

**BEFORE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL
TRIBUNAL- CUM - LABOUR COURT, ERNAKULAM.**

Date: 09-03-2026

**Present: SUSHIL KUMAR-II,
PRESIDING OFFICER**

**EPFA No.208/2019
(Old No.1319(7)15**

BETWEEN

M/s.Lourdes Hospital,
Pachalam. Kochi-682 012.
Kerala.

: 1st Party/Appellant

AND

The Regional Provident Fund Commissioner
Employees Provident Fund Organization,
36/685A, Bhavishyanidhi Bhavan,
Kaloor, Kochi – 682017

: II Party/Respondent

Appearance:

For the Appellant : M/s. Bechu Kurian & Co., Advocates
For the Respondent : M/s. S.Prasanth, Advocates

The present appeal has been filed by the Appellant against the order of the Regional PF Commissioner, Kochi No. KR/KCH/3274/Enf.1(3)/2015 dated 18.09.2015 by which dues amounting to Rs.41,62,059/- was saddled against the Appellant u/s.7A of the EPF & Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952.

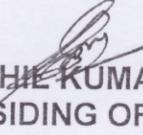
2. At the time of hearing, learned representing counsel appeared on behalf of the Appellant submitted that the Hon'ble High Court in W.P. No.21503 of 2011 vide its order dated 01.12.2022 has remitted the matter back to the 2nd Respondent i.e., RPFC ., Cochin to reconsider the matter in light of dictum laid down by the Hon'ble Court in the case of Sivagiri Sree Narayana Medical Mission

Hospital (supra) and therefore, the appeal filed by the Appellant before this Tribunal has become infructuous. As such, he pleaded that the same may be dismissed as infructuous. The other side has expressed his no objection.

ORDER

3. In view of the above reasons, the appeal filed by the Appellant is dismissed as infructuous. Ordered accordingly.

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(SUSHIL KUMAR-II)
PRESIDING OFFICER

