



HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT ALLAHABAD

WRIT - C No. - 7035 of 2026

Shiv Dayal Verma

.....Petitioner(s)

Versus

Employees Provident Fund Commissioner,
Provident Fund House, Vibhuti Khand, Gomti
Nagar, Lucknow U.P. And 3 Others

.....Respondent(s)

Counsel for Petitioner(s)	: Swapnil Srivastava
Counsel for Respondent(s)	: Jagdish Pathak, Satyajit Mukerji

Court No. - 36

HON'BLE ARUN KUMAR, J.

1. The present petition has been filed for the following relief:-

"To issue a writ, order or direction in the nature of mandamus commanding the respondent no. 1 (Employees' Provident Fund Commissioner) to consider and decide the claim of the petitioner, make payment of provident fund, pension, etc., and other all dues as contained in the representation dated 21.08.2023 (Annexure no. 4 to this writ petition)."

2. When the case was taken up today, Sri Satyajit Mukerji, the learned counsel representing respondent no. 1, has placed before the Court, the instructions received from the office at Lucknow and West Bengal, where the petitioner had worked, which shows that the entire provident fund has been paid to the petitioner and he is receiving pension from Lucknow for his work in Sahara India. Sri Mukherji prays time to file counter affidavit to bring on record the evidences placed before this Court today.

3. Issue notice to respondent nos. 2 & 3. Steps be taken by registered/speed post, within a week.

4. All the respondents are allowed six weeks' time to file counter affidavit. Rejoinder, if any, may be filed within two weeks, thereafter.

5. List immediately thereafter.

March 20, 2026
Ranjeet Sahu

(Arun Kumar,J.)