कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम

Employees' State Insurance Corporation (श्रम एवं रोजगार मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)

(Ministry of Labour & Employment, Government of India)

उप क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय पार्श्वनाथ टावर, द्वितीय तल, निकट शाहदरा मैट्रो स्टेशन, शाहदरा, दिल्ली —110032



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No. DO/Shd/Ins.II/10001042990001001

Dated:

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ORDER UNDER SECTION 85-B OF THE E.S.I. ACT, 1948

M/s. PIONEER AUTOMATION & ENGINEERS, a factory / establishment situated at 406, Chajju Pur, Shahdara, DELHI — 110032, Code No. 10001042990001001 covered under the Employees' State Insurance Act, were required to pay the contribution in accordance with Section 40 of the said Act & within the time prescribed under Regulation 31 of the Employees' State Insurance (General) Regulation framed under the Act. As the employer in relation to this factory / establishment failed to pay the contribution as required by law, a notice for Rs. 1,16,288/- was issued to the principal employer by this office vide letter of even number dated 05.09.2017 to show cause by 10-10-2017 as to why damages may not be demanded:-

- (I) On the delay of up to 2 month @5% per annum
- (II) On the delay of 2 months & above but less than 4 months @10% per annum
- (III) On the delay of 4 months & above but less than 6 months @15% per annum
- (IV) On the delay of 6 months & above @25% per annum and to the extent of amount of contribution

The employer was given an opportunity of personal hearing to explain his case on 10/10/17 against Notice D-18 dated 05.09.2017. Sh. Brijesh Kumar Sharma, employer of the unit appeared for personal hearing on 10.10.2017. Since the undersigned was on leave on 10.10.2017, the personal hearing could not be held. The employer was informed to appear for personal hearing on 24.10.2017. On 24.10.2017, Sh. Brijesh Kumar Sharma, employer of the unit appeared for personal hearing. He was informed about the considerable delay in payment of wages for the days ranging from 1024 to 3195 for which damages are required to be paid. He accepted delay in payment of contribution. He requested for allowing the payment in five instalments. Hence, option of five instalments was provided to him.

The undersigned have gone through the case papers / records available on file and finds that the delay has been done by the Employer from 1024 days to 3195 days in payment of contribution for the period as mentioned in D-18 letter dated 05.09.2017 and damages are leviable under Section 85-B and Regulation 31-C for delayed payment of contribution. As the company has paid contribution late, it calls for levy of damages by way of penalty in terms of Regulation 31-C as per rates prescribed above.

After considering the merits of the case, the undersigned feels and finds it proper to levy damages on them by way of penalty @ 25% per annum for the period of delay under delegated powers to me. The undersigned, therefore, feels it proper to impose damages by way of penalty of Rs. 1,16,288/- (Rs. One Lac Sixteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Eight Only) for the default for late payment of contribution period from February, 2008 to September, 2009.

For the above reasons, I, RAJIV LAL, DEPUTY DIRECTOR (I/c), in exercise of the power delegated to me for levy of damages under Section 85-B of the ESI Act, think it fit to impose the damages totalling Rs.1,16,288/-(Rupees One Lac Sixteen Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Eight Only) for the delayed payment of amount of contributions for wage period from 02/08 to 09/09 (as per detail indicated in the D-18 Notice dated 05/09/2017) be imposed & you as the principal Employer is hereby ordered to pay damages at any branch of S.B.I. in five monthly instalments starting from 24/11/2017. The requisite amount is required to be deposited and informed by 24 of each month. Schedule of instalment is as under:

Sr. No.	Date of Instalment	Amount of Damages		
1	24.11.2017	23,257/-		
2	24.12.2017	23,257/-		
3	24.01.2018	23,257/-		
4	24.02.2018	23,257/-		
5	24.03.2018	23,260/-		
-		Total Rs. 1,16,288/-		

The employer is requested to furnish bank guarantee for the timely payment of monthly instalments. Instalment facility should be treated as cancelled if the employer fails to pay monthly instalments of arrears within agreed time limit.

Failure in payment shall invite further action as per Section 45-C to 45-I of the Act.

No appeal / representation shall be entertained against this order.

(RAJIV LAL)

Dy. Director (I/c)

1. M/s. PIONEER AUTOMATION & ENGINEERS, 406, Chajju Pur, Shahdara, DELHI – 110032

Sh. Brijesh Kumar Sharma,
 1449/10, Gali No. 8, Durga Puri,
 Shahdara, Delhi - 110032

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D-18 Amount Z 1,16, 288/2

Sh. Ramesh Kumar, Manager (Ha) appeared for the PH as a hepersentatives of the employer. He has accepted the delay in payment of contribution. He hequested that as he has changed the business of its firm, it is not possible for him to pay the amount in lumpsum, as such five installments may be allowed.

D, Rajis Sal, Dy-Director (IIc), on the basis of powers conferred on me as per relevant provisions, find it fit to levy damages of \$1,16,288/s for the relays in payment of contribution for the period from Feb 2008 to Sept 2009. The delay ranges from 1024 to 1746 days.

As per the nequest of employee, I allow him to pay damages in five installments as per the schedules below :

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Formal order will follow.

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Order signed. Please issue.

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