

**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF
GST & CENTRAL EXCISE,
TAMILNADU & PUDUCHERRY**

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सी.सं. /C.NO. II/39/315/2019-CCA-RTI

दिनांक / Dated: २५.07.2019

To:

Shri Balusamy
60, Chellappa Nagar,
Madheswaran Kovil Street,
Gobi - Erode,
Tamilnadu - 638 452.

Gentleman,

Sub: Information under Right to Information Act, 2005 - reg.

Please refer to your RTI application dated 14.02.2019 filed under RTI Act, 2005 received in this office on 01.07.2019 vide Directorate of Publicity and Public Relations letter F. No. DGTS/64/009/2019 dated 25.06.2019.

In this regard, it is informed that some of the queries raised are interrogative in nature and are in the nature of opinion seeking which are not covered under the definition of 'information' as defined in Section 2(f) of the RTI Act, 2005. However, the reply to the RTI application is furnished below :

Reply to Point No. 1 : The information sought for is not available with this office.

Reply to Point No. 2 : Refer to Article 279A of the Constitution of India.

Reply to Point No. 3 : No need for any intermediary to file GST Returns.

Reply to Point No. 4 : GST awareness programs are conducted regularly by field formations. For further information, the jurisdictional officer may be contacted.

Reply to Point No. 5 : No. However a personal can enroll as GST practitioner as per Rule 83, 83A & 84 of CGST Rules, 2017.

Reply to Point No. 6 : GST rate is fixed on the basis of the recommendations of GST council.

Reply to Point No. 7 : The same is available in the public domain. (refer to www.cbic.gov.in)

Reply to Point No. 8 & 9 : Please refer to GST Act/Rules/Notification in www.cbic.gov.in

Reply to Point No. 10 : Question asked is not clear. Hence unable to reply.

Reply to Point No. 11 to 17 : Please refer to GST Act/Rules/Notification in www.cbic.gov.in

Reply to Point No. 18 & 19 : All relevant material is available in public domain on www.cbic.gov.in for download.

Reply to Point No. 20 : Refer to www.gstcouncil.gov.in

Reply to Point No. 21 : The GST collected in Tamil Nadu State by both Central and State Governments for the last two years is :

Financial Year 2017-18 : Rs. 45,304 Crores.

Financial Year 2018-19 : Rs. 70,425 Crores.

Reply to Point No. 22 : Query raised is in the nature of seeking opinion which do not fall under the purview of RTI Act, 2005.

Reply to Point No. 23 to 25 : It is being decided by GST Council.

If you are not satisfied with the reply, you may file an appeal within thirty days from the date of receipt of this letter, before the Appellate Authority, whose designation and address is given below :

Dr. K. Venkat Ram Reddy,
Additional Commissioner,
O/o the Principal Chief Commissioner of GST & Central Excise,
26/1, Mahatma Gandhi Road,
Nungambakkam, Chennai - 600 034.

Yours faithfully,

R. Vasudevan
24/07/2019
(R. VASUDEVAN)

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER
R. VASUDEVAN
सहायक आयुक्त
Asst. Commissioner

