

**CWP-10151-2026 (O&M)****-1-****IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH****120****CWP-10151-2026 (O&M)****Date of Decision: 06.04.2026****Ravinder Kaur****...Petitioner****Versus****Punjab State Power Corporation Limited and others ...Respondents****CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JAGMOHAN BANSAL**

Present: - Mr. Ishwarjot Singh, Advocate and  
Mr. Gursehajpreet Singh, Advocate for the petitioner  
Mr. Santosh Kumar Tripathi, Advocate for respondents  
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**JAGMOHAN BANSAL, J. (Oral)**

1. The petitioner through instant petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India is seeking direction to respondents to restore electricity connection.

2. The petitioner is a resident of District S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali), Punjab. She is having a domestic electricity consumer connection bearing Account No.3005823523. She submitted a complaint dated 02.12.2024 to the respondents to replace defective meter but to no avail. The respondents raised demand of arrears amounting to ₹1,28,037/- pursuant to which her connection was disconnected on 18.09.2025. She submits that the respondent has demanded arrears without proper disclosure as well as disconnected her supply without serving any notice.

3. Mr. Santosh Kumar Tripathi, Advocate appeared and filed his Power of Attorney on behalf of respondents. The same is taken on record.

Registry is directed to tag the same at an appropriate place.

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4. On being confronted with the fact that petitioner has not approached Consumers Grievances Redressal Forum (for short '**Redressal Forum**'), learned counsel for the petitioner submits that petitioner has no one to support her and she is living alone, thus, this Court may be pleased to ask said Authority to examine factual and legal position. If she is found liable to pay arrears, she would pay in accordance with law, however, in the meantime, electricity connection may be restored.

5. Learned counsel for the respondents submits that respondents have no objection to the aforesaid arrangement.

6. Considering the peculiar facts and circumstances, the petition stands disposed of with a direction to Redressal Forum to consider petitioner's grievance treating present petition as her representation and pass an appropriate order within one month from today.

7. In the meantime, respondents shall restore electricity connection subject to decision of Redressal Forum.

8. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

**(JAGMOHAN BANSAL)**  
**JUDGE**

**06.04.2026***Mohit Kumar*

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| Whether speaking/reasoned | Yes/No |
| Whether reportable        | Yes/No |