Standing Counsel appearing on behalf of TANGEDCO submitted that the condone delay petition is yet to be listed and steps are being taken to get the matter listed before the Division Bench.

3.In the considered view of this Court, the order was passed on 09.01.2024 and this Court while disposing of the writ petition directed the respondents to adjust the excess amount paid by the petitioner towards current consumption charges payable to the Board. In spite of the same, the current consumption charges are being collected from the petitioner.



4. In view of the fact that the order was passed on 09.01.2024 and the writ appeal filed by the respondent is only at the stage of condone delay, there shall be a direction to the respondents to start adjusting the current consumption charges starting from September 2025 onwards. If in the meantime, they are able to get any interim orders, it goes without saying that the direction given in the writ petition will have to wait till the writ appeal is finally disposed. of

5. With the above directions, this contempt petition is disposed of. Consequently, connected sub application is closed at the SR stage itself.

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Speaking Order/Non-Speaking Order
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