

To,
District Engineer
CESC Ltd.
433/1, G. T. Road (North)
Howrah



Copy To: Sr. Commercial Executive, CESC Ltd., Howrah

Dated: 26/08/2022

Report and clarify attempted unlawful connection at 57, Dingsai Para Rd.

Dear Sir,

I, Chirantan Mukherjee, S/O Late Wg. Cdr. A.K. Mukherjee, am a resident of 56, Dingsai Para Road, under your service area.



ATTEMPTED CONNECTION ON 13TH AUG 2022, THAT WAS OBJECTED TO

This letter is to clarify an attempted unlawful connection at adjoining 57, Dingsai Para Rd – that we objected, and was disallowed – on second Saturday, 13th August 2022.

This non-confrontational incident was amicably resolved – especially due to able understanding of the Supervisor (Mr. Goutam Maidya), who patiently listened to our reasons – and refused to go-ahead with the job-in-hand, as unlawful.

I had explained to him that the CESC post was on our property, and installed on the assurance that the 'defunct' post was a temporary set-up, and such connection will make it 'functional'. Furthermore, this controversial change in status-quo was being attempted despite the order of U/s 144(2) CrPc (Misc Petition No. 295 of 2022) in the Office of 2nd Court of Ld. Executive Magistrate, Howrah – being in effect!



A (ABOVE): INITIAL STATUS

C (BELOW): BEGINNING OF ORDER



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B (ABOVE): DEFUNCT CESC POST

D (BELOW): CURRENT STATUS



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A copy of the order was handed over to him, and you may please refer the same at:
<https://www.storyof57.com/archives/crpc144>

It was obvious, that your esteemed office was kept at dark, and facts were misrepresented or suppressed, in order to commit your esteemed office into this attempted unlawful act.

That the said order of U/s 144(2) CrPc (Misc Petition No. 295 of 2022) in the Office of 2nd Court of Ld. Executive Magistrate, Howrah being in effect as early from 7th March 2022, it can be presumed that the application/request for the said connection was made during this period – and such attempt was made intentionally. And, such mischief can be further confirmed, when they failed to appear and clarify their standpoint – despite your Supervisor making multiple calls for their presence or clarification. You may please refer the CCTV footage of the entire incident at:

<https://www.storyof57.com/footages/unlawful-attempt>

Thankfully, we were around, and the mischief was confronted and averted.

However, the manner in which your esteemed office was gotten involved despite the disputes – requires some clarification, especially to ascertain that your office does not commit into the same conduct again.

Please refer to the snapshots in the previous page, for the following clarifications:

- The snapshot marked as A clearly shows that, at the initial stage, the electricity connection was installed directly – without any post - as marked as 1. This has been the status for approximately 50 years, before they decided to invest into the current constructions.
- The snapshot marked as B clearly shows the newly installed ‘defunct’ post, on 16th May 2019 – marked as 2. This was installed on our premises without our permission or any prior notification. When we had confronted the installation being made, we were explained that it is a temporary set-up and shall be later moved into their premises. We did not object at that time, under the impression that we were helping them in their time of need.
- The snapshot marked C, shows the status of construction at the time of the aforementioned order being effective.
- The snapshot marked D, shows controversial construction being made recently that we apprehend as being planned for more mischief – marked as 3. This newly constructed structure barely leaves a ground space of 2 ft, for a 6/7-storied construction, and even a layman can tell that it is unlawful.

The aggressiveness, with which this controversial construction was initiated on 14th August 2022, has been worrying and kept us apprehending for more related mischief, especially after the order's tenure. You may please refer the relevant CCTV footage at: <https://www.storyof57.com/footages/unlawful-construct>

This controversially constructed structure has already been reported for inspection to the Bally Municipality, along with other issues. You may please refer the same at: <https://www.storyof57.com/municipality-inspect>

Although inadvertently, your esteemed office has acted unlawfully once (in installing the post on our premises, without our permission), and attempted another unlawful installation recently (on 13th August 2022).

Under such circumstances, before entertaining any further requests from holding 57 of Dingsai Para Road, please note that:


- Case 1: If a completely new and separate (perhaps underground) connection is granted or installed, I will be left with the liability of a 'defunct' post installed on our premises without our permission, and with fraudulent assurances.
- Case 2: If the old connection is restored but the post remains on our premises, it will not only controversially change the status-quo of the 'defunct' post to functional, but leave us with a permanent liability.
- Case 3: If the post is taken away and the old connection is restored, as it was previously – as clarified in snapshot A – then the restoration will involve structures that we have already challenged and reported for inspection in Bally Municipality, as explained above. Therefore, such a move will also be unlawful.

The only acceptable solution is to move the post into their premises, before entertaining any further requests.

I hope the clarifications to your esteemed office suffice in explaining our objections.

Thanking you, in anticipation of your continued co-operation.

Yours Faithfully,



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