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

Present: Shri.V.Vijaya Kumar, B.Sc., LLM, Presiding Officer.

(Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2022)

**Appeal No.13/2022**

Appellant : The Secretary  
Co.Op Arts & Science College  
Perinthalmanna  
Malappuram - 679322

By Adv. U. K. Devidas

Respondent : The Assistant PF Commissioner  
EPFO, Regional Office  
Eranjipalam P.O.  
Kozhikode - 673006

This case coming up for admission on 18.02.2022 and the same day this  
Tribunal-cum-Labour Court passed the following:

**ORDER**

Present appeal is filed from order no.KR/KKD/14368/ENF-3(3)/2021/3676  
dt.08.12.2021 issued by the respondent assessing damages U/s 14B of EPF & MP  
Act, 1952 for belated remittance of contribution and order no.KR/KKD/14368/  
ENF-3(3)/2021/3677 dt.08.12.2021 assessing interest U/s 7(Q) of the Act.

The appeal is filed in time and there is no delay in filing the appeal.

There is no provision U/s 7(I) of the Act to prefer an appeal from an order issued U/s 7(Q) of the Act. Hence the appeal filed against 7(Q) of the order is dismissed as not maintainable.

The appeal filed against Sec 14B order is admitted. The impugned order U/s 14B of the Act is stayed subject to remittance of the Sec 7(Q) interest within a period of four weeks from today with the respondent.

Issue notice to the respondent to appear and file counter on 04.05.2022.

Sd/-

(V. VIJAYA KUMAR)  
Presiding Officer