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NOTIFICATIOIN

Miscellaneous

In pursuance of the provisions of clause (3) of article 348 of the Constitution, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of the Uttar Pradesh Mulya Samvardhit Kar (Sanshodhan) Adhyadesh, 2014 (Uttar Pradesh Adhyadesh Sankhya 4 of 2014) promulgated by the Governor:-

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By order,

S.B. Singh Pramukh Sachiv.

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HE UTTAR PRADESH VALUE ADDED TAX (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2014 (U.P. ORDINANCE NO. 4 OF 2014)

(Promulgated by the Governor in the Sixty-fifth Year of the Republic of India)

AN ORDINANCE

further to amend the Uttar Pradesh Value Added Tax Act, 2008.

WHEREAS the State Legislature is not in session and the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of Article 213 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:-

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	(1) This Ordinance may be called the Uttar Pradesh Value Added Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014.
	(2) Sub-clause (i) of clause (c) of section 2, section 7 and section 10 shall be deemed to have come into force on January 01, 2008 and the remaining provisions shall come into force at once.
2	In section 2 of the Uttar Pradesh Value Added Tax Act, 2008, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act,-
	(a) in clause (e) after sub-clause (iii) the following sub-clause shall be inserted, namely:-
1	"(iv) any transaction, even after the closure of business, if it relates to sale of goods acquired during the period in which business was carried out."
	(b) in clause (h) for sub-clause (ix) the following sub-clause shall be substituted, namely:-
	"(ix) a railway container contractor, an air cargo operator, a courier service provider, who fails to disclose the name and complete address of consigner or consignee or if discloses such name or address of consigner or consignee is found
	charge of a vehicle who obtained authorization for transit of goods from the officer in charge of entry check post but
	failed to deliver the same to the officer in -charge of the exit check post or fails to carry such documents as provided under section 52 and follow such procedure as may be prescribed;"
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5		 (c) in clause (ag),- (i) in sub-clause (i) for the words "turnover of sales" the words "turnover of sales or purchases or both, as the case may be" shall be substituted, (ii) after sub-clause(iii) the following sub-clause shall be inserted, namely:- "(iv) the amount of cess leviable under section 3-B."
Amendment of section 3	3	In section 3 of the principal Act, in sub-section (3),- (a) in the table in serial no.8 in column (2) for sub clause (i).
		(a) in the table in serial no.8 in column (2) for sub clause (i), the following sub-clause shall be substituted, namely:-
		 "(i) A railway container contractor, an air cargo operator, a courier service provider, who fails to disclose the name and complete address of consigner or consignee or if discloses such name or address of consigner or consignee is found bogus, forged or not verifiable; or the owner or person in-charge of a vehicle who obtained authorization for transit of goods from the officer incharge of entry check post but failed to deliver the same to the officer in-charge of the exit check post or fails to carry such documents as provided under section 52 and follow such procedure as may be prescribed." (b) in Explanation (I) for the word and figure "sub-section (5)" the word and figure "sub-section (4)" shall be
		substituted.
Amendment of section 3-A	4	In section 3-A of the principal Act,- (a) in sub-section (2) clause (b) shall be omitted. (b) sub-section (5) shall be omitted.
Insertion of new section 3-B	5	After section 3-A the following section shall be inserted, namely;-
		"3-B (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary Levy contained in any other provision of this Act but subject
		of to the provisions of sub-section (2), every dealer liable
		Cess to pay tax under this Act shall also be liable to pay in
		addition to the tax payable under any other provision of this Act, a cess on sale of petrol or diesel or both, at

such rate not exceeding five rupees per litre and at such point of sale, as may be specified by the State Government by notification in the Gazette.

(2) Cess under sub-section (1) shall be levied and paid only for such purposes as may be notified by the State Government and in the manner specified in such notification."

Amendment of 6 section 4 Amendment of 7 section 6

In section 4 of the principal Act, in sub-section (1) the second proviso shall be omitted.

In section 6 of the principal Act for sub-section (1) the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any other provision of this Act, but subject to other provisions of this section and the directions of the State Government, the assessing authority may agree to accept a composition money either in lump sum or at an agreed rate on his turnover of sale or purchase or both as the case may be, in lieu of tax that may be payable under this Act by a dealer in respect of such goods or class of goods and for such period as may be agreed upon:

Provided that in the case of a dealer not being a dealer executing works contract, who carries on exclusive business of re-sale of goods within the State after their purchase from a registered dealer within the State and whose turnover of sale of such goods, for any assessment year, does not exceed fifty lakh rupees or his turnover, for the assessment year preceding that assessment year, has not exceeded fifty lakh rupees, the State Government may notify a rate percent on sale of such goods. Different rates may be notified for different goods:

Provided further that any change in the rate of tax which may come into force after the date of such agreement shall have the effect of making a proportionate change in the lump sum or the rate agreed upon in relation to that part of the period of assessment during which the changed rate remains in force."

After section 8 of the principal Act the following section shall be Insertion of new 8 section 8-A inserted, namely:-8-A (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any other provisions of this Act and Liability wrong without prejudice to the provisions of section or false use 54, a person who issues a false or wrong certificate or declaration, prescribed under any certificate provision of this Act or the rules or the notification issued thereunder, to another person declaration by reason of which a tax leviable under this Act on the purchase or sale as the case may be, ceases to be leviable or becomes leviable at the concessional rate, shall be liable to pay an amount which would have been payable as tax on such purchase or sale as the case may be, had such certificate or declaration not been issued: Provided that before taking any action under this section the person concerned shall be given an opportunity of being heard. (2) No input tax credit shall be claimed or allowed in respect of the amount payable under this section. Where a person issuing a **Explanation:** certificate or declaration to use the goods purchased for such purpose as will make the tax not leviable or leviable at a concessional rate, but uses the same for a purpose other than such purpose, the certificate or declaration shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be wrong." In section 13 of the principal Act,-Amendment of (a) for sub-section (11) the following sub-section shall be section 13 substituted, namely:-"(11) Where it appears to the assessing authority that the amount of input tax or amount of input tax credit is incorrect

making an order in writing"

or is not worthy of credence, it may, after giving reasonable opportunity of being heard to such dealer and after making such inquiry as it may deem fit, determine the amount of input tax or amount of input tax credit, as the case may be, by

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		(b) after sub-section (11) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:-
		"(12) Where on account of any order passed under this Act or by depositing tax levied on enhanced turnover of purchase in case of best judgement assessment by the assessing authourity or otherwise, the amount of input tax credit varies, the account of input tax credit shall be amended accordingly."
Amendment of section 17	10	In section 17 of the principal Act, in sub-section (14), in Explanation (II),- (a) after sub-clause (e) the following sub-clause shall be inserted, namely:- "(f) is proprietor of a business and such business is succeeded by successor or successors of its proprietor on account of disability or death of such proprietor," (b) for the words "as the case may be, the partners of such partnership business," the words "the partners of such partnership business or successor or successors, as the case may be," shall be substituted.
Amendment of	11	In section 28 of the principal Act, in sub section (1) the following provisos shall be inserted at the end, namely:-
section 28		"Provided that where the aggregate turnover of any dealer, does not exceed rupees twenty five lakhs or such larger amount as may be determined by the State Government from time to time, in any assessment year, the commissioner shall determine the parameters and modalities to select the dealers for the annual assessment after examining the books of
		accounts or records of such dealers: Provided further that notwithstanding anything contained in section 26, the dealer not selected under the first proviso shall be deemed to have been assessed, on the last date of assessment year succeeding the assessment year in which the date of filing of annexures of consolidated details of the assessment year falls"
Amendment of section 29	12	In section 29 of the principal Act, in sub-section (12) for the words and figures "as prescribed in section 28" the words "as
Amendment of section 33	13	provided in this section" shall be substituted. In section 33 of the principal Act for the Explanation to subsection(2), the following Explanation shall be substituted, namely:-

The second of th	1	" Explanation: For the purposes of this sub-section, the tax
1		admittedly payable for a tax period or an assessment year, as the
		case may be, shall be computed in accordance with provisions of
		section 15 and shall include the amount payable under section
		8-A. "
Amendment of section 42	14	following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:-
		"(15) (a) The Commissioner may by order amend or cancel the Certificate of Entitlement before or after expiration of period of exemption or reduction in the rate of tax, where it is found that-
		(i) facility for refund in lieu of exemption or the reduction in rate of tax has been misused in any manner resulting in wrong amount of refund;
		(ii) the eligibility certificate issued or facility of exemption or reduction in rate of tax granted under the erstwhile Act has been cancelled or amended by a competent court or an authority;
		(iii) the Certificate of Entitlement has been obtained on the basis of mis-representation or concealment of fact:
		Provided that no Certificate of Entitlement shall be amended or cancelled without affording opportunity of being heard to the dealer.
\		(b) The order passed under clause (a) shall take effect from the date mentioned in the order:
		Provided that no order passed under this sub-section shall take effect before the date of incidence warranting amendment or cancellation of the Certificate of Entitlement.
		(c) Subject to the provisions of sections 57 and 58, the order
		passed under clause (a), shall be final."
Amendment of	15	In section 48 of the principal Act, in sub-section (5) for the words
section 48		"not exceeding forty percent of the value of such goods "the
		words "not exceeding forty percent of the value of such goods or
		tax payable under the Act on the value of such goods, whichever
		is higher" shall be substituted.
Amendment of	16	(1) In section 50 of the principal Act,-
section 50		(a) in sub-section (2),-
		(i) in clause (a) for the words "carry such declarations or
	ĺ	documents as may be prescribed" the words "carry duly
		filled such declarations or documents as may be prescribed"

shall be substituted:

- (ii) in clause (b) for the words "likewise carry such certificates and documents as may be prescribed" the words "likewise carry duly filled such certificates and documents as may be prescribed" shall be substituted;
- (b) in sub-section (4) for the word "detention" the word "seizure" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 54

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In section 54 of the principal Act, in sub-section (1), in the table,(a) for entries at serial nos. 5 and 6 the following entries shall columnwise be substituted, namely:-

Sl.no	Wrong	Amount of Penalty
(1)	(2)	(3)
5	Where the dealer has,- (i) failed to issue or has deliberately not issued a tax invoice or sale invoice; or (ii) deliberately not obtained tax invoice inspite of being a registered dealer while purchasing the goods liable to tax under this Act from a registered dealer; or (iii) not issued purchase invoice; in accordance with the provisions of this Act.	Tax payable on the value of goods or 40%
		Tax payable on the value of goods or 40% of the value of goods whichever is higher

(b) for the entries at serial nos. 14 and 15 the following entries

shall columnwise be substituted, namely:-

Sl.no	Wrong	Amount of Penalty
(1)	(2)	(3)
14	Where the dealer or any	(a) In case of registered
	other person, as the case	dealer,-
	may be, -	(i) 15% of the value of
	(i) imports or attempts to	goods if goods are of the
	import or abets the import	description as embodied
	of any goods, in	in Schedule-II or
	contravention of the	Schedule-III;
	provisions under section	, ,
	50 or section 51 with a	leviable on the goods if
	view to evading payment	goods are of the
	of tax on sale of-	description as embodied
	(a) such goods; or	in Schedule -V;
	(b) goods manufactured,	(iii) an amount equal to
	processed or packed by	tax payable on the value
	using such goods; or	of the goods if the rate of
	(ii) transports, attempts to	tax on goods exceeds
	transport any taxable	forty percent;
	goods in contravention of	(iv) in any other case
	any provisions of this Act;	40% of the value of the
		goods.
		(b) In case of a person
		other than the registered
		dealer tax payable on the
		value of goods or 40%
		of the value of goods
		whichever is higher;
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15	Where the driver or person	
	in charge of the vehicle, as	of goods or 40% of the
	the case may be,-	value of goods
	(i) fails to carry	
	documents referred to in	
	section 52 and also fails to	
	prove that goods carried in	

his vehicle are meant for delivery to dealers or persons outside the State; or

(ii) while carrying such documents for transit of goods through the State undertakes responsibility of handing over such goods to a bona-fide person inside the State for carrying them outside the State but fails to hand over such goods to such bona-fide person; or

(iii) being a person, who receives any goods from driver or person in charge of a vehicle for carrying them outside the State, does not carry such goods outside the State; or

(iv) being a transporter or hirer of a vehicle prepares goods-receipt by showing false destination of goods outside the State.

(c) for entries at serial no. 21B the following entries shall columnwise be substituted, namely:-

Sl.	Wrong	Amount of Penalty
no.		
(1)	(2)	(3)
21B	Where the dealer or any other person, as the case may be, has issued or received any tax invoice or	value of goods or 40% of the value of

		sale invoice or any other document pertaining to value of goods, as the case may be, containing value of goods undervalued to the extent more than fifty percent of the value of goods prevalent at the relevant time in the local market area where the transaction has taken place, with intention to evade payment of tax;	
Amendment of section 57	18	In section57 of the principal Act,- (a) in sub-section (4) for the words and figures "section 42" the words and figures "sub-section(3) and sub-section(15) or section42" shall be substituted; (b) in sub-section (12), in clause (d) for the words and figures "an order passed under section 42" the words and figures "are order passed by the Commissioner under section 42" shall be substituted.	
Amendment of section 70	19	For section 70 of the principal Act the following section shall b substituted, namely: "70. The State Government may assign commodity code t each category of commodities whether described in any entr of any Schedule of this Act or embodied in Schedule-V."	

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