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APPEAL NO. CGIT-1/EPFA -06 OF 2020

The present appeal is filed by the appellant under section 7(i) of the EPF & MP Act, 1952 (hereinafter referred to as 'Act') against the order dated 18.12.2019 passed by the Assistant Provident Fund Commissioner, the Respondent under section 7 A (1) of the Act.

An application for waiver of deposit under proviso to section 7-O of the EPF and Miscellaneous Provision Act, 1952 has also been filed by the Appellant.

An application for condonation of delay has also been filed by the Appellant.

The matter was held through video conferencing.

Mr.R.L.Chhedda, Legal Representative present for the Appellant.

Mr. Ravi Rattesar, Adv. Present for the Respondent.

Mrs. Hemlata Gurudutt Sarang, Officer present on behalf of the Respondent.

Learned counsel for the Respondent submitted that he has no objection on the delay condonation application as sufficient reason has been assigned. He also submitted that he has not received copy of the application for waiver of deposit and miscellaneous application and requested that he may be provided with the copies of the applications. Office is directed to supply the necessary copy of the applications as requested by the learned counsel for the Respondent within 7 days.

Learned counsel for the Appellant submitted that their Bank accounts has been freezed. I hereby direct that only the disputed amount may be freezed and the rest shall be de-freezed immediately.

I also direct that no coercive action shall be taken against the appellant till the next hearing.

Respondent is directed to file his reply/objection if so desired till the next date of hearing. The next date of hearing will be 22/01/2021.



  
(JUSTICE R.N. KAKKAR)

PRESIDING OFFICER