Before the MAHARASHTRA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION World Trade Centre, Centre No.1, 13th Floor, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai 400005 Tel. 022 22163964/65/69 Fax 22163976 Email: mercindia@merc.gov.in; Website: www.merc.gov.in

Case Number 58 of 2013

... Petitioner (s)

...Respondent (1)

...Respondent (2)

Dated: 24 May, 2013

<u>CORAM:</u> Shri V. P. Raja, Chairman Shri Vijay L. Sonavane, Member Smt Chandra Iyengar , Member

In the matter of: Shri MAHENDRA J TARDEJA

SE, CCO&M, MSEDCL, Akola EE, CCO&M, MSEDCL, Akola

Counsel/ Representative for the Petitioner (s)	1) Sh Mahendra J Tardeja
Counsel/ Representative for the Respondent (s)	 Sh Prashant R Lahane, Asst. Law Officer Sh Kishor J Meshram, SE Sh Bhaskar D Sakhare, EE

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Heard the parties. The stone crusher belonging to the Petitioner had more load-shedding because of mistakes in the calculation of DCL. There were 27 Transformers while the IT system had accounted for only 25. This error came to light. CGRF, Akola issued as Order on 11 March, 2013, which clearly was not complied with. This has led to a business Loss to the Petitioner.

Interim ruling granted by the Electricity Ombudsman was challenged in the High Court. The High Court directed the Electricity Ombudsman to take a decision after hearing both the sides on merit. It is understood that the Electricity Ombudsman has heard the matter on 10 May, 2013 and orders are expected.

The Petitioner also alleged that Shri S. R. Bhise, then Superintending Engineer (O&H), Akola Circle (and currently SE, Jalna) is indulging in corrupt practices. He also submitted prima-facie documentary proofs of the same. Hence this should be reported to the Managing Director, MSEDCL for initiating an <u>investigation</u>.

Case posted for further hearing on Monday, 17 June, 2013 at 3.00 PM.

Sd/-	sd/-	sd/-
(Chandra Iyengar)	(Vijay L. Sonavane)	(V. P. Raja)
Member	Member	Chairman