

**IN THE INCOME TAX APPELLATE TRIBUNAL
DELHI BENCH: 'E' NEW DELHI**

**BEFORE SH. G. S. PANNU, VICE PRESIDENT
AND
MS SUCHITRA KAMBLE, JUDICIAL MEMBER**

I.T.A. No. 3395/DEL/2016 (A.Y 2011-12)

ITO, Co. Ward 25(4), I. P. Estate New Delhi. (APPELLANT)	Vs	M/s. Trinity Global Enterprises Ltd., A-23, Mandakini Enclave Alaknanda, New Delhi – 110 0019. (AAACH 2288 N) (RESPONDENT)
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Appellant by	Ms. Rakhi Vimal, Sr. D.R.
Respondent by	Sh. Satish Khosla, Adv.

Date of Hearing	11.12.2019
Date of Pronouncement	11.12.2019

ORDER

PER SUCHITRA KAMBLE, JM

This appeal is filed by the Revenue against the order of the Commissioner of Income Tax [Appeals]-9, New Delhi dated 29.03.2016 for Assessment Year 2011-12.

2. At the outset, it was brought to our notice that the tax effect involved in this appeal being less than Rs. 50 lacs, squarely falls within the ambit of Circular No. 17/2019 dated 08.08.2019 issued by the Central Board of Direct Taxes prescribing the tax effect for preferring appeals before Tribunal by the revenue and subsequent clarification issued by CBDT on 20th August, 2019.

3. After perusing the materials available on record, we find that the amount disputed before us is below the tax effect limit prescribed by CBDT vide Circular No. 17/2019 dated 08.08.2019 for preferring appeals before tribunal

by the revenue. On perusal of the Circular No. 17/2019 dated 08.08.2019 and the materials available on record, Ld. Sr. DR could not point out as to how and why such a Circular is not applicable to the facts of the case. We find that the subsequent clarification dated 20.08.2019 makes it very clear that the revised monetary limits shall apply retrospectively to pending appeals also. The Circular is binding on the tax authorities. Hence, we hold that the appeal of the revenue deserve to be dismissed on account of low tax effect vide Circular No. 17/2019 dated 08.08.2019 and subsequent clarification on 20.08.2019. Accordingly, on account of low tax effect case, we dismissed this appeal of revenue in limine, without going into the merits of the case.

4. In result, appeal of the Revenue is dismissed.

Order pronounced in the Open Court on 11th day of December, 2019.

Sd/-

**(G. S. PANNU)
VICE PRESIDENT**

Sd/-

**(SUCHITRA KAMBLE)
JUDICIAL MEMBER**

Dated: 11/12/2019
*Priti Yadav, Sr. PS **

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5. DR: ITAT

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