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New Delhi, Dated, the 11th November, 2014.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:-Minutes of the Quarterly Review Meeting with the Representatives of
ITGOA and ITEF held in the Chamber of Chairman, CBDT on 14.10.2014 at
4.00. PM

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith minutes of the Quarterly
Review Meeting held with the representatives of ITGOA and ITEF on 14.10.2014 at
4.00 P.M. in the Chamber of Chairman, CBDT, North Block, New Delhi for
information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

Encl:- As mentioned above

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3. DIT (Infra-1)
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5. CIT (C&S)
6. President /Secretary General, ITGOA
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1. PPS to Chairperson, CBDT.
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MINUTES OF THE QUARTERLY REVIEW MEETING HELD WITH THE REPRESENTATIVES OF ITEF AND ITGOA UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF SHRI K.V. CHOWDARY, CHAIRMAN, CBDT IN HIS CHAMBER, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI ON 14.10.2014 AT 04.00 PM.

The Quarterly Review Meeting with the representatives of Income Tax Employees Federation (ITEF) and Income Tax Gazetted Officers Association (ITGOA) was held on 14.10.2014 at 4.00 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri K.V. Chowdary, 'Chairman', CBDT in his Chamber, North Block, New Delhi to discuss the issues raised by them. A list of the Officers of CBDT and representatives of ITEF and ITGOA, who attended the meeting is placed at Annexure "A". The Chairman welcomed the participants and thereafter following agenda items were discussed as under:

Agenda Item No. 1. Immediate steps to finalise the All India seniority list of ITOs by issuing guideline and deadline to resolve inter-se seniority issue.

The Official side informed that the issue of finalization of All India Seniority List of ITOs is linked with the implementation of DoPT's Office Memorandum dated 04.03.2014 issued on the basis of Supreme Court's Judgement in the case of Union Vs. NR Parmar. Board has referred the matter raised by the JCA for implementing the same to all cadres, to the DoPT. Clarification from the DoPT is awaited and the deadline fixed for completion of the seniority revision will be extended.

[Action: DGIT (HRD)]

Agenda Item No. 2. Speedy approval of Jurisdiction proposals pending with the CBDT for immediate initiation of departmental functions for FY 2014-15.

The staff side requested for notification of jurisdiction as, on one side the promoted officials are kept idle and on other side the existing assessment units are struggling with heavy work load. The staff side demanded posting of officers kept as OSD as assessment units with concomitant jurisdiction. The Chairman informed that the Jurisdiction proposals have been approved and on some issues of technical nature, the proposal has been referred to Ministry of Law for opinion. Since the new pattern is admixture of existing and new scheme, any adhoc method will bring only difficulties and the staff side was informed to wait till the opinion of the Law Ministry is received.

[Action: DGIT (HRD)]

Agenda Item No. 3. Immediate steps for approval of RRs of Group B & C for filling up of posts of RY 2014-15 and discussion on the 'amendments of IRS Recruitment Rules.'

The staff side pointed that due to the delay in the approval of the RRs by the DoPT, DPC Meetings and promotions are held up and demanded executive instructions on the lines of the proposed RRs submitted to the DoPT as done during the years 2001-02 and 2002-03 during last cadre restructuring. The Official side informed that the matter is being pursued with the DoPT and requested to wait for another month viz. till 15.11.2014. The official side also assured the matter will be reviewed on 17th Nov. 2014 for considering the alternative methods. In the case of IRS Recruitment Rules the Chairman clarified that the quota of 50% to promotees and DRs is with reference to the vacancies decided filled up by the CBDT (Govt.) and not with reference to the existing vacancies.

[Action: DGIT (HRD)]

Agenda Item No. 4. Steps to get the approval of the long pending following schemes from IFU/DoE (6 air conditioners per Range: Laptop to Inspectors, Laptops to AOs/PS, Replacement of Old Laptops, Mobile handsets to all etc).

The official side informed that the approval for 6 air conditioners per Range is being pursued with DoE. The IFU has cleared the proposal for laptop to Inspectors and the same will be sent to the DoE for approval. For other issues the CIT(C&S) shall pursue the matters with the Secretary (E) and JS, IFU for expeditious clearance.

[Action: DGIT (Logistics)/CIT C&S]

Agenda Item No. 5. Constitution of a Committee to consider amendments to the Transfer & Posting Policy for Group 'A' Officers considering unique problems of promotee Officers.

The Chairman favoured written suggestions from ITGOA in this regard to be considered by the Board for incorporation instead of constituting a committee for this purpose.

[Action: ITGOA/DG (HRD)]

Agenda Item No. 6. Discussion on the effective date of DCIT promotion to 2009/2010 Batch DCsIT and effecting retrospective promotion from 1st January for 2006/2007 Batch DCsIT. Also discuss the issue of regularization 2001 Batch JCIT retrospectively.

After hearing the representatives the Chairman desired the officials to seek opinion of the DoP&T on issue of effective date of promotion. The official side informed that reference has been made to Law Ministry for giving effect of promotion to 2006 and 2007 batch officers from retrospective date. The Chairman informed that process for regularization of adhoc JCsIT has been initiated.

[Action: DGIT(HRD)]

Agenda Item No. 7. Resolution of issue of promotion orders in Directorate (Delhi Charge) and diversion of 1633 posts out of West Bengal Charge.

The Official side informed that on the issue of Promotion orders of Directorates, the Chairman had one round of discussion with the DGIT(HRD), DGIT(Admn) and ITEF. The contentious issue is with regard to the promotions of 48 persons to the grade pay of Rs. 4800. A meeting will be held with JCA next week to find a solution. With regard to the Diversion of posts out of West Bengal Charge, the Committee will be revived with the JS(Admn) as Chairman with the mandate of completing the process within one month.

[Action: JS(Admn)/CIT (C&S)]

Agenda Item No. 8. Proposal for increasing local travel reimbursement to Inspectors and Notice Servers pending with Directorate of Infrastructure for more than one year.

Chairman directed that a Proposal may be put up with justification for enhancement of quantity of petrol to Inspectors and Notice Servers to the Board so that same may be submitted to IFU for approval.

[Action: DGIT (Logistics)DIT (Infra)]

Agenda Item No. 9. Advance increment to Sr. Tax Assistant and Stenographers on passing Departmental Examination.

The Official side informed that proposal with further inputs is being put up to the Board for further action.

[Action: DGIT (HRD)]

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

THE LIST OF OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF ITGOA AND ITEF WHO ATTENDED THE QUARTERLY REVIEW MEETING HELD ON 14.10.2014 at 4.00 P.M. IN THE CHAMBER OF CHAIRMAN, CBDT, NORTH BLOCK, NEW DELHI.

1. Sh. K.V.Chowdary-- Chairman, CBDT
2. Sh. Surabhi Sinha, DGIT(Logistics)
3. Sh. Sudhir Kumar, JS (Admn.)/DT
4. Sh. Debjyoti Das, DIT(HRD-II)
5. Shri. Amitabh Kumar , DIT (HRD-I)
6. Dr.B.K. Sinha, CIT (C&S)
7. Smt. Rekha Shukla, CIT (Media)
8. Sh. M.S. Sharma, DS(AD.VII & IX)
9. Sh. Nirbhai Singh, US(Ad.IX)
10. Sh. Sudhanshu Dhar Mishra, DDIT-II, Dir of Infrastructure
11. Sh. Ajay Goyal, President, ITGOA
12. Sh. Amitava Dey, Vice President, ITGOA
13. Sh. Aravind Trivedi, Addl. Secretary, ITGOA
14. Sh. Bhaskar Bhattacharya, Secy. Genl., ITGOA
15. Sh. Mohnish Sood, Asstt. Secy, ITGOA
16. Sh. Ashok Salunkhe, President ,ITEF
17. Sh. K.P. Rajagopal, Secretary General, ITEF
18. Sh. Rupak Sarkar, Finance Secy., ITEF
19. Sh. Ashok Kanojia, Addl. Secy., ITEF
20. Sh. Yashvant Purohit, Jt.Secy. ,ITEF
21. Sh. Ravindran B. Nair, Jt. Secretary, ITEF