

The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India GST & Indirect Taxes Committee

GOODS & SERVICES TAX UPDATE-233

Union Government establishes GST Appellate Tribunal from September 1, 2023

The Ministry of Finance has issued <u>Notification No. S.O. 3048(5) dated 31.7.2024</u> to establish Goods and Services Tax Appellate Tribunal (GSTAT) with effect from **September 1, 2023**. The Principal Bench of the GSTAT has been constituted at New Delhi and State Benches have been notified as under:

Sl.No.	State Name	No. of Benches	Location	Sitting / Circuit
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1	Vijayawada	Vishakhapatnam
2	Bihar	1	Patna	-
3	Chhattisgarh	1	Raipur	-
4	Delhi	1	Delhi	-
5	Gujarat	2	Ahmedabad	-
6	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu		Surat	Rajkot
7	Haryana	1	Gurugram	Hissar
8	Himachal Pradesh	1	Shimla	-
9	Jammu and Kashmir	1	Jammu	Srinagar
10	Ladakh			
11	Jharkhand	1	Ranchi	-
12	Karnataka	2	Bengaluru	-
13	Kerala	1	Ernakulum	Thiruvananthapuram
14	Lakshadweep			
15	Madhya Pradesh	1	Bhopal	-

16	Goa		Mumbai	Panaji (Circuit)
17	Maharashtra	3	Pune	Thane
			Nagpur	Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
18	Odisha	1	Cuttack	-
19	Punjab	1	Jalandhar	Chandigarh
20	Chandigarh			
21	Rajasthan	2	Jaipur	-
			Jodhpur	-
22	Tamil Nadu	2	Chennai	Puducherry (Circuit)
23	Puducherry		Madurai	Coimbatore
24	Telangana	1	Hyderabad	-
25	Uttar Pradesh		Lucknow	-
		3	Varanasi	Prayagraj
			Ghaziabad	Agra
26	Uttarakhand	1	Dehradun	-
27	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	2	Kolkata	-
28	Sikkim			
29	West Bengal			
30	Arunachal Pradesh	1	Guwahati	Aizawl
31	Assam			(Circuit) Agartala
32	Manipur			(Circuit)
33	Meghalaya			Kohima (Circuit)
34	Mizoram			
35	Nagaland			
36	Tripura			

Circuit locations will be operational in such manner as the President may order, based on the number of appeals filed by suppliers in the respective States/jurisdictions. The additional sitting associated with a bench will be operated by one Judicial Member and one Technical Member.

Notification No. S.O. 3048(5) dated 31.7.2024 has replaced the earlier Notifications numbered

S.O.1(E) dated 14th September 2023 and S.O.4073(E) dated 29th December 2023 which had notified State Benches at various locations and Principal Bench at New Delhi respectively.

Notification No. S.O. 3048(E) dated 31.7.2024 (Ministry of Finance, Department of Revenue)

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