



PF/EPS/004/2023-24

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Information w.r.t. circulars published by EPFO on EPS- 95

This circular is with reference to the Hon'ble Supreme Court Order dt. 4th November 2022 and subsequent circulars issued by EPFO dt. 20th February 2023 and our circular no. PF/EPS/002/2022-23 dt. 9th March 2023 and PF/EPS/003/2023-24 dt 21st April 2023 on the subject.

EPFO has published several circulars wrt EPS-95 from time to time which are available in their website- https://www.epfindia.gov.in/site_en/circulars. Employee and Ex-employee are advised to visit the website and go-through the circulars to take an informed decision.

Employee and Ex-employee are advised to strictly follow the EPFO guidelines while submitting the online joint option forms and note the following.

- a. Mere submission of joint option doesn't confer any right to higher pension and the same is subject to final decision of EPFO authority. The company does not undertake any liability or obligation for approval of the joint option form by RPFC or any other concerned authority.
- b. TPL shall not be liable for the date and manner of payment of enhanced pension as it is within the sole discretion and control of the EPFO and the concerned authorities.
- c. In case of ex-employee, TPL takes no responsibility for the accuracy of data and timeline for deposit of the amount to be diverted. It shall not be liable for any consequent damage or interest which may be levied by the authorities in terms of the Employees Provident Fund (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1952.

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