Sub: Non payment of GST on Music, Dance and Drama Audition Fees -reg.

Some of the field units such as AIR Station, News Division, etc. are conducting auditions (for Music, Dance, Drama, Anchoring, etc.) of various participants. For this purpose, they are also collecting audition fee from the participants.

It has come to the notice that many units are not collecting GST on such audition fees collected from the participants. This results into non-compliance to GST provisions and may attract penal provisions of GST Act(s) and rules made thereunder.

To comply with the provisions of GST Act(s), the concerned sections which conduct audition should invariably issue GST compliant invoices to the participants and send the details of the invoices issued to the concerned DDO so that DDO can send the details to the concerned SNO for discharging GST liability against such invoices.

Both AIR and Doordarshan Directorates are requested to circulate these instructions among all concerned units and ensure its compliance to avoid application of penal provisions of GST Act(s).

This is issued with the approval of Competent Authority.

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