

Date: [Insert date]

To,

Ms. Geeta Nair
Head Compensation & Benefits, Human Resources
Nayara Energy Limited
Refinery Site, 39 KM, Jamnagar-Okha Highway ,
Vadinar 361305, Gujarat, India

Sub: **Submission of Joint Option Form** for pension on actual salary under pre-amended paragraph 11(3) and amended paragraph 11(4) of the Employees' Pension Scheme, 1995 (Ref: Honorable Supreme Court Judgment Dated 04.11.2022 arising out of SLP No. 8658-8659 of 2019 titled the **EPFO & ANR. etc. vs Sunil Kumar B & Ors etc.**)

Dear Sir/ Madam,

You are aware that as per paragraphs 44(ii) and 44(iv) of the aforesaid Supreme Court Judgment, the members of Employees' Pension Scheme, 1995, who could not exercise the option for pension on actual salary as contemplated under pre-amended proviso 11(3) are allowed to exercise the option under amended proviso 11(4) of the Scheme within four months from date of the judgment, the period having been extended by Employees' Provident Fund Organization till 3.5.2023.

In terms of the aforesaid Judgment, I am eligible to exercise the option for availing the higher pension benefits. Accordingly, I hereby exercise my option by attaching a duly filled and signed joint option form for onward submission to EPFO with a copy to me, within the extended time frame as prescribed by Employee's Provident Fund Organization in furtherance of Honorable Supreme Court's judgment.

Thanking you,

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Employee No.: _____

Last Designation: _____

Division: _____

Last place of posting: _____