

UM-08 Webinar: “Provisions of EPF: Part-5”
2nd September 2020, Wednesday, 3.00 pm to 4.45 pm.
Urban Management Centre
Administrative Training Institute, West Bengal

The Urban Management Centre (UMC), ATI organized 5th Webinar on “**Provisions of Employees Provident Fund (EPF)**” on **2nd September 2020** for the functionaries of ULBs of West Bengal.

About the Webinar

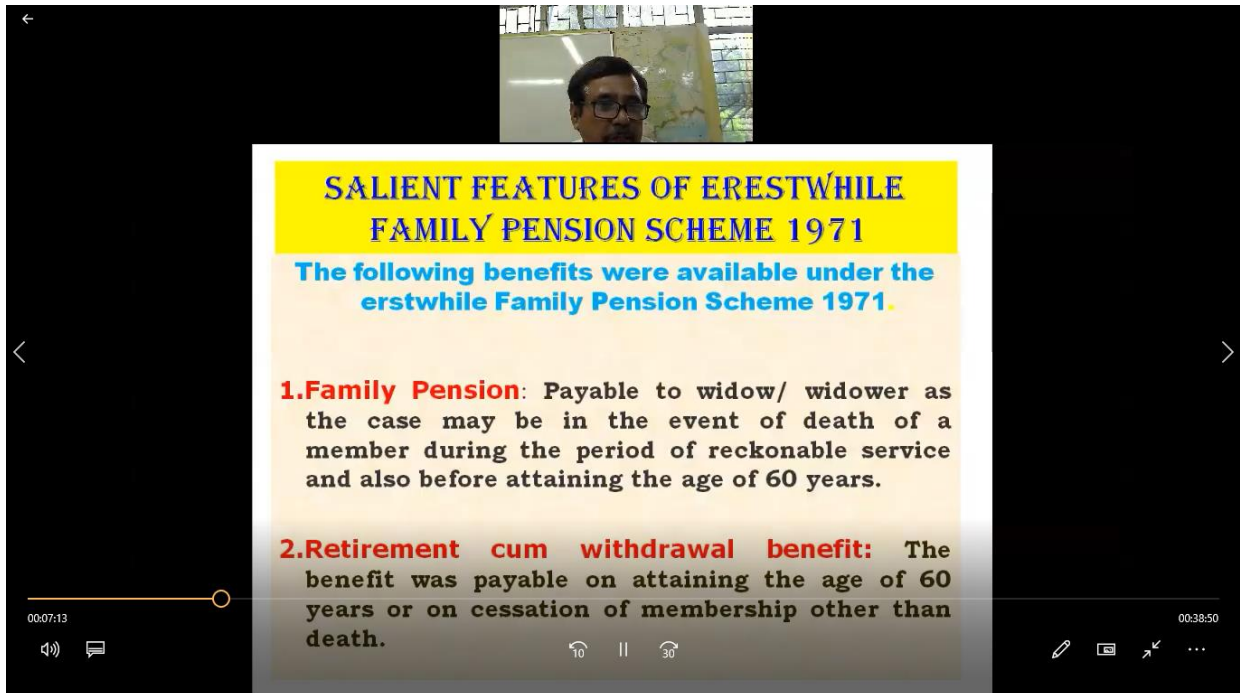
The Urban Local Bodies in India employ a sizeable number of contractual and casual employees who had been brought under the ambit of the Employees’ Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 by the Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India. The following were the key topics of discussion in this 5th part of the webinar series:

- Relevant provisions of the Employees’ Pension Scheme, 1995
- Definitions related to the scheme
- Determination of pensionable service and pensionable salary
- Retention of membership
- Pension of widow, widower, children, orphan, disabled member and disabled children
- Nominee pension, nomination and withdrawal benefit
- Deferred pension and pension disbursement
- Investment of pension fund

38 participants from 19 ULBs of West Bengal, which comprised of functionaries from accounts and finance departments of ULBs of West Bengal along with 2 functionaries from SUDA attended the Webinar. Some ULBs also participated in a blended format with multiple participants. The overall session after the presentation was quite interactive.

Shri Rupak Gupta, Regional Provident Fund Commissioner-II [Retd.] conducted the Webinar with Shri Kaushik Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Urban Management Centre, ATI acting as moderator.

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