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To

The Chairman
Central Board of Direct Taxes,
North Block,
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Respected Sir,

Sub: Celebration of Income Tax Day –participation of entire workforce- regarding

Kindly refer to the above.

It is a matter of pride for all the employees of Income Tax Department that 24th July, 2017 has been declared as Income Tax Day to commemorate the occasion of introduction of Income Tax in India (official adoption of Act No. XXXII of 1860 on 24.07.1860) and it has been decided to celebrate the occasion extensively in all corners of the Country. With you at the helm, we have been certain of an inclusive celebration, where even a newly recruited employee, irrespective of his/her designation, will feel the belongingness of *Aayakar Pariwaar* and the success of the occasion. We are very much thankful to you for your able leadership under which the Department is going to celebrate this programme.

Sir, unfortunately as the initial indication, as transpired out from the approach adopted for organizing the celebration at different regions is suggesting, the Celebration on 24th July, 2017 is going to be a closed door affair for a select few, leaving it out of reach for 97% of the workforce of the Department. The Income Tax Day Celebration for us is the official recognition to the hard work done since last one and half century by the employees of the Department, not only by the senior officers but even the lowest rung officials collectively. So we cannot accept such celebration in the name of the Department through selective participation.

It is humbly requested to your goodself to kindly ensure to make the Income Tax Day Celebration an inclusive affair with full participation of all the employees of the Department in all the regions of the country.

With Greetings,

Yours sincerely

(Bhaskar Bhattacharya)

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