

<u>ABSTRACT</u>

Goods and Services Tax - Tamil Nadu Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 – Special procedure for making payment of tax for those who have opted to furnish a return under proviso to subsection (1) of section 39 – Notification – Issued.

COMMERCIAL TAXES AND REGISTRATION (B1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No.172

Dated: 16.11.2020 Karthigai 1

Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2051

ORDER:

The Notification annexed to this order will be published in the Extraordinary issue of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, dated the 16th November, 2020.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

Dr. BEELA RAJESH SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Principal Secretary/Commissioner of State Tax, Chepauk, Chennai-5.

The Works Manager, Government Central Press, Chennai-79.

(with a request to publish the Notification in the Extraordinary issue of the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette, dated the 16th November, 2020 and to send 100 copies to the Government and 500 copies to the Principal Secretary/Commissioner of State Tax, Chennai-5.)

All Additional Commissioners/Joint Commissioners/Deputy Commissioners of State Tax concerned (Through the Principal Secretary/Commissioner of State Tax, Chennai-5).

Copy to:

The Chief Minister's Office, Chennai -9.

All Secretaries to Government, Chennai - 9.

(To communicate to all Heads of the Departments under their control)

The Accountant General (Accounts and Entitlements), Chennai-18 (By name).

The Accountant General (Audit-I) / (Audit-II), Tamil Nadu

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NIC, Chennai-9 (to host the G.O. on www.tn.gov.in).

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ANNEXURE.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 148 read with sub-section (7) of section 39 of the Tamil Nadu Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (Tamil Nadu Act 19 of 2017), (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Governor of Tamil Nadu, on the recommendations of the Council, hereby notifies the registered persons, notified under proviso to sub-section (1) of section 39 of the said Act, who have opted to furnish a return for every quarter or part thereof, as the class of persons who may, in first month or second month or both months of the quarter, follow the special procedure such that the said persons may pay the tax due under proviso to sub-section (7) of section 39 of the said Act, by way of making a deposit of an amount in the electronic cash ledger equivalent to, -

- (i) thirty five per cent of the tax liability paid by debiting the electronic cash ledger in the return for the preceding quarter where the return is furnished quarterly; or
- (ii) the tax liability paid by debiting the electronic cash ledger in the return for the last month of the immediately preceding quarter where the return is furnished monthly:

Provided that no such amount may be required to be deposited-

- (a) for the first month of the quarter, where the balance in the electronic cash ledger or electronic credit ledger is adequate for the tax liability for the said monthor where there is nil tax liability;
- (b) for the second month of the quarter, where the balance in the electronic cash ledger or electronic credit ledger is adequate for the cumulative tax liability for the first and the second month of the quarter or where there is nil tax liability:

Provided further that registered person shall not be eligible for the said special procedure unless he has furnished the return for a complete tax period preceding such month.

Explanation. For the purpose of this notification, the expression "a complete tax period" means a tax period in which the person is registered from the first day of the tax period till the last day of the tax period.

2. This notification shall come into force with effect from the 1st day of January, 2021.

Dr. BEELA RAJESH SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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