



ABSTRACT

Commercial Taxes Department – Re-designation of “VAT Cell” as “Taxation Cell” in the office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Chennai 600 005 and modification of certain posts – Orders – Issued.

Commercial Taxes and Registration [B1] Department

G.O.(Ms).No. 23

Dated: 13.3.2013
Maasi 29,
Thiruvalluvar Aandu, 2044
Read :

1. G.O.Ms.No.59, Commercial Taxes (B1) Department, dated 17.7.2001.
2. G.O(Ms) No.71, Commercial Taxes and Registration (B1) Department, dated 30.7.2008.
3. G.O.(D) No.313, Commercial Taxes and Registration (B1) Department, dated 23.7.2012.

ORDER:

In the Government order first read above, orders were issued for creation of a VAT Cell in the Office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Chennai-5 with the following temporary posts for a period of one year from the date of employment: -

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Number of post	Scale of pay (Rs.)
1.	Joint Commissioner (CT) (New Post)	1	15000-400-18600
2.	Deputy Commissioner (CT) (New Post)	1	12000-375-16500
3.	Commercial Tax Officer (Redeployed)	1	8000-275-13500

4.	Assistant (Redeployed)	1	4000-100-6000
5.	Steno-Typist (New Post)	2 (Grade II-1 & Grade III-1)	5000-150-8000 4000-100-6000
6.	Office Assistants (by redeployment)	4	2550-55-2660-60-3200

2. In the Government order second read above, the posts of Joint Commissioner (CT), Deputy Commissioner (CT) and Commercial Tax Officer were re-designated as Additional Commissioner, Joint Commissioner (CT) and Assistant Commissioner (CT) respectively. Subsequently, orders were issued for continuance of the posts upto 31.3.2012.

3. In the Government order third read above, orders were issued for further continuance of the above posts for a further period of 12 months from 1.4.2012 to 31.3.2013.

4. The VAT Cell in the office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes was created in 2001 to undertake preparatory work relating to implementation of VAT in the State. Subsequently, the VAT system was introduced in the State with effect from 1.1.2007. In the past six years, the VAT regime has by and large stabilized. Meanwhile, the Government of India is trying to expedite the implementation of a nation-wide Goods and Services Tax (GST).

5. In this backdrop, the Government examined the feasibility of having a dedicated Cell in the office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes to undertake the work relating to GST and residual issues regarding VAT. For the said purpose, the Government have decided to re-designate the existing "VAT Cell" itself in the office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes as "Taxation Cell" and order accordingly. Further, the Government order that the posts already sanctioned to the VAT Cell shall be continued in the Taxation Cell with a slight modification that the existing post of Joint Commissioner be downgraded as the post of Assistant Commissioner and 4 posts of Office Assistants be reduced to 2 posts of Office Assistants as in the Annexure to this order.

6. The Government also authorize the Administrative Officer-II, Office of the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes to draw and disburse the salaries and other claims to the staff sanctioned in para.5 above.

7. The expenditure shall be debited to the following Head of Account: -

"2040-00 - Taxes on Sales, Trade, etc. - 001 Direction and Administration -I Non-Plan-AA - Headquarters Establishment-01 Salaries" (DPC No.2040-00-001-AA-0104)".

8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (CMPC) Department vide its U.O. No. 11572/CMPC/13, dated 5/3/2013.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SUNIL PALIWAL
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Chennai-5.
The Accountant General, Chennai-18.
The Accountant General, Chennai-18. (by name)
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-8.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-9.

Copy to:

The Finance (Revenue) Department, Chennai-9.
The Commercial Taxes and Registration (A, E, F & U) Department,
Chennai-9.
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ANNEXURE

TAXATION CELL

Sl. No	Name of the Post	Number of post	Pay Band (Rs.)
1.	Additional Commissioner (CT)	1	37400-67000 + G.P. 8800
2.	Assistant Commissioner (CT)	2	15600-39100 + G.P. 5400
3.	Assistant	1	5200-20200 + G.P. 2800
4.	Steno-Typist	2 (Grade II-1 and Grade III-1)	9300-34800 + G.P. 4200 5200-20200 + G.P. 2800
5.	Office Assistants	2	4800-10000 + G.P. 1300

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