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Case No 124 of 2021

Case of the Talegaon Floriculture Park Flower Growers Co operative Society seeking restoration of categorisation of floriculture consumers from Agricultural Others to Agricultural Metered Pump sets in the electricity bills

The Talegaon Floriculture Park Flower Growers Coop Society : - Petitioner
Maharashtra State Electricity Distribution Company Limited : - Respondent

Appearance

For Petitioner :- Colonel Mickie Uberoi (Rep)
For Respondent :- Shri. Rahul Sinha (Adv.)

Daily Order

Heard the Representative of the Petitioner and Advocate of the Respondent.

Advocate of Respondent requested for adjournment of the hearing on the ground that Petition has been served only a day before the scheduled hearing. Petitioner clarified that it has filed the Petition in e-filing portal and assumes that it automatically made available to respondent MSEDCL. However, during test run as MSEDCL contended that it has not received the Petition, Petitioner immediately served the same.

Considering the request of Respondent, the Commission adjourned the hearing and directed MSEDCL to file its submission within 2 weeks. Petitioner may file its Rejoinder, if any, within a week thereafter.

Having adjourned the hearing, the Commission would like to mention that e-filing portal enables access of Petition/submissions filed in the case to concerned parties. Further, separate email and SMS is automatically sent to the registered email id and phone number on filing of any of the submissions in the matter. In present case, Petition was filed on 16 July 2021 and MSEDCL has been made Respondent. Hence all details of Petition are available in MSEDCL's login from such date of filing. It is responsibility of 'Registered Official' of MSEDCL to provide copy of such petition immediately to concerned department or its field Offices who will be representing on behalf of the MSEDCL. Henceforth, such reason of non-availability of petition/ submission when same has been filed on e-filing portal shall not be accepted.

After the receipt of the submissions, next date of hearing will be intimated by the Secretariat of the Commission.

**Sd/-
(Mukesh Khullar)
Member**

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(I.M. Bohari)
Member**

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(Sanjay Kumar)
Chairperson**