

Office of the Commissioner of Income Tax (NFAC) National Faceless Appeal Centre C- Block, 4th Floor, Civic Centre, Minto Road, New Delhi-110002

F.No. CIT/NFAC/Priority/2024-25/3 49

Dated: 19/09/2024

To.

The Pr.CCsIT/ Pr.CCsIT(Central)/Pr.CCsIT(IT)/Pr.CCsIT(TDS)/Pr.CCIT(Exemptions)

Respected Madam/Sir,

Sub: Use of ITBA functionality for recommendation of priority cases as per CBDT guidelines dated 19.03.2024 and ITBA communication dated 02.07.2022-reg

Kindly refer to the above.

- 2. In this context, your attention is invited to the Guidelines issued by CBDT vide letter dated 29.12.2021, 07.03.2024 and 19.03.2024 for disposal of appeals pending before faceless CsIT(A/AU). Also, as per the ITBA communication dated 02.07.2022, all the Pr.CIT /Pr.CIT(Central) /CIT(IT) /CIT(TDS)/ CIT(Exemptions) are required to send the proposal/recommendations for early disposal of appeals through ITBA portal only. However, it is seen that from most of the charges, the priority communication requests are being sent through mail/letters instead of ITBA functionality.
- 3. In view of the above, as directed, it is requested to kindly direct the concerned Pr.CIT /Pr.CIT(Central) /CIT(IT) /CIT(TDS)/CIT(Exemptions) to send recommendation for early/priority disposal of appeal through ITBA Portal only, within 7 days from the date of the request received from assessee/NFAC.

Yours faithfully,

(Binod Kumar) Commissioner of Income Tax

NFAC, Delhi