



# West Bengal State Electricity Transmission Company Ltd.

(A Govt. of West Bengal Enterprise)

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To

The Regional Provident Fund Commissioner,  
Employees Provident Fund Organization,  
Bhavishyanidhi Bhawan,  
DK Block, Sector –II, Salt Lake City,  
Kolkata- 700091

Sub: Submission of undertaking for permission under para 26(6) of EPF Scheme, 1952

Ref: EPFO Circular No. Pension/2022/56259/16541 dated 20th February, 2023

Dear Sir,

As per clause 6(vii) of the EPFO circular under reference, members are required to submit the proof of remittance of employer's share in Provident Fund on higher wages exceeding the prevalent wage ceiling and proof of joint option under Para 26(6) of EPF Scheme. In the above premises, we would like to certify that:-

- West Bengal State Electricity Transmission Company Limited (WBSETCL), bearing Establishment Code: WBCAL0054540000, has been deducting and subsequently, depositing PF contribution @12% on the actual salary exceeding statutory wage ceiling of Rs.5000/-, Rs.6500/-, and Rs.15000/- as applicable from time to time since its registration under EPFO
- The Employer has also been paying matching contribution since its inception i.e. 01.04.2007.
- The company has continued to pay necessary administrative charges at the applicable rate from time to time on the total amount of actual EPF wage and also undertake to pay all future administrative charges that may be levied as per statute.
- The company has not received any objection from EPFO authority regarding such contribution which may act as deemed acceptance of such contribution on actual salary without any objection
- EPFO has also paid interest throughout on the PF contribution on actual salary, which is also evidenced by the respective Members' PF balance reflected in the Members' Pass Book.

The aforesaid actions are in due compliance to Para 26(6) of the EPF Scheme,1952 and the employees of WBSETCL are, therefore, fulfilling criteria stipulated in EPFO Circular dated 20.02.2023 and are eligible for exercising option for higher pension.

As the last date of submission of online joint option for higher pension is 03.05.2023, we would like to inform all our employees to upload the acknowledgement copy of this letter as a proof of joint option under Para 26(6) of Employees' Provident Fund Scheme, 1952 to enable the members to submit their online option for higher pension accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

(Shamy Roy Choudhury)  
Director (HR&A)

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