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Date : 09.06.2017

To  
The Chief Commissioner,  
Central Excise, Kolkata Zone,  
Kolkata.

Sir,

**Sub:- Recommendation of the 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission- Bunching of stages in the revised pay structure under Central Civil Services (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016-Clarification sought-Reg.**

Please refer to your office letter C.No.II(3)01-ET/Repn/Supdt/CC/CE/Kol-II/2017/9056-57 dated 05.06.2017 on the above mentioned subject.

In this regard, it seems that the authority has not been able to decipher the O.M. under F.No.7/1/2017-CS-I(A)(Pt.) dated 27.02.2017 clearly. It is evidently clear from the DOPTs reply to RTI application of Shri S. Banik dated 17.03.2017 under F.No.15/1/2017-CS-I(A) that the said O.M. is applicable to all ministries/departments participating in CSS Cadre only with regard to grant of bunching benefits of ASOs of CSS (copy enclosed) and not applicable to the officers of this Department.

Moreover, you are requested to consider the submission of this association vide letter dated 25.05.2017 on the above subject in light of the OM dated 19.05.2017 under F NO.A-50050/284/2016-Ad.IB of the Dept of Revenue/Ministry of Finance (copy enclosed) which comprehensively clarified the objections raised by PAO. The OM also observed that the objections raised by the PAO are irrelevant and without understanding the relevant rules and contents of the recommendation of the 7<sup>th</sup> CPC and instructions issued by the Department of Expenditure.

**Further, we draw your kind attention that the Chief Commissioner of Customs, Mumbai-II Zone has given approval for bunching of stages for all eligible Inspectors as per letter dated 30.02.2017 under file F. No. S/V-30-Misc.233/2017CCO M II (A-Cell) (copy enclosed) with reference to the pay of Shri K.Durga Prasad, Inspector of Central Excise, Vishakapatnam Zone, in adherence to the Department of Expenditure O.M. No. 1-6/2016-IC dated 07.09.2016 dated 07.09.2016.**

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The OM No. 1-6/2016-IC dated 07.09.2016 has also been implemented across various Zones in CBEC viz Audit-II Comm, Central Excise, Surat Commissionerate, Ranchi Central Excise Commissionerate and in other Central Department including all HQ organization, CBDT etc.

At last, we can say "Justice delayed is justice denied". We would like to bring to your kind attention that the entire Inspector cadre is disappointed by the callousness of the administration in this matter. So once again you are requested to please issue necessary directives to all concerned authorities of this Zone for implementation of the OM No. 1-6/2016-IC dated 07.09.2016 at the earliest.

Thanking you.

Enclo :- As above.

Yours faithfully,

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