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CIRCULAR

Sub: Submission of Joint Option for Higher Pension online through E.P.F.O. Member's Portal.

Further to our Circular dated 14/02/2023, the circular issued by E.P.F.O. on 20/02/2023 on the aforesaid matter and the Joint option form available at the EPFO website we would like to inform you the followings:-

- i) Eligible employee/ex-employee interested to submit their application are requested to submit the application online through E.P.F.O. website <http://unifiedportal.mem.epfindia.gov.in/> member interface.
- ii) Further, those who have submitted the Joint Option application offline are also required to submit through online.
- iii) For UAN, Upto-date P.F. Statement (for existing employee) and the Permission Certificate in lieu of Para 26(6), applicant may contact to Mr.Partha Sarathi Chakraborty at Mobile No. 9230490526, Email ID: dmsmpf@deysmedical.com
- iv) Applicant has to pay the full amount of contribution on salary exceeding wage ceiling under erstwhile para 11(3) (since deleted) and para 11(4) of EPS 95 along with interest up to the last date of the month in which payment is made and will be deposited within specified period as stipulated by EPFO. The EPFO will determine the payable amount along with interest after verification of joint option which is submitted through EPFO portal.
- v) EPFO in their Circular dated 20.02.2023 stated that the method of deposit by the employee / ex-employee and the amount / computation of higher pension will follow through subsequent Circular. But no such Circular is issued till now. It seems that due contribution along with interest will be deposited through Provident Fund Trust.
- vi) This circular is being issued for implementation of said judgement dated 4th November,2022 of the Hon'able Supreme Court and is subject to any ratification(s) /guideline(s) that may be issued by EPFO from time to time. Therefore, the Joint Option submitted by eligible employees/ ex-employees do not confer any right to receive or obligation upon Dey's Medical Stores (Mfg.) Ltd. to pay higher pension to them.

For Dey's Medical Stores (Mfg) Ltd.


Amal Kumar Ghosh

Manager-Accounts and Authorised Officer of Provident Fund Trust

CC: 1. Concerned employees through website , 2.All Branches
3.All HOD - DMS(M) Ltd. , 4.Notice Board- Bondel /RRD /CMO / FSG / Anandapur