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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF CENTRAL EXCISE
CHENNAI CENTRAL EXCISE ZONE
No.26/1, MAHATHMA GANDHI ROAD, CHENNAI - 600 034**

TRADE NOTICE NO.002/2017

Date: 13 -06-2017

Sub: Central Excise & Service Tax - Jurisdiction of the Principal Chief Commissioner / Chief Commissioner of Central Excise and Service Tax and Principal Commissioner / Commissioner of Central Excise and Service Tax with respect to the territorial jurisdiction - Issuance of Notification No.12/2017-Central Excise (N.T.) to 14/2017-Central Excise (N.T.) all dated 09.06.2017 by the Central Board of Excise & Customs - Reg.

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The Trade is hereby informed that the Central Board of Excise & Customs [CBEC], has issued Notification Nos.12/2017-Central Excise (N.T.) to 14/2017-Central Excise (N.T.) all dated 09.06.2017 which shall come into effect on a date to be notified later. Copies of the said notifications have been published in the CBEC website www/cbec.gov.in.

2. The trade is further informed that the purpose of these notifications is to appoint officers of various ranks as Central Excise Officers and assign them a jurisdiction different from the present one in order to **legally empower officers in CBEC to undertake legacy work of Central Excise and Service Tax** as well as Central Excise work in the post GST regime as per the new jurisdiction. Accordingly, the new jurisdiction of the Central Excise Divisions and Ranges are worked out and would be effective from the date on which the notifications above come into effect.

3. The gist of the aforesaid notifications are furnished hereunder:



[i] **Notification No.12/2017-CE (N.T.) dated 09.06.2017** - Vests the Central Excise Officers at various ranks with all the powers under the Central Excise Act, 1944 and Chapter V of the Finance Act, 1994

[ii] **Notification No.13/2017-CE (N.T.) dated 09.06.2017** - Notifies the jurisdiction of the Principal Chief Commissioner of Central Excise and Service Tax, Chennai Commissionerates and the Principal Commissioners / Commissioners of Central Excise and Service Tax, including Commissioners [Appeals] and Commissioners [Audit], with respect to the territorial jurisdiction specified therein. Details are furnished in the annexures to this Trade Notice.

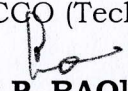
[iii] **Notification No.14/2017-CE (N.T.) dated 09.06.2017** - Delegation of powers to the Principal Chief Commissioner / Chief Commissioner of Central Excise and Service Tax to assign show cause notices issued under the provisions of the Central Excise Act, 1944 and Chapter V of the Finance Act, 1994 to the Central Excise Officers sub-ordinate to them

5. This Trade Notice is being issued so as to facilitate the Trade to know the jurisdiction of the reorganized Commissionerates, Divisions and ranges in the Chennai Zone which will come into effect on a date to be notified.

6. The Trade & Industry Associations/Chambers of Commerce are requested to bring the contents of the Trade Notice to the notice of all their members.

7. The jurisdictional Commissioners are requested to inform all the taxpayers presently functioning under their respective jurisdiction about the new geographical jurisdiction upto the level of the Divisions/Ranges. The Commissioners are further requested to equip/sensitize all the officers, especially those handling the Taxpayers Service Centre in each Commissionerate about the new jurisdiction and to provide necessary guidance to the taxpayers in identifying their jurisdictional Division/Range. This will be used in Migration/Registration etc under the proposed GST regime.

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[C.P. RAO]

PRINCIPAL CHIEF COMMISSIONER

To

As per list enclosed



List of Recipients

- 1 The Chairman, Central Board of Excise & Customs, New Delhi
- 2 The Member(L&J) / Member (Admn) /Member (Central Excise) /Member(Budget, Service Tax & Computerisation) / Member (Customs), Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs, New Delhi
- 3 The Commissioner, Commercial Tax Department, State Govt. of Tamil Nadu
- 4 The Director General, Directorate General of Human Resource Development, New Delhi
- 5 The Director General, Directorate General of Performance Management, New Delhi
- 6 The Director General, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, New Delhi
- 7 The Director General (Systems), New Delhi
- 8 The Director General, DRI, New Delhi
- 9 The Chief Vigilance Officer, Central Board of Excise & Customs, New Delhi
- 10 The Chief Commissioner of Central Excise & Service Tax, Coimbatore Zone (with a request to sensitize the Trade Associations, Chamber of Commerce and RAC members of their zone)
- 11 The Chief Commissioner, Service Tax Zone, Chennai
- 12 The ADG (Systems), Chennai
- 13 The ADG(DGPM), SRU, Chennai
- 14 The ADG, DGI, Chennai
- 15 The ADG (Vigilance), Chennai
- 16 The ADG(Audit), Chennai
- 17 The ADG(DRI), Chennai
- 18 The ADG, DGTS, Chennai Zone
- 19 The Principal Commissioner/Commissioner of Central Excise, Chennai I/II/III/IV/LTU/Puducherry
- 20 The Principal Commissioner/Commissioner of Service Tax, Service Tax-I/II/III, Chennai
- 21 The Principal Commissioner/ Commissioner of Central Excise of Service Tax , Madurai, Trichy, Coimbatore, Tirunelveli and Salem



- 22 The Commissioner, Central Excise (Audit)-I/II/Service Tax Audit, Chennai/Coimbatore
- 23 The Commissioner, Central Excise/Service Tax (Appeals) – I/II, Chennai/Coimbatore
- 24 The RAC Members as per Mailing list (Chennai Zone & Coimbatore Zone)
- 25 The C.E.R.A., Chennai

