

To  
Managing Director,  
PWRMDC Ltd,  
S.A.S. Nagar (Mohali)

Sub :- **Regarding - 'implementation of Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgment dated 04-11-2022 - Application for validation of Option/Joint Options - Proof of Joint Option under 26(6) of the EPF Scheme, 1952 duly verified by the employer'.**

Ref :- EPFO Head Office Circular No. Pension/PoHW23/Circular 26(6) 1139610/1648 Dated 14 June, 2023.

R/Sir,

I, \_\_\_\_\_, request to your good self that I have been retired from your prestigious office as \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_.

My EPF Account No. is PB/CHD/4690/\_\_\_\_\_ .and UAN is \_\_\_\_\_.

I have been applied for pension on higher wages as per Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgment, dated 04-11-2022. As per subject and ref. the required option under 26(6) is submitted herewith for further submission to EPFO. Kindly do the needful and oblige.

Thanks and regards.

Yours faithfully

Dated:

DA : As above (performa for permission under para 26(6) of EPF Scheme, 1956)

**PERFORMA FOR JOINT REQUEST UNDER PARAGRAPH 26(6) OF THE EPF  
SCHEME 1952**

**(For implementation of Hon'ble Supreme Court judgment, dated the 04th November, 2022, in Civil Appeal No. 8143-8144 of 2022 [SLP (C) Nos. 8658-8659 of 2019] in the matter of the Employees' Provident Fund Organisation and others versus Sunil Kumar B. and others)**

To,  
The Regional Provident Fund Commissioner  
Regional Office, SCO No.4-7, Sector-17-D,  
Chandigarh

I \_\_\_\_\_ am an existing member of the EPF Scheme, 1952 having UAN \_\_\_\_\_. I have read and understood the provisions of paragraph 26(6) as well as the definition of 'pay' under paragraph 2 of the Scheme. I wish to contribute towards my EPF on actual (higher) pay exceeding the statutory wage ceiling (presently Rs 15,000/ per month) w.e.f. **01-09-2014** and accordingly submit my option to contribute on my actual (higher) pay

**OR**

I ..... having read and understood Para 26(6) and the definitions of 'pay', and 'excluded employee' as mentioned under Para 2 of EPF Scheme, 1952, hereby declare that I am an 'Excluded Employee' as per Para 2(f)(ii) of the Scheme and am not enrolled as a member of the Scheme as my 'pay' from the date of joining my establishment .....having PF Code.....has been above the statutory wage ceiling (presently Rs.15,000/- per month). Now, I wish to become a member of the EPF Scheme, 1952 w.e.f.....and accordingly hereby exercise my option for the same. I undertake to contribute to Employees' Provident Fund on actual (higher) pay.

I \_\_\_\_\_, being the employer as per the provisions of Section 2(e) of the EPF & MP Act 1952, in respect of the above-mentioned employee and am submitting a joint request for the purpose of enrolling the member/existing member who has been paying contribution on actual pay exceeding statutory wage ceiling/existing members whose actual pay exceeds statutory wage ceiling.

Place:

Signature of Employer  
Name, Designation of the employer

Name & Signature of the employee

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**UNDERTAKING BY THE EMPLOYER**

I....., being the employer as per the provisions of Section 2(e) of the EPF & MP Act 1952, in respect of the above-mentioned employee, hereby undertake to pay the administrative charges payable at prescribed rates towards EPF contribution made by/ in respect of the said employee, including his/ her contribution on pay exceeding the statutory wage ceiling.

I further undertake to comply with all the statutory provisions under EPF & MP Act, 1952 and Schemes framed there under in respect of such employee with effect from. ....

Place:

Date:

Signature of Employer

Name, Designation of the employer

(For Office use)

**OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL PROVIDENT FUND COMMISSIONER**

The above Joint Request is accepted with effect from \_\_\_\_\_ with a direction to make necessary entries in the records of the establishment and the Account of the Employee/Member\*.

DA

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APFC

To

The Employer (Establishment) for information to member