



**HIMACHAL PRADESH ELECTRICITY OMBUDSMAN**  
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In the matter of:

**Complaint No. 20/2022**

✓ **M/S East Bourne Hotels Private Ltd & M/S Oaks Construction & Properties, Near Bishop Cotton School, Khalini, Shimla-171002**

**- Complainant**

**Vs**

- 1. Executive Director (Personal), HPSEB Ltd, Vidyut Bhawan, Shimla-171004**
- 2. The Assistant Executive Engineer (E), Electrical Sub-Division, HPSEBL, Chotta Shimla, District Shimla, HP-171002**

**- Respondents**

**Interim Order**


M/S East Bourne Hotels Private Ltd & M/S Oaks Construction & Properties, Near Bishop Cotton School, Khalini, Shimla-171002 have now provided a copy of the proof of having deposited Rs 18,64,000/- only with the Distribution Licensee towards 50% of the amount assessed by the Forum below. The Forum below vide orders passed on 17/10/2022 have assessed Rs 20,58,858/- for Issue No. 1. The Forum below have ordered in favour of the Complainant in Issue No. 2 whereas no amount have been assessed by them in Issue No. 3.

The proof now submitted is more than 50% of the amount assessed by the Forum below as per requirement of provisions of Regulation 33 (1) (g) of Himachal Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (Consumer Grievances Redressal Forum and Ombudsman) Regulations, 2013. The Complainant had also submitted an application with prayer for extension in time. However, after submitting the proof for 50% of the disputed amount, there is no need to grant any extension.

The Respondent Board is directed to submit their reply **duly supported by attested affidavit on or before 21/11/2022** positively. The Complainant may file his rejoinder by 24/11/2022. The case is further listed for admission hearing on 25/11/2022 at 12:00 PM or immediately thereafter.

**Given under my hand and seal of this office.**

No. HPEO/(Case No. 20/2022)/2021-22- **5/2-14**

  
**Electricity Ombudsman**  
**Dated: 11/11/2022**