BEFORE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL-2, MUMBAI

APPEAL NO. CGIT- 2 / EPFA /110 /2019

M/s. Dosti Corporation (Business Park). - Appellant

V/s.

The Regional Provident Fund Commissioner,

EPFO, Bandra.

- Respondent

ORDER (Delivered on 30-09-2024)

Read application for condonation of delay in filing an appeal. Perused the say given on behalf of the opponent. Heard both the parties.

According to the appellant / applicant the order dated 28.05.2019 has been challenged in an appeal which was received on 21.05.2019. Initially that order was challenged in review before the Authority of the opponent however the review has been rejected by order 19.08.2019. the review order was dated received on 22.08.2019 and thereafter the present appeal has been filed on 11.10.2019. In fact if as per the receipt of order dated 22.08.2019, there is no delay in filing an appeal but from the date of order of review, there is some delay in filing an appeal therefore the delay may kindly be condoned.

It seems that, the facts of filing of review and rejection of review by order dated 19.08.2019 and the receipt

of review order dated 22.08.2019 is not disputed by the opponent and considering the date of review order there is no delay in filing an appeal but from the date of review order i.e., 19.08.2019 there is some delay in filing an appeal but it is certainly within 120 days as prescribed under the EPF Act therefore considering the negligible delay in filing an appeal I am inclined to condone the delay in filing an appeal.

In the result, the application is allowed. The delay in filing the appeal is condoned. The matter to proceed further.

Sd/-

Date: 30-09-2024

(Shrikant K. Deshpande) Presiding Officer CGIT -2, Mumbai

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