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All ACCs (Zones)
All RPFC (In-Charge of the Region)

Sub: - Employees' Deposit Linked Insurance (Amendment) Scheme 2014 G.S.R. 610 Gazette
Notification increasing wage ceiling under the EDLI Scheme, 1976 dated 22-08-2014-Reg.
Sir,

The Gazette Notification issued by the Govt. of India referred above has brought Important amendments whereby the wage ceiling for EDLI contribution have been increased from the present amount of Rs. 6,500/- per month to Rs. 15,000/- per month.

- 2. Additionally, the benefits under paragraph 22 of this Scheme shall be increased by 20% in addition to the benefits admissible under Sub-Paragraph (1), (2) & (3) of paragraph 22. The notification will come into force from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2014.
- 3. With the above amendments in the EDLI Scheme, 1976 the quantum of benefits will be substantially increased. In order to ensure uniformity in the application of the Amendments, all offices may note the following:-
  - In all cases of EDLI claims where the date of death of the member occurs on or after 01.09.2014, the benefits shall be regulated on the basis of the enhanced wage ceiling limit of Rs. 15,000/- per month alongwith the admissible increase of 20% under newly introduced Subparagraph (4) of paragraph 22.
  - II. In those cases of EDLI claims where the date of death of member occurs prior to 01.09.2014 the benefits will be regulated on the basis of the wage ceiling limit of Rs. 6,500/- per month.
- 4. Necessary Amendments in the application software are being made by IS division, but in the meantime EDLI claims will be regulated as mentioned in the paragraph above. As it is an important Amendment you are requested to give wide publicity to the same. All Establishments under your jurisdiction may be advised to ensure compliance under the enhanced wage ceiling. EDLI exempted establishments may also be informed that benefits have to be paid or the higher wage ceiling along with 20% (Twenty percent) increase in benefits as provided in newly introduced sub-paragraph (4) of Paragraph 22 in all cases of claims where death occurs on or after 01.09.2014. Publicity may be given through press releases, letters to Employers/Employees Associations, e-mails, regional EPFO websites etc.

(This issues with the approval of CPFC)

Yours faithfully,

(CHANRAMAULI CHAKRABORTY)

Regional Provident Fund Commissioner-I (Pension)



## NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 22nd August, 2014

G.S.R. 610 (E). —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6C read with sub-section (1) of section 7 of the Employees' Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 (19 of 1952), the Central Government hereby makes the following scheme further to amend the Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance Scheme, 1976, namely:

- (1) This Scheme may be called the Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance (Amendment) Scheme, 2014.
  - (2) It shall come into force on and from the 1st day of September, 2014.
- 2. In the Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance Scheme, 1976 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Scheme), in paragraph 7, in sub-paragraph (1), for the words "six thousand five hundred rupces", the words "fifteen thousand rupees" shall be substituted.
- 3. In the principal Scheme, in paragraph 22, in sub-paragraph (3),-
  - (a) in clause (i), for the words "six thousand five hundred rupees", the words "fifteen thousand rupees" shall be substituted;
  - (b) in the Explanation, for the words "rupees six thousand five hundred", the words "fifteen thousand rupees" shall be substituted.
- 4. In the principal Scheme, in paragraph 22, after sub-paragraph (3), the following sub-paragraph shall be inserted,
  - "(4) The benefit under this Scheme shall be further increased by twenty percent in addition to the benefits admissible under sub-paragraph (1), (2) or (3) of paragraph 22, as the case may be."

[F. No. S-35012/1/2012-SS.II]

ARUN KUMAR SINHA, Addl. Secy.

Note:- The Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance Scheme, 1976 was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i); vide number G.S.R. 488 (E), dated the 28th July, 1976 and subsequently amended as follows:-

GSR 1788, dated 07-12-1976 (I) (2)GSR 648, dated 01-05-1977 GSR 329, dated 20-02-1978 (3) (4) GSR 369, dated 14-07-1978 GSR 67, dated 23-12-1978 (5) (6) GSR 1013, dated 12-09-1980 (7)GSR 548, dated 03-10-1981 (8) GSR 828, dated 14-08-1985 (9) GSR 873, dated 29-08-1986 10) GSR 228, dated 02-03-1989 GSR 354, dated 22-05-1990 (11) (12)GSR 30, dated 28-12-1990 (13)GSR 321, dated 16-08-1991 (14) GSR 420, dated 31-08-1992 15) GSR 176, dated 07-03-1994 GSR 334, dated 29-08-1997 (16) 117) GSR 238, dated 13-06-2000 (18) GSR 523(E), dated 18-06-2010 (19) GSR 9(E), dated 08-01-2011

GSR 83(E), dated 11-02-2011

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