

Certificate in Lieu of Para 26(6) of the EPF Scheme, 1952

This certificate is being issued to our employee/former employee Mr/Mrs..... as per the requirement mandated vide EPFO circular No. Pension/2022/56259/16541 dated 20th Feb, 2023.

As per clause 6(vii) of this circular, employees have been advised to submit proof of remittance of employer's share in Provident Fund on higher wages exceeding the prevalent wage ceiling and proof of joint option under Para26(6) of EPF scheme.

We hereby confirm that the holder of this certificate Mr/Mrs..... is/was an employee of Transformers and Electricals Kerala Ltd (TELK) and a member of exempted Provident Fund Trust of TELK which was granted exemption under para 27A of the Employees' Provident Fund Scheme, 1952. As per the trust rules which have been duly approved by the EPFO, the employer and employee have been contributing to PF on actual wages drawn by the employee at the rate specified under the Act and the Scheme which was above the wage ceiling of Rs 5000/6500/15000, applicable at the appropriate time.

Further, the administrative charges are also being made on actual wages and trust accounts are being audited by the EPFO from time to time. In view of the above, this certificate may be accepted in lieu of proof of joint option under Para 26(6) of EPF Scheme and deemed to have complied with the section 26(6) of the EPF &MP Act 1952.