## LEVY OF VAT, RATE OF TAXES & EXEMPTIONS

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## OBJECTIVES

- Brief about Levy of Tax Provisions
- Method of Calculating Tax payable
- Turnover Determination
- Details of Schedules
- Rate of Taxes
- Understanding Exemptions

#### LEVY OF VAT

#### Charging Section Chapter III, Section 4 of VAT Act

 The components of levy of taxation has been mentioned clearly by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of Govind Saran Gangasaran 60 STC 1(SC) 1985

## LEVY OF VAT

- 1. Taxable event Point of sale or purchase
- 2. Taxable person
  - a)Regular,
  - b)Casual,
  - c)Liable to be Registered
- 3. Rate of tax
- 4. Taxable Turnover

#### DEFINITIONS

 Section 2(34) -'Tax' means a tax on the sale or purchase of goods payable under the Act and includes:

Works contracts, Hire Purchase, Lease Transactions, Hoteliers etc.,

 Section 2(38) - Taxable turnover means the aggregate of sale prices of all taxable goods

## DEFINITIONS

- Section 2(39) -"Total turnover' means
- Aggregate of sale prices of all goods,
- Taxable & exempted,
- Sold at all places of business of the dealer in the State,
- whether directly by himself for through his agent or agents,
- including CST sales

## TURNOVER TAX

• Sec.2(40): Turnover (or) TOT:

A tax on the taxable turnover of dealers registered or liable to be registered for TOT

 Sec.2(41): Turnover Tax Dealer (or) TOT Dealer:

Any dealer who is registered or liable to be registered for TOT (As per Sec.17(7))

# SECTION -4 - CHARGING SECTION

• Sec. 4(1):

•Every dealer registered or liable to be registered as a VAT dealer , shall be liable to pay tax on every sale of goods in the State at the rates specified in the Schedules.



• Sec. 4(2) :

Every dealer, who has not opted for registration as a VAT dealer and who is registered or liable to be registered for Turnover Tax, shall pay tax at the rate of 1% on the taxable turnover in such manner as may be prescribed.

#### SECTION -4

 Sec. 4(3) : Every VAT dealer shall pay tax on every sale of goods taxable under the Act on the sale price at the rates specified in the Schedules III, IV and V, subject to the provisions of Section 13. Sec.4(4) : Purchase Tax

- (i)used as inputs for goods which are exempt from tax under the Act; or
- (ii)used as inputs for goods, which are disposed of otherwise than by way of sale (or)
- (iii) disposed of otherwise than by way of consumption

#### **SECTION 4**

- Sec.4(5) Special rates Schedule VI -Point of ......first sale
- Sec.4(6) Casual Traders –
  As applicable in Schedule



#### 4(7) – a)Works contract–Incorporation,

#### b)Works contract– Composition, Sub-Contracts,

c)Builders- Composition & Non Composition

## MEASURE OF TAX

- Taxable event in works contract is "transfer of property in goods involved in the execution of works contract".
- Measure of Tax is "value of goods at the time of incorporation".
- As works contract involves both goods and service, the determination of value of goods at the time of incorporation is difficult.

#### MEASURE OF TAX

- The Apex Court in 2<sup>nd</sup> Gannon and Dunkerly case (88 STC) has laid down the procedure to establish the value of goods at the time of incorporation.
- In Seven Hills Construction case (54 APSTJ), the controversy of computation of turnover on deduction vs. addition basis also ended.

- Sec.4(7)(a) For general contract, where value portion of goods in the contract has to be determined for Taxation. Tax as applicable to goods with ITC.
- Sec.4(7)(b) For composition contract, where Tax is paid at a reduced rate on the entire consideration @5% without ITC.

- Sec.4(7)(g) Exemption from Tax on goods if sold by contractor to contractee in the course of inter-state trade.
- Sec.4(7)(h) Exemption on amounts paid to a registered subcontractor.

- Sec.13(7) The input tax credit for a general contractor is limited to 75%.
- Sec.13(5)(a) No input tax credit for composition contractor.
- Sec.22(3) Tax deduction at source by Government Organization &Companies.

- The contract value is inclusive of Tax.
- Sec.22(3-A) Tax collection at source only by State Government Departments and Local Bodies when VAT is separately added over and above estimated contract value.

#### **SECTION 4**

- 4(8)- Transfer of Right to use goods (As per Schedule)
- 4(8A)- Transfer of Right to use the film by producers to Distributors & Exhibitors – May opt for composition





• 4.9(a)Hotels -3 Star and above @14.5%

#### (b)Other than (a) 5% on Food

(c)Other than (a)&(b)–Annual Turnover greater than 1.5 Crores @14.5%

(d)Up to 1.5 Crores @5%

## **SECTION 4**

- 4(10) Agent commission
- 4(11) Printing and supplying printing material Tax@ 5% on 60% receipts Under Composition
- 4(12) -5% on 20% of Total Turnover Option to Textile dealers Conditions –
  - 1. Maintenance of books of accounts
  - 2. Option form

## SECTION 6

Tax on packing material



- 1) When Goods are packed in any packing material liable to tax
  - •The rate of tax applicable is Goods rate
  - Conditions : Whether, the price of packing material is charged separately or not
- 2) If a Goods are exempt from Tax, the packing material shall also be exempted

#### VAT RATE OF TAXES SCHEDULES

Schedule	Rate of tax	Commodities	
Ι	List of goods Exempt from tax Under Section 7	Agricultural products, Printed Books, Electrical energy, Textiles, Seeds, Milk, Salt etc.,	
II	Transactions Zero-Rated and Eligible for ITC	CST sales, & Export sales	
III	List of goods taxable @ 1%	Gold & Jewellery	

Schedule	Rate of tax	Commodities
IV	List of goods taxable @5%	Drugs & Medicines, Readymade Garments, Hardware, Electronics, Fertilizers & Pesticides etc.,
V	Goods Taxable at Standard Rate (RNR) of 14.5%	Cosmetics, Plywood, Timber, Electrical Goods, Confectionery etc - All Goods other than those specified in Schedules I, III, IV and VI.
VI	Special rate Goods	Liquor, Petrol, Diesel, ATF & Tobacco

- <u>Goods</u> Schedule –I Section-7 –No ITC eligible
- <u>Transactions</u>
  - Section 7(A) Exemption of tax in
    Goods sold to SEZ & Developers of
    SEZ

- CST transactions,
- Interstate sales Exempt turnover- ITC eligible,
- Transit sale Exempt turnover ITC not eligible,
- Export sales Exempt turnover ITC eligible

- 'Exempt sale' means a sale of goods on which no tax is chargeable, and consequently no credit for input tax related to that sale is allowable;
- 2(13) Exempt sale No tax, No ITC

 2(14) 'Exempted Turnover' means the aggregate of sale prices of all goods exempted under the Act and full or part of the actual value or fair market value of all transactions not taxable under the provisions of the Act, including transactions falling under Section 6A of the \*(Sales Tax levy validation Act 1956;) "Central Sales Tax Act, 1956;"

#### DETERMINATION OF TAX PAYABLE

- Section 2(22) : 'Output tax' means the tax paid or payable by a VAT dealer (whether by himself for through his agent) on the sale of goods to another VAT dealer or any other person;
- Calculation of Tax payable as per Sec. 11 Read with Rule 19 is Output tax –Input tax

#### DETERMINATION OF TAX PAYABLE

 Section 2(19): 'Input tax' means the tax paid or payable under the Act by a VAT dealer (whether directly by himself or through his agent on his behalf) to another VAT dealer on the purchase of goods in the course of business;

## RULE -16

#### Determination of Taxable Turnover :

- Taxable Turnover does not include
  - Discounts
  - Interest on Hire Purchase
  - Cancelled Sale
  - Variations
  - Return Goods

#### **TURNOVER DETERMINATION**



Example :

#### Sale: A

100 T.Vs @ 10,000/- Each = Rs.10,00,000/-@ 14.5% VAT = Rs. 1,45,000/-

#### Purchase :B

- 100 T.Vs @ 8,500/- Each @ 14.5% VAT
- A = Total VAT payableB = Total ITCA-B = Total Tax payable

- = Rs.8,50,000/-
- = Rs.1,23,250/-
- = Rs.1,45,000/-
- = Rs.1,23,250/-
- = Rs. 21,750/-

## FINAL WORD

- Knowing the Charging Sections and Rules
- Clarity in arriving at
  - Total Turnover,
  - Taxable Turnover
  - Exempt Turnover
- Rate of tax applicability

# Q & AQuestion and Answers

