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September 03, 2025

Chief Executive Officer,
K-Electric Limited, KE House No. 39-B,
Sunset Boulevard Phase-II, Defence Housing Authority,
Karachi


Subject: **DECISION IN THE MATTER OF COMPLAINT FILED BY MR. LAIQ AHMED (ADVOCATE) UNDER SECTION 39 OF THE REGULATION OF GENERATION, TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC POWER ACT, 1997 AGAINST K-ELECTRIC LIMITED REGARDING DETECTION BILL (CONSUMER NO. LA-593935)**

Complaint No. KElectric-NHQ-49246-01-25

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the NEPRA Regional Office Karachi dated September 03, 2025 regarding the subject matter for necessary action and compliance within twenty (20) days, positively.

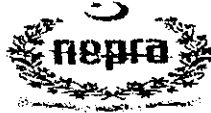
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No. 2, of City Court, Karachi.
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BEFORE THE
NATIONAL ELECTRIC POWER REGULATORY AUTHORITY
(NEPRA)

Complaint No. KElectric-NHQ-49246-01-25

Mr. Laiq Ahmed (Advocate)

.....**Complainant**

Office #12-Court Chamber, Opp. City Court Karachi,
Gate No. 2, of City Court, Karachi,
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Versus

K-Electric Limited (KE)

.....**Respondent**

KE House No.39B, Sunset Boulevard
Defence Housing Authority, Karachi.

Date of Hearing(s): 1) May 15, 2025
2) August 05, 2025

On behalf of:

Complainant: Mr. Laiq Ahmed (Advocate)

Respondent: 1) Mr. Rehan Zafar (K-Electric Ltd)
2) Mr. Imran Zakir (K-Electric Ltd)

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This decision shall dispose of the Complaint filed by Mr. Laiq Ahmed (Advocate), #12-Court Chamber, Opp. City Court Karachi, Gate No. 2, of City Court, Karachi, (hereinafter referred to as "the Complainant") against K-Electric Limited (hereinafter referred to as the "Respondent" or "KE"), under Section 39 of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 (hereinafter referred to as the "NEPRA Act").

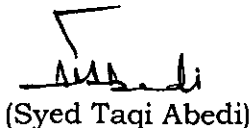
2. Brief facts of the case are that NEPRA received a complaint wherein the dispute agitated by the Complainant was that KE has charged detection bill and requested NEPRA to intervene in the matter & direct KE to withdraw the detection bill. The matter was taken-up with KE for submission of parawise comments/report. In response, KE reported that a discrepancy of meter strip damage was reported. KE added that the consumer has been charged detection bill amounting to Rs.141,727/- on the connection bearing Consumer No. LA-593935. The report of KE was sent to the Complainant for information/comments. The Complainant raised observations over the report of KE.

3. In order to proceed further into the matter, hearings were held at NEPRA Regional office Karachi on May 15, 2025 & August 05, 2025 which were attended by both the parties i.e. (KE and the Complainant) in person wherein the matter was discussed in detail.

4. The case has been examined in detail in light of the record made so available by the parties, arguments advanced during the hearing and applicable law. The following has been observed:

- i. The instant matter pertains to charging of detection bill amounting to Rs.141,727/- on the electricity connection having consumer no. LA-593935 having tariff A1R.
- ii. KE is of the view that the detection bill amounting to Rs.141,727/- for the period from June 2024 to November 2024 have been charged on the discrepancy of meter strip damage on connected load 5kW.
- iii. KE showed sufficient evidence at the premises against the detection bill of Rs.141,727/- on LA-593935. Moreover, electricity consumption on the same connection has observed to be on lower side as compared with the connected load of the premises of 3kW as per KE site inspection report dated May 27, 2025.
- iv. Further it is observed that KE has charged the said detection bill on higher side.

5. Foregoing in view, KE is directed to revise the detection bill amounting to Rs.141,727/- charged to the Complainant on LA-593935 from six (06) months to three (03) months on connected load of 3kW. A report in this regard be submitted within twenty (20) days, positively.



(Syed Taqi Abedi)

Member Complaints Resolution
Committee/Additional Director (CAD)



(Abid Hussain)

Member Complaints Resolution
Committee/Advisor (CAD)

September 3, 2025