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ONLINE WORKSHOP ON LITIGATION MANAGEMENT IN GST

National Academy of Human Resource Development (NAHRD) was established to deliver competency-enhancing learning to officials of Central Government, State Governments, Public Sector Undertakings, Autonomous Bodies, Banks, Insurance Companies, etc. We have organized large number of workshops in the past, which have been very well attended and appreciated by officials of various organizations across the country.

An online workshop on **Litigation Management in GST** is being organized by NAHRD from **20.08.2026 to 21.08.2026**

The present workshop is for the benefit of officers dealing with GST and related areas and also handling litigation in Government Departments, Public Sector Undertakings, Statutory Bodies, Autonomous Bodies, etc. GST is the biggest Indirect Tax reform since independence which is implemented from 01.07.2017. Since GST is a comprehensive indirect tax that replaced various state and central taxes in India, it has led to numerous disputes between taxpayers and tax authorities. Now many show cause notices are being issued to various organizations by GST authorities and appeals are being filed. Needless to add that inapt handling of the GST litigation hampers the efficiency of the organization and can cause huge financial loss. After participating in the workshop the participants shall have updated their knowledge and skills in the following areas:

- Overview of GST and areas of Dispute
- Assessment
- Handling Show Cause
- Principles of Adjudication
- Adjudication Process
- Assessment Orders
- Options under Assessment Orders
- Rectification of errors
- Appeal before Appellate Authority
- Appeal before Tribunal
- Appeals before High Court & Supreme Court

Workshop Methodology

The workshop will be organized on highly participative lines. The training methods will include lectures, group discussions, exercises, presentations, case studies, role-plays etc.

Faculty

Sh. Abhishek Sethi is a distinguished taxation professional and subject-matter expert in Goods and Services Tax (GST), with extensive academic credentials and rich practical experience in advising, training, and capacity building across government and public sector institutions. He is a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) and holds a Bachelor's degree in Commerce from the prestigious Hansraj College, University of Delhi. He has emerged as a recognized authority and regular speaker on GST, known for his ability to simplify complex statutory provisions and translate them into actionable understanding for diverse stakeholders. He has delivered numerous lectures, workshops, and specialized training sessions on GST compliance, implementation challenges, exemptions, audits, and dispute resolution. His sessions are highly valued for their practical orientation, case-based approach, and relevance to contemporary regulatory developments. He has addressed GST-related issues for a wide spectrum of clients, including several prominent Government organizations and Public Sector Undertakings such as Indian Railways, National Buildings Construction Corporation (NBCC), and the Border Roads Organization (BRO). His engagements with these institutions have focused on sector-specific GST implications, procedural compliance, risk mitigation, and effective handling of departmental audits and assessments. Academically inclined and deeply engaged in professional training, Sh. Sethi serves as a Visiting Faculty at the National Academy of Customs, Indirect Taxes and Narcotics (NACIN). He is also a Guest Trainer for senior officers at the Directorate General of GST Intelligence (DGGI) and the Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI), where he conducts advanced sessions on GST law, interpretation, and enforcement-related issues. With a rare blend of professional qualification, legal acumen, and hands-on training experience, Sh. Abhishek Sethi continues to be a highly sought-after expert faculty for GST-related programs across government, regulatory, and institutional platforms.

Dr. Sanjiv Agarwal (SAG) is a fellow member of ICAI and ICSI besides being an associate member of the Institute of Chartered Secretaries & Administration, London (UK). He has over 3 decades of professional experience as a practicing Chartered Accountant with vast exposure in indirect taxes including GST. He has keen interest in academics and is regular contributor of articles and has to his credit a large number of published articles in various professional journals, websites and economic dailies on various subjects including GST, Corporate Laws, Corporate Governance etc. He has authored a number of books on GST which includes Guide to GST (February 2016), A Complete Guide to GST: Ready Reckoner in Q & A Format (November 2016), GST: Laws, Concepts & Impact Analysis of Select Industries (March 2017), Goods & Services Tax- Law & Practice (April 2017), Goods & Service Tax- For Traders and Service Providers (August 2017), Goods & Service Tax- For Industrial and Manufacturing Sector (September 2017), Judicial Pronouncements relevant under GST Regime (January 2018) and GST Cases with summary (Second Edition, October 2018- 2 Volumes). Dr. Agarwal is an active participant and faculty at various National and Regional Seminars and Conferences on various topics including GST organized by ICAI, ICSI and Apex Chambers. He is also a member of GST Core Group constituted by ICSI. He is considered to be an authority on GST considering his experience and exposure in the present area

Multiple workshops organized by NAHRD have been attended and appreciated by officers of organizations that includes but not limited to LIC of India, Reserve Bank of India, SEBI, Coal India Ltd., Indian Oil Ltd, BPCL, IITs, NITs, IIITs, IIMs, IHMs, NHPC, Bank of Baroda, SBI, JNPA, Indian Space Research Organization, Border Security Force, GIC of India, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation, Bharat Dynamics Ltd., Canara Bank, UCO Bank, AI Airport Services Limited, Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilisers Limited, National Fertilizers Limited, MOIL Limited, RailTel Corporation Limited, GAIL (India) Limited, NTPC Limited, NLC India Limited, SIDBI, THDC India Limited, NHPC Limited, Jute Corporation of India, REC Limited, Grid Controller of India Limited, Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited and many more.

Participation Fee: Rs.11,000/- plus GST @ 18% per participant

Date & Timings:

20.08.2026 Thursday (10:00 to 13:15 hours)

21.08.2026 Friday (10:00 to 13:15 hours)

Relevant link for registration will be sent to all the participants 2 days before the workshop. Participants will also be awarded with digitally signed certificate after successful completion of the workshop.

Nominations may be sent through post/ email by providing participants' name, designation, contact number & e-mail ID. Kindly also provide GSTIN of your organization at the time of nomination. Please note that participation fee is to be paid at the time of nomination. For making payment through NEFT, details are as under

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Nomination once confirmed cannot be cancelled, however substitution of participant(s) is allowed. In case nomination participant(s) is not able to attend the workshop due to any reason and no substitution is made, fees shall be payable. Limited seats available for the present workshop and hence the nominations will be accepted on first-cum-first-serve basis. Organizations are kindly requested to seek confirmation about availability before nominating.

You are requested to kindly nominate officers and executives for the present workshop at the earliest and draw maximum benefit from the opportunity.

Thanks & Regards



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