## Minutes of the meeting of the Executive Committee held in the Conference Room of Dakshinapan on the 13<sup>th</sup> of February, 2013 at 5.00 p.m.

The meeting was presided over by **Sri Sumit Roy**.

As this is the first meeting of the Executive Committee of ITGOA, WB Unit being held in the Dakshinapan Building, **Shri Bhaskar Bhattacharya**, **General Secretary** welcomed all the members present in the meeting and requested them to actively participate in day to day affairs of the organization. It is stated that the notice and agenda of the EC meeting henceforth will be displayed in prominent places of each building so that interested members can have an opportunity to attend the meeting. He said that a news letter has already been published containing various information relating to running of the organization and efforts are on to bring out the subsequent editions at a regular interval.

He also informed that various sub-committees have been constituted in the first meeting of the Executive Committee like Transfer Sub-Committee, Technical Affair Sub-Committee, etc by taking number of general members for democratic functioning of the organization.

Shri Bhattacharya referred to members' complaints about the slow speed of the servers resulting in slow processing of returns. He said that returns are being processed in the terminal bank at Bamboo Villa and members having large pendency should contact the association representative of their building so that steps may be taken to get the processing done by the terminal bank.

**Shri Bhattacharya** referred to the All India agitational call given by ITGOA to clinch number of long pending demands. It is stated that the clarificatory letter given by CBDT 08.02.2013 on various demands of the association is misrepresentation of the fact. A detailed reply of 11 pages has been given by the Central Head Quarters pointing out that the reply by Board on various damands is not correct. All the details in this regard shall be published in the forthcoming News Letter and also posted in the Web Site to be launched by ITGOA, West Bengal Unit very soon.

**Shri Suhas Majumder** raised the issue relating to large pendency of reward cases at various level about which the beneficiaries are in the dark. There are allegations that even after finalization, the reward amount is not reaching the beneficiaries. He asked the association to look into this matter.

**Shri Bhaskar Bhattacharya** shared the members' concern and replied that the matter shall be looked into.

**Shri Bhaskar Deb** asked about the stance of the association with regard to the strike call given by Confederation of Central Govt. Employees & Workers on 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> February,2013.

**Shri Bhattacharya** said that though the members of ITGOA is not formally joining the strike call given by the Confederation, we have decided to give moral support to the strike as a measure of solidarity with our JCA partners.

Shri Bikash Mondal raised the problem of not being able to enter the date of service of Notice u/s 143(2) in CASS cases. It is stated that instructions/directions are not being given in time by the Range heads in respect of scrutiny assessment where approval has been given by the CCIT. Further, correction of errors in challans cannot be done unless Range heads releases the same as a result of which bogus demands are being created.

**Shri Amitava Sen** stated that once released, the AO should not bother about the refund. Regarding scrutiny assessment directions can be sought from the Range heads in writing.

**Shri Sumit Roy** stated that complaints may be lodged at CoDesk. He also informed the house that the official website of ITGOA, West Bengal Unit is going to be launched on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2013 details of which shall be intimated in due course.

After detailed discussions, the following decisions have been approved by the members present in the meeting:-

- As a part of ongoing agitation, CHQ has given the call for holding a lunch hour demonstration on the 15<sup>th</sup> of February. However as Saraswati Puja is going to be celebrated that day, the lunch hour demonstration shall be held on 18<sup>th</sup> February at Aayakar Bhawan main gate at 1.30 p.m.
- 2. As per the request made by the CHQ of ITGOA, every member of ITGOA, West Bengal unit is requested to contribute minimum of Rs. 400/- towards the Litigation Fund for incurring expenses relating to various court cases including cases to be filed before the Delhi High Court for revision of grade pay of AOs/PS.

The meeting ended with thanks to the chair.

Sd/-Sumit Roy <u>President</u>