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To The Chairperson, Central Board of Direct Taxes, New Delhi.

Madam,

Immediate holding of DPC for promotion in the Cadre of Assistant Commissioner of Income Tax- Request regarding.

Kindly refer to the above.

If you kindly recollect that you directed the representatives of Central JCA on 24-08-2015 to meet the DGIT(HRD) on 26-08-2015 and discuss the issue of number of vacancy in the ACIT cadre. You were already appraised of the calculation of vacancy made by the DGIT(HRD) and you asked the JCA to give their view whether this calculation of vacancy was acceptable. Accordingly, the JCA had a meeting on 26-08-2015 at the O/o of the DGIT(HRD) and the calculation of vacancy in the cadre of ACIT for the R.Y.s 2013-14 & 2014-15 was discussed. The calculation made by the DGIT(HRD) was placed in the meeting and the JCA was requested to express whether that was acceptable to them. The JCA agreed to the principle adopted by the DGIT(HRD) for the said calculation. On 1.09.2015 the representatives of JCA met the DGIT(HRD) with verified and corrected figures. But to our dismay, in the meeting held on 01-09-2015, the DGIT(HRD) took a different position altogether in regard to its own calculation placed before you and also placed before the JCA in the meeting dated 26-08-2015.

Both the calculation of vacancy placed by the DGIT(HRD) and the correction of figures made by the JCA (based on the principles laid down by DGIT(HRD) are attached herewith for your kind perusal.

We express our utmost frustration once again in the DGIT(HRD)'s intention of convincing the JCA to accept an arbitrary figure for the promotion in the cadre of ACIT. The Central JCA feels let down in the attitude of restricting the number of promotion in the cadre of ACIT to the number of direct recruitment in a R.Y. as expressed by the DGIT(HRD) in the meeting dated 01-09-2015.

We reiterate that we will never accept any attempt to restrict the number of promotion to that of the direct recruitment. We still expect that being the head of the Tax-India family, you will take a call to reign in such ulterior motives, which otherwise may permanently tarnish the impartial image of the Board. As you are aware Madam, the officers are extremely agitated over the inordinate delay in effecting promotion to the cadre of Assistant commissioners. Any further delay will only lead them to the path of agitation and avoidable confrontation. We, therefore, once again request you to kindly bring about a settlement to this problem by computing the number of vacancies correctly without further loss of time.

Soliciting your urgent intervention in this matter.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

(Bhaskar Bhattacharya)

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