# The Whole Gamut of Year End Finalization

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Dear Fellow Professionals and Friends,

I am grateful to have your valuable attention, your eyes and ears when presenting my piece on "The whole gamut of year-end finalization" this evening. It is the appreciation of my work from accomplished persons like you that makes this journey of sharing so worthwhile. I am indebted to all of you for both the opportunity and the time you have spared for me. I am delighted to share my PPT on the subject for your reference and consumption.

**Cordially yours** 

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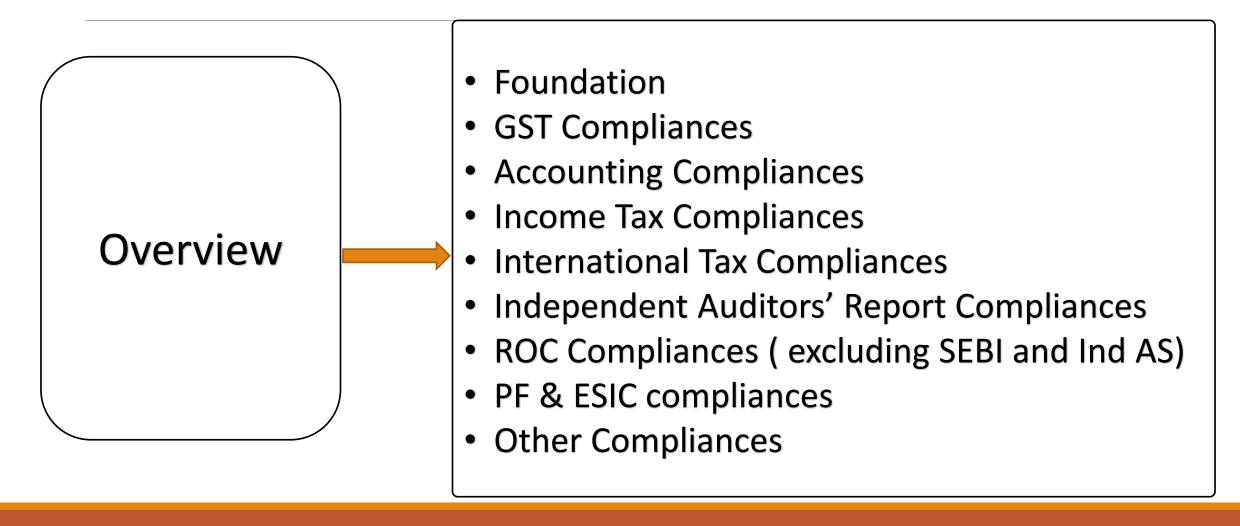
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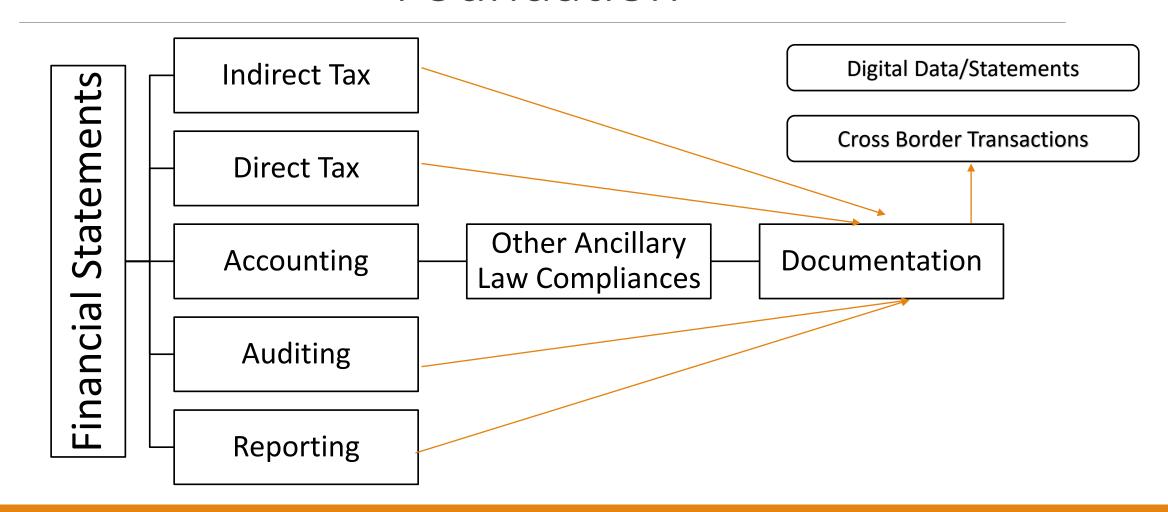
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# The Whole Gamut of Year End Finalization



#### Foundation



## GST Compliances

#### Contours – GST Compliances

- Registrations
- Method of Accounting
- RCM
- Peculiar Accounting Scenarios
- Reconciliations Outward and Input Tax Credits
- Inventories
- GSTR 9- 9C Reporting Issues.
- Interest u/s 50
- Documentation
- Invoicing
- Disclosures
- Applications and Other Compliances

#### Registrations

- Gold, Silver and Diamond Jewellers (including Imitations Jewelleries)
- Milk Suppliers (including supplies of Soft drinks, Ice Creams & Water Supplies + Delivery Charges)
- Vegetable Vendors and Suppliers
- Organisations providing only Exempt Supplies
- Firm of Advocates & Solicitors
- Architects and Interior Decorators
  Services

- Aggregate Turnover [Section 2(67)]
- ✓ Can such suppliers register?
- ✓ What happens if they are liable to pay GST under RCM services ?
- ✓ When to claim credit for RCM in GSTR 3B?

#### Registrations

#### Place of Business Issues

- Main Place
- Additional Place of Business Registered/Unregistered
- Job worker Place of Business Registered/Unregistered
- Branches/Divisions Registered/Unregistered

- ✓ Address Reported in ITR /MCA/Shops & Establishment/
  Labour Laws or any other Laws
- ✓ Branches details reported in TAR- IT
- ✓ If unregistered, can ITC claim is permissible?
- ✓ If Registered later on, can ITC be claimed?
- ❖Renting of Property Mumbai (Maharashtra)/Chennai(Tamilnadu)/Delhi – whether Registration required in every state if RTP is registered in Mumbai?
- Registrations Cancelled/ Revoked/ Suspended /Legal Heir – Deceased Taxpayers

Section 9 (C) Levy & Collection - Section 5 (I) Levy & Collection -Section 7 (I)- Inter State Supply- Section 12 (I)-POS where both the parties are in India - Section 22( C)- Persons Liable for registration -Section 2(71) ( C)/ Section 2(15)(I) —location of supplier of services- Section 2(85) — Place of Business

- ✓ ITC claim eligible or ineligible/Transfer of Input Tax Credit through ITC-02
- ✓ Return due dates to be counted 30 days from the date of revocation as per Rule 23.

#### Method of Accounting

- Mercantile vis-à-vis Cash system of accounting
- Inclusive or Exclusive method of accounting
- **❖ Related Party Transactions** 
  - AS 18 -MCA /40A(2)(b) -IT /Related Party Transactions -GST
  - Transactions done following ALP principles
  - Transactions done without following ALP principles
  - Domestic Transfer Pricing
  - International Transfer Pricing
  - Customs Valuations
- Valuation of Inventory
  - **❖** Section 15-CGST/Section 145A − IT/ICDS-2/AS-2

Which method to be followed?

Ramifications on ITC claims u/s 16

#### **RCM**

Banking & Financial Industry

SEZ /IFSC Supplies

**❖** Valuation issues arising due to imports, IGST paid through DRC 06?

- Legal services procured directly debited to the Borrowers clients' accounts by the Banks & Borrower has debited such charges in Bank charges account? Who is liable to RCM?
- ✓ SEZ Supplies receiving Manpower Services whether subject to RCM or are they treated as Zero Rated Supply?
- ✓ Can RTP claim ITC on account of IGST paid through DRC 06 if paid u/s 73?

#### **RCM**

- \* Company A located in United Kingdom has awarded contract worth 50 crores to Company B located in India for providing the services. Circular Company B subcontracted such contract to Company C located in 31.12.20 Singapore to the extent of 20% & Company D located in Australia to extent of 10%.( All are unrelated parties)
  - ✓ Company A pays 70% to Company B In CFY.
  - ✓ Company A also pays 20% to Company C in Singapore in CFY
  - ✓ Company A also pays 10% to Company D in Australia in CFY

#### Question:

- Company B has filed its GSTR 1 for Rs.50 Crores? Is it correct?
- Whether the conditions of CFY are satisfied as notified u/s 2(6)?
- Do company issue CN to the extent of 30% by issuing in the name of Company A
- Is there any exposure on Company B for payments made to Company C & Company D by Company A?
- If payment was received in Indian Currency Rupee Vostro accounts in December 2022, whether it would be termed as conditions of section 2(6) are satisfied?

Circular 78/52/2018 dated 31.12.2018 – Clarification.

✓ RBI Master Circular issued from November 22,2022. Entry (vii) – International Trade Settlement in INR

#### **RCM**

- **❖** Real Estate Industry
  - Interest on Monies borrowed 80:20 conditions as provided under Notification No 07/2019???
  - TDR valuation Area Sharing/Corpus/Alternate accommodation arrangements/Shifting Allowances/ any other emoluments etc.
  - Occupation certificate Full/Part/Project wise
  - Permission granted by Municipal Authorities
  - Valuation of Free Area given to existing members in case of the Society Redevelopment ????

#### Peculiar Accounting Scenarios

- Issue of Debit and Credit Notes Domestic/Import/Export
  - Rate Difference
  - Sales Returns
  - Quantity difference
  - Issued beyond time lines
  - Deficiency in Service
  - Others
- Trade Samples
- Free Samples- Exports/Imports
- Trade Discount and Cash Discounts
- Quantitative Discounts

### Peculiar Accounting Scenarios

- Notice Pay Recoveries
- Trade Damages/Liquidated Damages
- **❖** Subsidy Govt/Others − Revenue/Capital .....
- Exempt Supply Domestic/Exports ....LUT ???
- **Secondment of Employees Reimbursement**
- Reimbursement of Expenses vis-à-vis POS
- Pure Agent Reimbursements
- **❖** Renting of Immovable Property
  - \* Residential Exempt
  - Commercial Property Employee FCM
  - Commercial Property Director of the company -FCM

Circular 178/10/2022- GST dt03.08.2022



Overseas –B/D /Subsidiary ?

#### Reconciliations - Outwards

### Turnover /Billings /Receipts (M/Q/H/Y)

- ❖GSTR 1 Vs. BOAs
- ❖ GSTR 3B Vs. BOAs
- ❖ GSTR 1 Vs. GSTR 3B
- BOAs Vs. GSTR 9 or GSTR 4 or GSTR 9A
- ♦ BOAs Vs. GSTR 9C
- ♦ HSN/SAC Reporting in GSTR 1/9 Table 17/Table 18 ??? E Way Bills
- ♦ BOAs vs. TDS u/s 51 or TCS u/s 52
- ❖BOAs vs. GSTR 1 Vs. GSTR 3B Vs. E Way Bills

#### Turnover /Billings /Receipts (M/Q/H/Y)

- ♦ BOAs Vs. ITR Vs. GSTR 1 /3B Vs. Form 26AS
- BOAs Vs. TAR Vs. GSTR 1/3B Vs. Form 26AS
- ❖ BOAs Vs. Form 3CEB Vs. GSTR 1 Vs. Form 26AS
- BOAs Vs. ROC Annual Returns Vs. GSTR 1/3B Vs. Form 26AS
- BOAs Vs. Results published by Listed companies
- BOAs Vs. Independent Auditors Reports
- BOAs Vs. Directors reports if applicable



#### **Input Tax Credits**

- ❖GSTR 3B Vs. BOAs
- **❖**GSTR 2B Vs. BOAs − <u>if invoices not reflected in 2B till 30.11.2023 ?????</u>
- ❖GSTR 3B Vs. GSTR 2B
- ❖ GSTR 3B Vs. TAR Clause 27(a)
- ❖ GSTR 3B/2B Beyond Time Limits u/s 16(4)
- ❖ ITC claims without satisfying section 16 conditions /E invoices if applicable but Tax Invoices are issued u/s 31
- RCM/Supplies Imports Goods/Services Customs Valuations- DRC 06-Section 73/74 - whether it can be claimed ???? [Section 17 (5)(i) -74,129 & 130 & Rule 36(3)]
- ♦ GSTR 2B Vs. BOAs Vs. GSTR 2A Vs. E Way Bills
- ❖RCM reported in GSTR 3B Vs. Table 6 GSTR 9.
- Cash and Credit Ledger reconciliation with BOAs.

#### **Input Tax Credits**

- ❖ GSTR 3B Vs. Table 6/7/8 Bifurcation- GSTR 9
- ❖ GSTR 3B Vs. GSTR 9C − Table 12/14
- ❖ GSTR 3B Vs. Capital Goods ITC Refunds claimed u/s 54
- GSTR 3B Vs. TAR Clause 32- CG
- ❖ Bill of Entry Issues Tax Invoice/BOEs Rejected Imports supply
- ❖ ITC claims without E Way Bills or Tax paid u/s 73, whether it can be claimed ????
- **❖**[ Section 17 (5)(i) -74,129 & 130 & Rule 36(3)]
- Reversal under Rule 37 Interest on MSME payments ITC claim ???
- ❖ Reversal of ITC Others 4.B.(2) & Reclaim of ITC Others –4.D.(1)
- ❖ Information reported in Clause 44 in Form 3CD- TAR-ITR

#### Inventory

- Stock in Hand
  - In Factory/Shop/Godown- RM/FG/WIP/Stores
     & Spares etc.
  - Supply Sent on Approval
  - Supply sent to Job worker (ITC 04)
  - Stock at Custom Bonded Warehouses
  - Stock without Invoices
  - Stocks supplied but not accepted by the customers
  - Others

- ✓ Reporting in AFS Notes to accounts
- ✓ Reporting in ITR
- ✓ Issues Reported in CARO vis-à-vis working capital facilities Deviations and its treatment
- ✓ Inventory losses and its accounting treatment in GSTR 3B???
- ✓ Loss By Fire Insurance claims
- ✓ Stock consumed by the owners/Partners
- ✓ Stock valuation changes in AFS vis-à-vis GSTR 3B ????
- ✓ Presumptive scheme opted under Income Tax ????

Overseas –B/D /Subsidiary

### GSTR 9-9C Reporting Issues

GSTR 9

GSTR 9C

- Incorrect reporting of outward supplies in \*Incorrect reporting of Turnover in Table Table 4-5-10-11
- Incorrect reporting of ITC supplies in Table 6-7-8-12-13
- **❖Incorrect reporting of Tax payable in Table 4-**9-14
- **❖**Incorrect reporting of HSN in Table 17 non maintenance of records or due to pragmatic issues

- 5-7
- Incorrect reporting of ITC in Table -12-14
- Incorrect reporting of Tax payable in Table 9 -11 - Part V ( Including Tax, Interest and Penalty payable due to variations)

### Interest Payable u/s 50

- Short payment/ Incorrect of OTL
- Incorrect availment of ITC
- availed but not utilised
- Incorrect availment of ITC
- availed but utilised

#### Documentation

- Agreement executed amongst 4 parties say Can Party C raise invoice on Party Party A, Party B, Party C & Party D for providing services viz.
  - Part A Ultimate Beneficiary/Recipient either located in India or Outside India.
  - Party B Service Provider
  - Party C Agent of Party B
  - Party D Agent/Payment Conduit
  - Supply is made either in India/Outside India?

- A/Party D?
- If invoice is raised on Party A can't it be termed as export of services?
- Can Party A/Party D claim ITC?
- Can Party D deduct the TDS under IT Act if they are acting as Payment conduit?

#### Invoicing

- \* Tax Invoice /Normal Invoice/Bill of supply
- **❖TOS** − Rate of Tax
  - Before
  - After
  - Subsequently
  - Entry in the books of accounts of the Client/Receiver/Buyer
- Cross Charge/ISD ??? Valuation ????
- Supplies not crossing custom borders goodswhether export/domestic supplies?

#### Disclosures/Documentation

- Unbilled Revenue
- Refund applications applied and rejected.
- Show Cause Notices with demands notified
- Recovery Notices u/s 79 in DRC 13.
- Appeals Pending adjudications
- **♦** Taxes outstanding to be paid as on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023.
- Mergers & Acquisition, Demerger, Spin off, Slump Sale, Inheritance etc.

#### Applications/Other compliances

- **⋄** Option choice by GTA (last date was 15/03/2023)
- **❖LUT Applications for FY 2324.**
- **❖FIRC** reconciliations vis-à-vis GST Refunds reconciliations.
- **E** Invoice applicability from 01.04.23.
- **⋄** New Invoicing Series from 01.04.23.
- GSTR 4 Annual Returns
- Opting QRMP filling frequency for FY 23-24
- ❖Tran 1 & Tran 2 Credits claims filed in FY 2223 with approval orders.

- Reversals under Rule 37 (Including Comparing unpaid creditors as on 31.03.23)
- ❖ITC reversals Rule 42/43
- Other Reversals ISD /Blocked Credits
- **❖Job** work supplies ITC 04 filing where aggregate turnover is less than 5 crores yearly
- **❖** Job work supplies ITC 04 filing where aggregate turnover is more than 5 crores half yearly
- **❖**BOE Reconciliations to reconciled with GSTR 3B and Notes to accounts/Directors reports
- **❖**Addition of Authorised Signatory on Portal if applicable.
- **Any other compliance not listed the above.**

#### Litigation Documentation

- Trail of all kinds of Notices and replies filed with reasoning and judicial supports/opinions.
- Synopsis of Issues flagged
- Status of Litigation Proceedings
- Blocking of ITC under Rule 86A
- Recovery proceedings u/s 79.

## Accounting Compliances

#### **Accounting Compliances**

- Implementation 01.04.23 & Data Back Up.
- Year end Provisions & Prepaid expenses accounting
- ❖ Provision for Gratuity or actuarial valuation ❖ PF/ESIC provisions as on 31.03.2023 as per AS-15
- Provision for Taxation/MAT/AMT workings
- Unbilled accounting Revenue documentation

- of Digital Trail w.e.f . Verification of Capital Expenditure vis-à-vis Section 32 /Companies Act/GSTR 9 and GST **Refund Applications.** 
  - TDS provisions as on 31.03.2023

  - Related party transactions reporting under MCA/IT
  - with Provision of Audit Fees as on 31.03.23

#### **Accounting Compliances**

- Applicability of Tax Audits 44AB/44AD/44ADA/44AE etc.
- Determination of Aggregate Turnover as MSME disclosures reporting's per GST Act, 2017 for filing of Form GSTR 9C as applicable
- Cash Flow Statement
- Inventory verification and valuation as on 31.03.2023.
- Financial Statement disclosures

- u/s ❖Bank DP Statement as on 31.03.23 & its reconciliation with BOAs

  - Review of RCM levies remaining unpaid for FY 2223 under GST Laws
  - Debtors and Creditors ageing analysis as on 31.03.2023 to make provision for Bad Debts and/or issue of Credit Notes etc.
  - Directors' reports data reconciliations

## Income Tax Compliances

#### Income Tax Compliances

- Prepaid Taxes reconciliation Advance Tax/TDS/TCS/AIS/TIS
- Form 26AS/AIS/TIS reconciliation vis-à-vis Income/Turnover reported reconciliation (194Q/206(1H) etc.) as well as rectification.
- ❖ Determination of disallowances if applicable u/s 40(a)(i) and 40(a)(ia), 43B, Section 37 etc.
- Reporting of Disallowances u/s 40A(3)
- \* Reporting of related party transactions u/s 40A(2) (b), TAR Reporting vis-à-vis its justifications
- **♦** Verification of Deductions under Chapter VIA of the Income Tax Act 1961.
- **♦** Verification of Exemptions under Section 10 of the Income Tax Act 1961.

- **Exposure to unexplained family of sections.**
- **❖** Disallowances of Interest/Remuneration payable to Partners
- Checklist of ITR forms to be filed on or before due dates.
- **❖** Review of Intimations received u/s 143(1)
- **Review of Assessment and Appeal Orders if any.**
- \*Ratio analysis & compliances other than listed above.

#### Income Tax Compliances

- **❖** Examination, Review and Reporting under Section 269, 269ST, 269SS, 269T etc. in Form 3CD of the Income Tax Act, 1961....Clause 31 of Form 3CD.
- ❖ Verification of timely payment of PF and ESIC dues within due dates....Clause 20(b) of Form 3CD.
- **❖** Verification of deductions u/s 43B of the Income Tax Act 1961.... Clause 26 of Form 3CD.
- **♦ Risk Analysis of Section 50C/43CA if applicable.**

- **❖**Reporting of items taxable under section 41 ...Clause 25 of Form 3CD
- Verification of MAT/AMT Credits if any
- **❖** Verification of Carry forward and Brought forward of losses for reporting in ITR and TAR... Clause 32 of Form 3CD
- ❖ Determination of Provision for Taxation, MAT/AMT , Section 56(2)(vii), Section 56(2)(viib) , Section 56(2)(X) as well as Section 2(22)(e) etc.

# International Tax Compliances

#### International Tax Compliances

- **❖** Verification of Overseas remittances reported in Form 26AS/AIS/TIS reconciliation vis-à-vis Income and overseas remittances on which TCS is collected.
- Verification of Export/Imports documents under Customs Act, 1972.
- **♦** Verification of Transfer Price Compliance u/s 92E & its documentation & filing of Form 3CEB.
- **❖** Documentation of Foreign Exchange transaction where value exceeds Rs.500 crore or Rs.50 crores u/s 92D − Form 3CEAA/Form 3CEAB.
- **♦** CbCR Reporting u/s 285D in Form No. 49D of the Income Tax Act,1961.

- **❖ Dispute Resolution Panel Matters u/s 144C if applicable**
- **♦** Exchange Rate Fluctuations Impacts on AFS or compliances of ICDS 6 , Accounting Standard 11, Section 43AA etc.
- **Examination of Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement** u/s 90/90A of the Income Tax Act, 1961 if applicable.
- **♦** Filing of Form 67 compliances if applicable vis-à-vis withholding Tax certificate issued by the Overseas clients.
- **Examination of Multi Lateral Instruments if applicable under the Income Tax Act, 1961 if applicable.**
- **❖** GAAR compliances exposure ( Section 95 to 99)

#### International Tax Compliances

- **❖** Verification of TDS Returns filed in Form 27Q/27EQ etc. with ❖SOFTEX Filing if applicable data/information reported in BOAs and Draft ITR or to be reported in ITR or TDS to be deducted as on 31.03.2023.
- ❖ Verification of Form 15CA/15CB issued in FY 2223 and documentation – TRC, Form 10F etc.
- Exposure to disallowances u/s 40(a)(i) of the Income Tax Act 1961.
- ❖ Disclosure of Foreign Assets and Liabilities in Schedule FA of Income Tax Returns to mitigate the exposure of Black Money Act, 2015 levies as well as issue of reassessment notices u/s 148/148A of the Income Tax Act, 1961.
- Information reported in Directors **Party** Report, Related Transactions, Notes to accounts under Companies Act, 1961.
- **♦** Modified Returns compliances u/s 92CD − TP adjustments

- ❖If Branches or Divisions are established outside India, then consolidation of such operations while reporting under Indian GAAP & impacts of overseas taxes paid etc.
- SEP, PE, BC and POEM exposures & Brand usage or IPR usage exposure to be reviewed.
- Hedge Accounting Forward Contracts exposure etc.
- \*RCM compliances on Export/Import transactions under GST law.
- **ECB** compliances under FEMA if applicable.
- \*APR/ FLA / FC-GPR/FC-TRS (FIRMS portal) compliances under FEMA if applicable.
- Other compliances other than listed above.

# Independent Auditor's Reporting Compliances

## Independent Auditor's Reporting Compliances

- **Automated Audit Programme formulation**
- Test checks to be performed using Paperless options
- Significant Transactions to be examined
- **❖** Significant matters to be reported to the stakeholders.
- **❖** Data points to be examined to be derived from BOAs vis-à-vis CARO reporting
- \*Ratio Analysis to be followed to derive variances in performance ratios.
- **❖** Verification of Disclosures as per Companies Act, 2013 if any.
- Materiality Test Sampling of Economic Transactions Functions/Segment reporting etc.

- **❖**If Joint Auditors are appointed then examine their reports, remarks, reports and findings if any.
- ❖If Branch/Division Auditors are appointed then examine their reports, remarks, reports and findings if any.( including Internal Audit reports if any)
- Management Risks/Quality Controls & Secure Authentications etc.
- Check Appointment Documents/Engagement Letters/MRL etc.
- Third Party confirmations and documents
- **❖** Verification of Investments, Deposits, Bank and Credit Balances.
- \* Review and Examination of previous audit reports & communication with previous auditors.
- \* Requirements of Internal Financial Control reporting if any

# TDS Compliances

#### **TDS Compliances**

- 24Q/26Q/27Q/27EQ/16/16A/12BA with data/information reported in BOAs and Draft ITR or to be reported in ITR or TDS to be deducted as on 31.03.2023.
- Verification of TDS challans connection with Form 24Q/26Q/27Q/27EQ etc.
- employees vis-à-vis TDS deducted u/s 192B of the Income Tax Act 1961.

- ❖ Verification of TDS Returns filed in Form ❖ Verification of Interest paid/payable etc. in connection with all TDS Returns as applicable & data to be reported in TAR.
  - Verification of Late fees paid/payable in connection with all TDS Returns as applicable.
- ❖ Verification of Investments declared by the ❖ Verification of TDS Compliance on Buy Back of Shares if any.

#### **TDS Compliances**

- **❖** Verification of LDC certificates received in Form 13 from the suppliers as applicable.
- **❖** Verification of LDC certificates applied in Form 13 u/s 197 if any for FY 2223 & initiating application for FY 2324.
- Verification of TDS compliances applicable u/s 194IA/194IB/194M applicable
- Verification of 194R benefits if provided by the Taxpayers and TDS compliances if any

- **❖** Determination of TDS data to be reported in Clause 34 of Form 3CD of TAR & if any disallowances to be considered while determining total income u/s 194R of the Income Tax Act 1961 & implementing rectification thereof.
- **❖** Verification of Digital Virtual Assets transactions, TDS deduction u/s 194S and its exposure to PMLA and Black Money act if any.
- **AS** ❖ Verification of Aadhaar Linking of the supplies and 206AB compliances as applicable and TDS deduction verification etc.
  - **♦• Other compliances ITC claim on suppliers bills vis-à-** vis TDS deducted.

### ROC Compliances

### **ROC Compliances**

- ❖ If Company is newly incorporated then all incorporation ❖ Details of DPT 03 if applicable needs to be compiled documents to be verified.
- ❖DIR 3 KYC WEB to be done on or after 01.04.23 up to ❖ Verification of documents pertaining to ROC 30.09.2023.
- **❖DIR 12 to be filed if there are any changes in Directors** details. (if DIR 8- Disqualification & MBP-1- Related party)
- New Directors profile to be created on MCA Portal Ver3 & Associate DSC to be registered
- ❖ Details of MSME -1 if applicable needs to be compiled and filed on or before 30.04.2023
- CFS and Standalone reporting of Financial Statements.
- **❖** Testing of Definition of Small Companies from 15.09.22.

- and filed on or before 30.06.2023
- documents pertaining to buy back/Forfeiture of shares if any
- Computation of Maximum Director Remuneration **Payable**
- Computation of CSR contribution payable ( novel concept compared to Globally) & Form CSR 1 if applicable
- Cash Flow and Fund Flow Analysis
- Directors Reports Reporting Data compilations.

#### **ROC Compliances**

- Disclosure of Information as per Schedule III of CA Act 2013
- **❖ Maintenance of Fixed Assets Register under Companies Act, 2013**
- **❖** Verification of documents pertaining to allotment of shares if any
- **❖** Verification of Depreciation reported in AFS considering SLM/WDV.

**❖** Verification of changes in directors if any

- Impairments of Assets AS 28/Ind AS 36
- Verification of Creation of Charges if any registered under MCA Act, 2013 to be verified with books of accounts if any
- Verification of filing of Special Resolution if any

- ❖ Verification of AGM, Board of Directors Meetings and Audit ❖ Verification of annual returns filed for FY 2122 viz. Form **Committee Meetings if any.**
- Reporting requirements of Secretarial Audit Compliance in Form MR-3 if applicable

- ❖Verification of Statutory Registers to be maintained under ❖Verifying Draft compilation of annual returns forms to be filed for Companies Act, 2013- Manual/Electronic????
- 23ACA/MGT 7/AOC 4 etc.

- Companies Act, 2013.
- FY 2223 viz. Form 23ACA/MGT 7/AOC 4 etc. if possible.
- ❖ Verification of Dividend Distribution compliances under ❖ Other specific compliances as applicable other than listed above. ( SEBI and Ind AS compliances not touched upon as they are topics by themselves)

## PF and ESIC Compliances

#### PF and ESIC Compliances

- PF and ESIC Returns to be verified
- ❖ PF ESIC challans to be verified
- **Employees Register and Employees records to be** verified with PF and ESIC returns.
- **❖If Employees have opted for not availing PF** benefits, then such declarations need to be verified.
- Check Gratuity valuation report vis-à-vis PF and **ESIC** register.
- **❖** Check Profession Tax Compliances vis-à-vis PF and ❖Other compliances other than listed above. (For E.g. **ESIC** Register.

- Check Number of Employees declared **Factories Act and Shops and Establishment Act**
- Check Appointment documents of Employees
- Check PF UAN Numbers of new employees if any
- **❖** Whether PF and ESIC dues are deposited on or before due dates needs to be verified for determining disallowance u/s 36(1) (va) as applicable for determining Total Income u/s 28 of the Income Tax Act 1961.
- **Staff Profession Tax Returns etc.)**

### Other Compliances

#### Other Compliances

- ❖ Aadhar Linking to be completed on or before ❖GST Returns filing Frequency based AATO by every RTP. 31.03.2023 if not linked till now - if not linked whether it would impact my all other statutory registrations ????.... Please note linking of Aadhar vis-à-vis Election Identity card is extend to 31st March 2024......
- Selection of Old Tax Regime vis-à-vis New Tax Regime.
- **Application for Opting in/Opting out from Composition** Scheme on or before 31.03.2023
- **IEC** Code revalidations if applicable.
- **❖If FEMA compliances other than discussed earlier as** applicable. (Extension of time limits for late realisation of Exports receivable or if Exports receivable to be written off etc.)

- ❖ITR U to be filed for FY 1920 AY 2021 on or before 31.03.2023.
- Nomination Facility if not opted till now, it can be availed now.
- **♦** Advance Tax if applicable under Income Tax Act 1961 then it should be paid on or before 31.03.2023.
- **❖NOCLAR\*** applicable w.e.f 1.10.22 ( Fraud, Corruption, Bribery, Money Laundering, Terrorist financing and proceedings of crimes etc.) to be correlated the Directors reports and Auditor's reports. .....?????(Restrictive applicability)

\*Non compliance of Laws and Regulations

#### Other Compliances

- Review of transactions with Stuck off companies u/s 560, Transactions listed 1000 companies only) with Promoters, CSR, FA & Intangibles, Digital Currency, Advances etc.
- Investments in Section 54EC Bonds if applicable and due to be applied on or before the time limit for saving LTCG.
- \*BIS reporting if applicable.

- **⇔**BRSR (Business Responsibility and Sustainability Report) applicability if any ( Stock **Exchange Listing requirements etc.**
- Related Party Transactions other than listed in previous slides. (Scope has been widened under Companies Act, 2013)
- Review of all the licenses applicable to business enterprises and its renewal if any.
- Other compliances other than listed above.

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