Jharkhand State Electricity Regulatory Commission, Ranchi FORM OF PROCEEDING

Case No. 15 of 2025

M/s Balaji Electrosteels Limited		Petitioner
	Versus	
Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC)	•••••	Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. MAHENDRA PRASAD, MEMBER (LAW) HON'BLE MR. ATUL KUMAR, MEMBER (TECH.)

For the Petitioner : Mr. Saket Upadhyay, Advocate. For the Respondent : Ms. Khushboo Kataruka, Advocate

Sl.No	Date of Proceeding	Proceeding of the Commission with signature	Office action taken with date
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02	24.06.2025	Mr. Saket Upadhyay, learned Counsel appeared for	
		the Petitioner. Ms. Khushboo Kataruka, learned Counsel	
		has appeared for Respondent and filed vakalatnam today	
		itself.	
		Learned Counsel for the Petitioner submitted that	
		the present complaint arose on 26.03.2025, when the	
		claim of the petitioner was rejected purportedly on the	
		ground that the revised bill has been issued after	
		thorough reconciliation by the respondent and a demand	
		of Rs.24.85 crores has been made contrary to the order of	
		this Hon'ble Commission.	
		Learned Counsel for the respondent vehemently	
		objected on the point of maintainability of the case and	
		submitted that the case may be referred to the Consumer	
		Grievance Redressal Forum or any other Forum as per	
		the Electricity Act, 2003.	

Heard both the parties and perused the materials available on records.

The Commission noted that prima facie, the case of the Petitioner appears to be a billing dispute and as per Clause 8.2.2 of the Jharkhand State Electricity regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code) Regulations, 2015 disputes related to the demand note may be referred to the Consumer Grievance Redressal Forum (CGRF) for adjudication, as such the Petitioner is at the liberty to file its representation before the appropriate forum.

In view of the above observation and findings, the case is not maintainable and accordingly dismissed herewith.

In the mean time the respondent is directed not to take any coercive steps against the petitioner till three months of the issuance of this order for filing its application before the appropriate Forum.

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