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WP No. 43420 of 2025



IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 12-11-2025

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THE HONOURABLE MR JUSTICE M.DHANDAPANI

**WP No. 43420 of 2025
& WMP NO. 48593 OF 2025**

M/s.Sumathi Spinning Mills P Ltd
Htsc No.039094300166,
No.3/48c,Sathy Road,
Kariyampalayam, Annur,
Coimbatore-641 653, Repd By Its
Authorised Signatory K.Gururajan.

Petitioner(s)

Vs

1. Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission
4th Floor, Sidco Corporate Office Building,
Thiru.Vi.Ka.Industrial Estate, Guindy,
Chennai-600 032, Through its Secretary.

2.The Chairman
Tamil Nadu Generation And
Distribution Corporation Limited,
144, Anna Salai, Chennai 600 002.

3.Director Finance
Tamil Nadu Generation And Distribution Corporation
Limited, 144, Anna Salai,
Chennai 600 002.



4.The Superintending Engineer
TNPDCI,
Coimbatore North Electricity Distribution Circle,
Coimbatore

5.The Superintending Engineer
TNPDCI, Udumalpet Electricity Distribution Circle,
Udumalpet

Respondent(s)

PRAYER; Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India for issuance of a Writ of Mandamus, forbearing the respondents and and their men, agents from collecting current consumption charges, demand charges and any arrears from the petitioner until the respondents makes payment of the outstanding dues of Rs.2,44,905/- (for the year of 2024-2025) payable to the petitioner or give adjustment in the current consumption charges payable by the petitioner till the entire amount is adjusted.

For Petitioner(s): Mr.S.Lakshmipathy

For Respondent: Mr.L.Jaivenkatesh

ORDER

When these matter is taken up for hearing today, the learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the issue involved in the present Writ petitions is no longer res integra and the similar issue has already been decided by the learned Single Judge of this Court in W.P.Nos.6776 of 2020 etc., batch on



28.10.2021 and therefore, the same order may be passed in these petitions as well. The learned respective Standing Counsel appearing for the respondents have not disputed the facts submitted by the learned counsel for the petitioner and they have no serious objection for the said order being passed.

3. The learned Single Judge of this Court, vide order dated 28.10.2021 made in W.P.Nos.6776 of 2020 etc., batch in the case of M/s.Rajaguru Spinning Mills P. Ltd., Vs. The Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission, in identical circumstances which was also relied upon by the learned counsel for the petitioners held as under:

“11. In view of the above, all these Writ Petitions are Disposed of with the following directions:

(a) In all those cases where the TANGEDCO has acted upon the interim orders passed by this Court and the entire outstanding amounts due and payable has been adjusted, those writ petitions will be rendered infructuous since the grievance of those petitioners stands redressed;

(b) In those cases where the TANGEDCO is in the process of adjusting the outstanding amount due, such adjustment shall be continued till the entire outstanding amount is adjusted towards the current consumption charges / open access charges payable by the respective petitioners and



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(c) The TANGEDCO shall not take any coercive steps to disconnect the electricity connection to the petitioners until the outstanding amounts due and payable is completely adjusted towards the current consumption charges/open access charges payable by the petitioners.”

4. In view of the above fact that the earlier Writ petitions involving similar issue being disposed of by this Court in the aforesaid terms, the present Writ Petition also stand disposed of in terms of the above said order of this Court dated 28.10.2021 made in W.P.Nos.6776 of 2020 etc., batch. No costs. Consequently, the connected Miscellaneous petition is closed.

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