



HIGH COURT OF CHHATTISGARH AT BILASPUR

WPS No. 2861 of 2017

Smt. Shushila Devi **versus** State Of Chhattisgarh

WPS/380/2021, WPS/395/2021, WPS/386/2021, WPS/389/2021,

WPS/359/2021, WPS/793/2021 & WPS/8279/2023

Order Sheet

01/04/2025	Mr. N.K. Malviya, counsel for the petitioners. Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Pandey, Dy. A.G. & Mr. Kalpesh Ruparel, Panel Lawyer for the State. Mr. Rajkumar Gupta, counsel for the respondent/Accountant General. Learned counsel for the petitioners would submit that the petitioners are sufferer due to default committed by the government officers who are custodian of GPF amount. It has been contended that a huge amount deposited by the petitioners during their services with the State has been defaulcated by the officers who are employees of the department. The State or subscriber of the account has lodged FIR and on the strength of the FIR, criminal cases were registered against the accused persons wherein they have been convicted by the trial Court and their appeals are

still pending consideration.

Though the criminal law motion has already been taken place but ultimately the sufferer are account holders who have been deprived from their hard earning amount for the services rendered by them. This is very peculiar situation.

In view of the above, the State is directed to make good the default by depositing amount of GPF in the account of the petitioners simultaneously they will issue process or recovery from the property of the persons who are involved in the commission of the offence by doing auction or whatever permissible methodology available to them.

Let a draft scheme be placed before this Court on the next date of hearing.

List this case on **28th April, 2025** along with **WPS No. 1686/2020**.

Sd/-
(Narendra Kumar Vyas)
Judge