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To,
The Presidents/General Secretaries,
All the members,
Of all the Units/Circles of ITGOA and ITEF.

Dear Comrades,

As you all know that even after a series of official meetings of the Central JCA with the CBDT and constant follow up with the concerned Directorates/Admin. Sections regarding the pending issues concerning our members, tangible progress have not been achieved on most of these issues. The issues of promotion, infrastructure and pay anomalies/disparities always feature at the top of the agenda items of JCA and unfortunately, the decisions taken in this regard have not been implemented even after regular follow up actions by the Central JCA. The entire Department is totally de-motivated due to the huge stagnation in officers cadre and the huge shortage of manpower in lower cadres, along with the shortage of proper infrastructure and anomalous situation in pay and remuneration after the implementation of 7<sup>th</sup> CPC report.

As we all know that after the recent Demonetization scheme of the Govt., various other stringent measures will also be needed to fight out the menace of black money and in such measures, the Income Tax Department will have to play a pivotal role. As the fight against the menace of black money requires a continuous and long-term mechanism, the process of identification, examination, investigation and verification of transactions made consequent to demonetization shall entail large increase in workload for which adequate manpower and logistic support will be required.

We have already written letters to the Hon'ble PM and FM, GOI, narrating all these issues and requesting for audience so that the grievances of the members of JCA can be rightly presented before them, but the result so far is not up to our expectation. As the competent authority showed its reluctance in paying proper attention to the problems of the entire cross-section of officers/officials of the Department, the Central JCA has decided to attract the attention of the Media in regard to the long-pending issues of JCA viz-a-viz the functional requirement of the Department in the post-Demonetisation era.

In the above context, the Central JCA has prepared a Press Brief (attached herewith) to attract the attention of the Print & Electronic Media on 09-12-2016. All the Units of State JCA are requested to send the Press Note, with required modification/addition if felt so, to the local and national Print & Electronic Media all over India on 09-12-2016 and ensure its publication/viewing. The Central JCA will follow the same for the National Print & Electronic Media at New Delhi.

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This is for your information and necessary action.

With greetings

Yours comradely,

(Bhaskar Bhattacharya)

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