

9 Ct. Cases / 121/2024
TATA Power Delhi Distribution Ltd. Vs. Raj Kamal
PS (AMAN VIHAR)

08/09/2025

Lawyers are abstaining from work due to strike.

Present : Sh. Satish Kumar, AR of the complainant company / TPDDL and Ms. Mansha, Assistant Manager (Legal) of the complainant company/ TPDDL.

Submissions heard. Record perused.

CW-1 Sh. Devendra Sharma and CW-2 Sh. Satish Kumar have been examined by the complainant in pre-summoning evidence in support of its complaint filed under section 135/138 read with Section 151 of the Electricity Act, 2003 alleging the commission of theft of electricity.

CW-1 Sh. Devendra Sharma, who was working as Sr. Executive with the complainant company. He was member of the joint raiding team which on 29.07.2020 inspected the connection of the accused bearing CA No.60024913232 and Meter Number 11002476 installed in the name of the accused Raj Kamal and being used by accused Manjeet Singh at Plot No.237, Kh. No. 189, Ground Floor, Village Kirari Suleman, BLK-C, Extn. Prem nagar, City Delhi and has relied upon the documents i.e. Mark-A to Mark-C and the documents exhibited as Ex.CW1/1(A-1 to A-60) to Ex.CW1/3.

CW-2 Satish Kumar is working as Technical Consultant and is authorised representative of the complainant company and he has relied upon the complaint and the documents Ex.CW2/1 to Ex.CW2/5 and the documents marked as Mark-D to Mark-F.

It is alleged that at the time of joint inspection by the raiding team of TPDDL, the following irregularity were found by the members

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of the inspection team as per the inspection report Mark-A :

1. *Scratch marks found on meter display as visible from the transparent meter box.*
2. *On meter body sticker seals found tampered.*
3. *Meter display shows C-open and tamper event.*

It is alleged that on 07.08.2020, the meter was tested by the lab, which has observed in the report Mark-E and the meter testing report Mark-F wherein it was found that meter display thin film found deformed, meter body sticker seen found heated and the meter testing lab finally concluded that based on analysis report of meter manufacturer, the meter offered to M/s EQDC for testing and meter display thin film found deformed due to magnetron tamper applied on the meter.

Thus, in view of the above, there are sufficient grounds on record to proceed against both the accused persons namely Raj Kamal and accused Manjeet Singh for the offences punishable under Section 135/138 r/w Section 151 of the Electricity Act 2003. ***Accordingly, both the accused persons namely Raj Kamal and accused Manjeet Singh be summoned for 30.10.2025 on filing of PF through complainant company.***

(PRASHANT KUMAR)
ASJ (Electricity)/(N-W)
Rohini Courts, Delhi/ 08/09/2025