

18 Ct. Cases 799/2023
BSES RAJDHANI POWER LTD Vs. SONU S/O RAM
CHANDER AND ANR (Chhawla)

11.12.2024

Present: Sh. Ashutosh Kumar, AR for the complainant.
Sh. Tarun Ruhil, LR for the complainant.
Ld. Counsel for BSES.
Accused no.1 in person with Ld. Counsel Sh. Deepak
Kumar.
Accused no.2 is absent.

Bail application moved on behalf of accused no.1.
Same is taken on record.

Arguments on the bail application heard. The impugned theft bill in this case is Rs.3,10,002/-. The allegation is that accused was found indulged in direct theft of electricity by directly tapping from BSES service cable through illegal wire and further connected to the load of the premises, despite having electricity meter bearing no. 40180847. The connected load at the time of raid is stated to be 12.038 KW for domestic purpose.

Ld. Counsel for the accused no.1 on the other hand states that the accused is innocent and has been falsely implicated. Ld. Counsel for the accused during the course of arguments submits that the accused be granted bail and he is ready to abide by any reasonable condition imposed by the Court.

Submissions heard. Record perused.

Accused no.1 Sonu is admitted to bail on furnishing of personal bond and surety bond in the sum of Rs.30,000/- each.

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Personal bonds furnished by accused. Same are considered and accepted till next date of hearing. Let surety bonds be furnished on next date of hearing.

Submissions on the point of framing of notice heard. *Prima facie* a case for framing of notice under section 251 of Cr.P.C. is made out against accused persons. Notice for the offence under section 135 of Electricity Act is framed against the accused no.1 Sonu to which he pleaded not guilty and claimed trial.

Put up on **06.02.2025** for appearance of accused no.2, furnishing of surety bonds by accused no. 1 and for consideration on bail and notice qua accused no.2.

(Vinod Kumar Meena)
ASJ : Special Electricity Court
Dwarka Courts, New Delhi
11.12.2024