



I.T.G.O.A. ZINDABAD

Income Tax Gazetted Officers' Association

President

AJAY GOYAL

(09013853783)

ajoygoyal@gmail.com

*

*

Secretary General

BHASKAR BHATTACHARYA

(08902198888)

secgenitgoachq@gmail.com

F. NO. ITGOA/Communication/2017-18

Dated: 20-06-2017

To

The Members of the CHQ,
The Presidents/General Secretaries,
All Units of ITGOA.

Dear Comrade,

Sub: Mutual Transfer and Denial of Promotion cases- information thereof- request regarding

Please refer to the subjects mentioned above.

1. As there is no guideline for dealing with requests of Income Tax Officers regarding their inter-charge transfer as on date, requests made by the officers from various regions have been decided on the basis of discretion of the Competent Authority only. Though there are issues like change in sanctioned posts in the Transferor and the Transferee charges allowing inter-charge transfer of Income Tax Officers, no such condition is applicable for the Mutual Transfer of Officers. But it has been observed that a large number of requests are pending for long, including the cases of mutual transfer requests. In order to bring transparency and curtail possibility of discretion based decision, the ITGOA demanded for a guiding principle that would be followed to deal with the inter-charge transfer request of the ITOs and accordingly, the draft guideline was prepared by the CBDT in December, 2016.

The ITGOA had submitted its suggestion on the draft guideline of inter-charge transfer of ITOs immediately to the CBDT. But unfortunately, in spite of our repeated persuasions, finalization of the guideline kept pending since then by the CBDT.

The Central JCA made this issue a subject matter of discussion in the meeting with the Chairman, CBDT on 27-05-2017. The official side, in the said meeting, ensured that the Guideline would be issued soon. The ITGOA discussed the issue again with the Member (P & V), CBDT and convinced her that the mutual transfer of officers would not cause any change in the sanctioned strength of a region and so, transfer orders in these cases could be passed even before the Guideline is finalized. Accordingly, the CBDT has agreed to clear the mutual transfer case immediately.

In the above scenario, I would like to request all Units of ITGOA to send the list of such applicants who are seeking mutual inter-state transfers. The list may mention the updated status of their application too. **This information may be sent in my email latest by 26-06-2017** so that all these cases of mutual transfer requests made by the officers in the cadre of ITO can be taken up with the CBDT for clearance.

2. It has been learnt that some of our members, spreading across various regions, not accepted their promotions in the cadre of ACIT on various grounds in different Recruitment Years. Unfortunately, the names of these officers, still serving the Department as ITO, figures out in the list (and in the Civil List) of ACIT cadre.

It has also been learnt that some of these officers did not follow the proper procedure to forgo promotions in the cadre of ACIT. The CHQ had a discussion with the CBDT in this regard and it has been decided that a composite and considerate view will be taken for all these officers to allow them

promotions in the cadre of ACIT in the same R.Y. in which they were eligible for or in subsequent years as per the Rule. The CHQ is required to obtain the detail of all such officers to pursue it and bring it to a logical conclusion. Accordingly, I request all Units of ITGOA to send me the list of such officers who did not accept promotions in the cadre of ACIT and were never considered again for the same. **This list may also be sent in my email latest by 26-06-2017.**

With warm regards,

Yours comradely,



(Bhaskar Bhattacharya)
Secretary General