BEFORE THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNAL-2, MUMBAI

CGIT-2/EPFA- 44 of 2023

M/s. Impact Systems Pvt. Ltd.

-Appellant

V/S.

The Assistant Provident Fund Commissioner, EPFO,

Pune

-Respondent

ORDER

(Delivered on 23-07-2024)

Read application for condonation of delay filed by the applicant.

Heard the Parties.

It reveals that M/s. Impact Systems Pvt. Ltd./ appellant / applicant has challenged the legality of order dated 16.12.2022 passed u/s. 14-B and 7-A of the EPF & MP Act 1952 in present appeal, however the appeal has been filed on 10.03.2022.

Needless to say that as per EPF & MP Act 1952, the appeal has to be filed within 60 days of passing the order. It means the present appeal has not filed within 60 days i.e. prescribed limitation and there is delay of about 13 days in filing the appeal.

It is contended on behalf of the applicant that, after receipt of order he was searching the legal firm for preparing the appeal therefore the delay has been occurred.

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In my opinion, considering the reason mention above and delay of just 13 days, the applicant is certainly entitled for condonation of such negligible delay.

In the result, the application for condonation is allowed. The appeal is admitted.

Date: 23-07-2024

(Shrikant K. Deshpande)
Presiding Officer

CGIT -2, Mumbai