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EPFO issues declaration form under the Employees Enrolment Campaign, 2017

Recently, the Ministry of Labour & Employment rolled out an amnesty scheme (Employees Enrolment Campaign, 2017) for employers who have missed the compliance of enrolling eligible employees in the past. For details, please refer to our news alert on the subject dated 03 January, 2017.

The Employees Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) have now in a circular issued dated 03 January, 2017 prescribed the declaration form which the employer has to furnish under the amnesty scheme for the employees who were entitled to become members but were not enrolled as members for any reason. The form requires the employers to provide their details along with the relevant basic details of the employees with the date of eligibility for enrolment and previous employment details, if any.

The form also requires the employer to obtain Form No. 11 of the eligible employees along with an undertaking that if the employees contribution has been deducted from the wages of such employees, the same along with applicable interest and damages would be remitted as per the provisions of the amnesty scheme.

1http://www.epfindia.com/site_docs/PDFs/Circulars/Y2016-2017/Coord_DeclarationForm_EEC_03012017.pdf

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