

EMPLOYERS FEDERATION OF PAKISTAN

THE ONLY MEMBER OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF EMPLOYERS, GENEVA, A CONSTITUENT OF INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANIZATION, MEMBER OF COMMONWEALTH ENTERPRISE AND INVESTMENT COUNCIL, CONFEDERATION OF ASIA - PACIFIC EMPLOYERS & SOUTH ASIAN FORUM OF EMPLOYERS.

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EFP BULLETIN # 22 ON EOABI CASE

Members are informed that Pursuant to 18th Constitutional Amendment in the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan 1973; the Province of Sindh had enacted Sindh Employees Old Age Benefits Act 2015.

Section 55 of this Act had repealed the application of Employees Old Age Benefits Act 1976 (federal act) in the Sindh province.

Knowing well that they have no authority to perform any function under 1976 Act the EOABI (federal) is constantly harassing employers.

Recently they have started issuing notices to employers for audit of their books and accounts.

One of our member companies has challenged the audit notice of EOABI on the above-mentioned grounds.

Today the Honorable High Court of Sindh has restrained EOABI from undertaking audit of the employer.

Member companies which are facing similar intervention by the EOABI Authorities and are willing to join the case by filling the Constitutional Petitions are requested to immediately send the following documents to EFP Secretariat:

- 1. Consent Letter (sample attached)
- 2. Authority Letter (sample attached) with the signature of the Authorized Officer and the company seal
- 3. A crossed cheque of Rs. 50,000/- in favor of 'Employers' Federation of Pakistan' to cover the processing and legal fees of the case.

The above documents should reach the EFP Secretariat immediately.

Sincerely,

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