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Department of Revenue
State Taxes Division

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ORDER

A Joint Working Group of officers of Central, State Governments and the Empowered Committee of State Finance Ministers was constituted to work on Constitution amendments, draft legislation and rules related to Goods & Services Tax. It has now been thought appropriate that three Sub-Working Groups be formed to work on specific issues as given under: -

- i. **Sub-Working Group I** – To work on and propose registration, return, payment, refund, audit and dispute resolution mechanism for GST regime: -
 - (i) Shri Gautam Bhattacharya, JS (TRU-II), CBEC – Coordinator
 - (ii) Shri Vivek Johri, JS (TRU-I), CBEC
 - (iii) Shri T. Jacob, Pr. Secy. (Commercial Taxes), Tamil Nadu
 - (iv) Shri Sanjay Bhatia, Commr. (ST), Maharashtra
 - (v) Shri Jalaj Srivastava, CCT, Delhi
 - (vi) Shri H.K. Dwivedi, CCT, West Bengal
 - (vii) Shri Mukesh Puri, CCT, Gujarat
 - (viii) Shri Yogendra Garg, Director (TRU), CBEC, Gol
 - (ix) Shikhar Agrawal, Director (State Taxes), Gol
- ii. **Sub-Working Group II** - To work on and draft Central GST and model State GST legislations: -
 - (i) Shri Vivek Johri, JS (TRU-I), CBEC - Coordinator
 - (ii) Shri Gautam Bhattacharya, JS (TRU-II), CBEC
 - (iii) Shri K. Mara Pandian, Pr. Secy. (Finance), Kerala
 - (iv) Shri H.K. Dwivedi, CCT, West Bengal
 - (v) Shri Nikunja Bihari Dhal, CCT, Orissa
 - (vi) Shri Bashir Ahmed, CCT, J & K
 - (vii) Shikhar Agrawal, Director (State Taxes), Gol
- iii. **Sub-Working Group III** – To work on and finalise basic design of the IT systems required for GST in general and IGST in particular: -
 - (i) Shri A.K. Srivastava, Joint Secretary (Revenue) – Convenor
 - (ii) Smt. Somya Tewari Dave, Addl. DG, Dte. General of Systems, CBEC
 - (iii) Shri N. Venkatesh, Addl. Director, Dte. General of Systems, CBEC

- (iv) Commissioner (Sales Tax), Maharashtra or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (v) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, West Bengal or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (vi) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Assam or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (vii) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Gujarat or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (viii) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Jammu & Kashmir or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (ix) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Orissa or his representative, conversant with the States' IT systems
- (x) Shri A. Venkatesan, DDG & SIO, Karnataka Unit, NIC or his representative
- (xi) Shri Shikhar Agrawal, Director (ST)

2. The convenors of these Sub-Working Groups are expected to immediately start working on the subjects assigned and brief the Joint Working Group set up under the chairmanship of Additional Secretary (Revenue) about the progress made in each of the meetings of Joint Working Group to be held henceforth. These three Sub-Working Groups are expected to complete the work and submit their final reports to the Joint Working Group by 31st July 2010.


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2. Member Secretary, Empowered Committee of State Finance Ministers
3. All concerned.