



GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
(Commercial Taxes Department)

No:Adcom(I&C)/AC/CR-22/2010-11

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CCT'S CIRCULAR NO.18/2010-11, DATED 31-01-2011

Sub: The new 'e-SUGAM' Notification dated 25-01-2011
making it mandatory to upload certain goods into
the Department's websites before transportation
persuading the dealers for – reg.

Ref: 1) CCT's Notification No.Adcom/I&C/AC/CR-22/2010-11
dated 25-4-2010.

2) CCT's Circular No.17/2010-11 dated 25-1-2011.

The new 'e-SUGAM' notification is issued on 25-01-2011 and it comes into effect from 01-02-2011. The importance and features of the said notification are already stated in the circular referred to at reference (2) above. The goods which are to be uploaded in to the Departmental website before transportation as a result of sale or the as a result of purchase from outside the State or when transported not as a result of sale is specified in the said notification.

After the issue of the said notification, certain representatives of trade and industry have approached this office and have represented that the time allowed for implementing the notification is too short and that many small traders who are dealing in the notified goods do not have computers nor do they have the knowledge of the computers and that due to frequent fluctuation in power supply, they may not be able to upload the information leading to levy of penalty by the Departmental officers etc.

The plea of the representatives of the trade and industry is considered. It is decided to observe the month of February 2011 i.e., from 01-02-2011 on which date the

new 'e-SUGAM' notification comes into effect till 28-0-2011 as "e-SUGAM' notification observance month" to educate the dealers about the advantages of using 'e-SUGAM' facility and to persuade the dealers to comply with the said notification. The Departmental officers are, therefore, directed that **the goods which are newly added in the 'e-SUGAM' notification dated 25-01-2011 for mandatory uploading** into the Department's website before transporting the goods **should not be levied with penalty** for non-compliance during the month of February 2011 but to educate the dealers/transporters and to persuade them to upload the information into the Departmental websites.

The new 'e-SUGAM' notification should be made dealer-friendly and therefore the officers at the Check-posts, Mobile Check-posts and other enforcement officers must ensure that the dealers/transporters are not inconvenienced and should be persuaded and helped to upload the information so that hereafter they should be able to upload the information themselves without the assistance of others.

For dealers who do not have facility of computer, a new software is being put in place in about a week's time for enabling dealers to upload the details of goods to be transported into the Department's website through their own mobile phones.

It is expected and hoped that the Departmental personnel would whole heartedly ensure that the month of February 2011 is observed as "e-SUGAM' notification observance month" and take measures to popularise the 'e-SUGAM' facility.



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