

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED: 24.02.2020

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THE HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE K.RAVICHANDRABAABU

W.P.No.18860 of 2017

Mettur Textiles Mill Thozhilalar Sangam Branch
Salem District AITUC Mill Thozhilalar Sangam
(Reg.No.706/SLM)
Rep. by its President
T.Vaithiyalingam

...Petitioner

vs.

The Commissioner
The Employees Provident Fund Organization
Sub-Regional Office
SJ Plaza, Swarnapuri
Salem - 636 004.

....Respondent

Writ Petition filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying to issue a Writ of Mandamus, directing the respondent to disburse the entire EPF amount to the employees of the Mettur Textiles Mill as per the petitioner's representation dated 10.06.2017.

For Petitioner : M/s.R.Vimal

For Respondent : Ms.R.Meenakshi
Standing Counsel

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O R D E R

The petitioner seeks for a mandamus directing the respondent to disburse the entire EPF amount to the employees of the Mettur Textiles Mill as per the petitioner's representation dated 10.06.2017.

2. Heard both sides.

3. The learned standing counsel appearing for the respondent submitted that as early as on 19.03.2014, the petitioner-Sangam was informed to file Form-10D along with passport size photo attested by the Official Liquidator or by the Manager, where the

employee is having Savings Bank account so as to consider the claim of the petitioner. She further submitted that if the petitioner furnished the above details, their request will be considered and appropriate action will be taken.

4. Considering the above stated facts and circumstances, the petitioner is directed to furnish necessary details sought for by the Assistant Provident Fund Commissioner, Salem, vide his communication dated 19.03.2014 within a period of two weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. On receipt of such details with necessary form, the respondent shall consider the claim of the petitioner and pass appropriate orders within a period of eight weeks thereafter.

With the above directions, this Writ Petition is disposed of. No costs.

Sd/-

Assistant Registrar(CS III)

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Sub Assistant Registrar

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To

The Commissioner
The Employees Provident Fund Organization
Sub-Regional Office, SJ Plaza, Swarnapuri
Salem - 636 004.

+1cc to Ms.R.Meenakshi, Advocate, S.R.No.15500

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