

**BEFORE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL
TRIBUNAL-2, MUMBAI**

APPEAL NO. CGIT- 2 / EPFA /19 /2023

Between:

M/s. Gunduraj Hotels Pvt. Ltd. - Appellant

V/s.

Regional Provident Fund Commissioner,

Golibar Maidan, Pune. - Respondent

ORDER

(Delivered on 05-08-2024)

Read application for condonation of delay in filing the appeal.

Heard both the Parties.

It reveals that, the appellant/applicant has challenged the legality of order dated 21.10.2022 passed u/s. 7-A of the Employees' Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act 1952, in an appeal, which is filed on 09.01.2023 i.e., after a period of 60 days prescribed period of limitation.

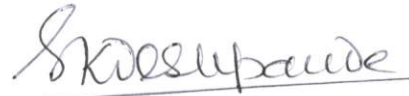
It is contended on behalf of the applicant that, the applicant received the copy of order under challenge on 03.11.2022. There was voluminous document and he was not knowing further recourse therefore the appeal could not be filed within prescribed period of limitation and delay in filing the appeal is not deliberate.



After considering the period of service of order dated 03.11.2022 and date of filing the appeal i.e., 09.01.2023. It seems that, there is delay of about 6 days in filing the appeal and considering the reason mentioned above, in my opinion the applicant is certainly entitled for condonation of delay of about 6 days in filing the appeal.

In the result, the application for condonation of delay is allowed. The delay in filing the appeal is condoned.

Date: 05-08-2024



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