

29.05.2026

File taken up today as 28th May, 2026 was declared holiday on account of *Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)* vide notification dated 26.05.2026.

Present : Sh. Binay Kumar, AR of the complainant company.
Accused is present with Ld. Counsel Sh. Kamaljeet Singh.

1. It is submitted by the AR for the complainant company that civil liability in the present matter alongwith other connected cases has already been settled before Mediation Centre on 05.02.2026 for a total sum of Rs.1,25,000/- and entire settled amount has been paid to the complainant.
2. Separate statement of AR for the complainant company regarding civil liability recorded.
3. So far as criminal liability is concerned, accused has already pleaded guilty as per statement vide dated 05.02.2026 hence, accused is held guilty for the offence punishable u/s 135 of the Electricity Act.
4. Report regarding previous involvement of accused already filed on behalf of SHO concerned on 13.02.2026 **wherein no involvement of accused is reported in any case.**
5. Report of Preliminary Enquiry under the Probation of Offenders Act, 1958, already filed on 13.02.2026, wherein it is mentioned that convict **Arti** is 28 years old unmarried woman, she is 10th standard passed and residing in her own house. She lives with her two sisters and her parents have expired. The economic condition of the family of convict is poor. She stated that she is highly motivated to lead her life with the discipline and norms of the society. Further, there is possibility of improvement in the

behavior of the convict. The convict is facing the present case from 2022 and has suffered socially, mentally as well as economically throughout this period of trial and there is a possibility of rehabilitation of convict in this case. The previous institutional record of convict is nil.

6. It is submitted by AR for the complainant that civil liability in the present matter has already been settled and he has no objection, in case present case is disposed off.

7. Reports Perused.

8. Arguments on the point of sentence heard.

9. It is submitted by the convict **Arti** that she is 28 years old unmarried woman, she is 10th standard passed and residing in her own house. She lives with her two sisters and her parents have expired. The economic condition of her family is poor. Further, it is stated by the convict that she is victim of circumstances and deserves lenient view and as such, she may be released on probation of good conduct.

10. Keeping in view the facts and circumstances of the case, report of SHO concerned in which **convict is not involved in any criminal case** as well as report of Probation Officer is satisfactory and the fact that the convict has already settled her civil liability especially keeping in view the economic financial condition of the convict, hence, I am of the opinion that ends of justice would be met, if the convict is given the benefit of Probation of Offender Act. Hence, convict **Arti** is given the benefit of section 3 of the Probation of Offenders Act, 1958 and due admonished accordingly.

11. Bail bond, if any, stands cancelled and surety, if any is discharged.

12. In view of the fact that the matter has already been settled and accused has already made payment in terms of the settlement, the accused can obtain a regular electricity connection at the premises in question, if not provided yet, subject to completion of requisite commercial formalities.

12. File be consigned to record room after due compliance.

13. Copy of this order be given dasti.

(Rakesh Kumar-IV)
ASJ (Electricity) - 01,
Central/Tis Hazari Courts/Extn. Block/
Delhi/ 29.05.2026 (ts)