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To

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

Sub: IRS Recruitment Rules- regarding

With reference to the above mentioned subject I am directed by the Managing Committee of ITGOA, held in Darjeeling, West Bengal, on 19th & 20 of August, 2014, to bring to your kind notice that on many an occasion, assurances were given to us, but it was never been put into operation. One of the instances was recent Cadre Restructuring and allocation/sanction of posts therein. It is now our apprehension that this time also there may be departure from the assurances given to us as regards proposed amendment of the IRS Recruitment Rule. This apprehension is founded on certain facts and past experience. Your honour will agree with us that we are one of the stakeholders but were never taken into confidence at the time of finalisation of proposed amendment of the IRS Recruitment Rule. Despite several requests even a copy of the proposed Recruitment Rule was not made available to us, though we were one of the participating members in the Sub Committee constituted for suggesting proposed IRS Recruitment Rule. In view of this fact there is widespread concern amongst the general members of ITGOA that the proposed amendment will be against the interest of prospective promotee IRS officers of the Department. To eliminate this confusion and fear in the minds of the general members of ITGOA it is essential to provide us a copy of the proposed IRS Recruitment Rule.

The issue was discussed in the Managing Committee meeting of ITGOA held at Darjeeling from 19.08.2014 to 20.08.2014 and it was unanimously resolved to request your honour for providing us a copy of the proposed IRS Recruitment Rule without any further delay. The said meeting appreciated the positive intention of the present Board, under your leadership, in regard to various issues relating to staff matters and others and expressed its hope that you would allow us a copy of the proposed IRS Recruitment Rule, within a day or two, and help us to get rid of the confusion amongst the rank and also, to present our case before the Competent Authority in right earnest, if required. You would appreciate that amendment of IRS Recruitment Rule is of utmost importance for our members and inclusion of any clause that may deny due career prospect of our members would obviously call for an industrial action for which, we may not be held responsible.

Yours faithfully,

(Bhaskar Bhattacharya)
Secretary General