

**INCOME TAX APPELLATE TRIBUNAL  
DELHI BENCHES, NEW DELHI**

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2021

**NOTICE**

**Subject:- System of Hearing of Matters before ITAT, Delhi Benches  
w.e.f. 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2021.**

In continuation of various Guidelines/Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) as stipulated in Circulars dated 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2020, 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 and 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2020 relating to joining the hearings through Video Conferencing and the Notice dated 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 commencing the phased manner of physical hearings of matters and the latest being Notice dated 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2021, whereby in view of the current worsening situation due to alarming increase in number of COVID-19 cases in Delhi, it was decided to take up the hearing of cases, as per the existing system of fixation at Delhi Benches through Virtual Mode only with effect from 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2021. It is further ordered that w.e.f. 26.4.2021, the Delhi Benches shall take up through Virtual Mode only such matters viz. the Stay Granted matters, Early Hearing matters and all matters filed upto 2016. However, this shall not apply to SMC matters where the hearing through Virtual Mode shall be taken up, as per the existing system of fixation.

It is further ordered that all other matters listed before the various Benches shall not be taken up and such matters shall be adjourned 'en bloc' as per the dates to be separately notified on website. In case of any extreme urgency of hearing, the request in such pending matters may continue to be made for listing of such petitions before the Friday Bench, as per the existing system.

The above system of hearing will remain enforce till further orders.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

*mg* 22.4.2021  
Deputy Registrar / ~~Assistant Registrar~~

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