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TO, HON. SHRI. S K RAY, IRS Principal Chief Commissioner of Income Tax, **Gujarat Charge, Ahmedabad**

प्राप्ति लिपिन्ड/RECEIPT CLERK प्रधान मुख्य आयकर आयुक्त, गुजरति Principal Chief Commissioner of Income-Tax Gujarat, Ahmedabad-380009.

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SUB: VACATING ROOM NO.113 & 114 AT NARAYAN CHAMBERS, AHMEDABAD

Sir,

This has reference to the Additional CIT Range 5(2), Ahmadabad's letter dated 19/11/2014 at the behest of your honors' letter dated 07/11/2014 addressed to him for vacating the premises allotted to us.

All Gujarat Federation of Tax Consultants is an apex body of Gujarat for Tax Consultants & Chartered Accountants founded in the year 1992 and having it membership of 1100 plus. It is the only one regional apex body of tax consultants and chartered accountants of Gujarat in India.

Federation represents 29 districts of Gujarat. All outstation members, about 600, approach the office of the federation at Naravan Chambers, Ahmedabad as & when they have any administrative issue. Secretariat is functional from this office on working hours every day. Members along with tax payers, also use this office as waiting room when they come for attendance for assessment since there is no such facility available in the building. An air conditioner is installed in the room by the Federation. We also have a library & computer with e library installed which facilitates judicial assessments. This room was allotted to us in the year 1996 when Mr. Dhiresh T Shah was the President of Federation for the facility of tax professionals who act as bridge between tax payers and department.

As your honor is aware, Federation not only works for the betterment of its members but all also for department. Recently, we had two meetings with your honor for more voluntary compliance in payment of taxes.

President Emeritus Shri K. H. KAJI

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We worked upon this area and had a large attendance meeting wherein we also appraised our members about your concern in fall in tax collection and made them aware about the fact that if no voluntary compliance is made by tax payers, department may opt for coercive collection methods. We also assist tax payers for their legal queries by running legal aid centre in these premises. We even had conveyed the Addl. CIT (HQ) for making joint appeal in this regard on tax related programs on TV. Thus the activities carried out from this room are more effective than ASK rooms. The services rendered from this office of Federation are spread in entire Gujarat. Ahmedabad CA Association, I T Bar, Employees Union, Credit Society etc are provided with such facilities and are not recalled as on today. This is the only room provided to Federation in entire Gujarat. On the contrary, we have made a request for allotting such rooms Zone wise/CCIT wise to Federation.

In light of the above facts, we submit to your kind honor that these premises may not be recalled for the betterment of professionals and tax payers. In the alternative, we request your kind self to allot us similar alternative premises.

We also pray to your kind honor for granting us time for personal discussion so that an amicable solution to the issue can be worked out.

Thanking Your Honor

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Addl. CIT (HQ), Ahmedabad



Yours faithfully

DHRUVEN V. SHAH HON.SECRETARY

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