Subject: Three days Residential Workshop for departmental Officers of the rank of Additional Commissioner and above of Customs & Central Excise Department from 1st to 3rd May, 2017 at National Judicial Academy, Bhopal.

1. The National Academy of Customs, Excise and Narcotics, Faridabad in coordination with National Judicial Academy (NJA), Bhopal is organizing three days residential workshop for the officer of the rank of Additional Commissioner and above of Customs and Central Excise Department from 1st to 3rd May, 2017 at National Judicial Academy, Bhopal. Tentative list of topics, which may be included in the schedule training programmes are

   (a) Authority to tax and core principles for interpretation of taxing statutes.
   (b) Role of Adjudicators; balancing the interests of citizens and Revenue.
   (c) Judging skills-objectives in decision making, judicial ethics, and drafting of reasoned Orders
   (d) Rules of natural justice and application in assessment proceedings.
   (e) Appreciation of Evidence including Electronic Evidence.
   (f) Tentative names of resource persons are as per annexure enclosed.

In view of direct relevance of these topics with Commissioner (Appeals) work, Chief Commissioners are requested to nominate Commissioner (Appeals) also for the said Course

2. Nominations may be sent by email to adist.nacen@gov.in not later than 15th April, 2017. As the size of the batch is limited to 30 only, nominations will be considered on first come first serve basis received through email only (other modes of nominations will not be considered). The telephone/mobile numbers and e-mail ids (in capital letters) of the nominated officers may also be indicated in the nomination letters so as to facilitate contact/communication. Nomination received after 15th April, 2017 will not be accepted.

3. The arrangement for the lodging and boarding will be made by the Academy. However, the payment of the same will have to paid by the participants themselves, which they can get reimbursed from their respective offices.
4. It may kindly be ensured that once nominated, officers do report for attending the training course as last minute cancellation/withdrawal results in considerable administrative and financial issues.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As above.

(Reena Arya)
Additional Director General

To,

1. The Chief Commissioners of Customs (All)
2. The Chief Commissioners of Central Excise (All)
3. The Chief Commissioners of Customs & Central Excise (All)
4. The Chief Commissioners of LTU (All)
5. The Directors General (All Directorates General under CBEC)
6. The Chief Departmental Representative, CESTAT, New Delhi
7. All Commissioners of Customs
8. All Commissioners of Central Excise
9. All Commissioners of Audit Commissionerate
10. All Commissioners of Service Tax
11. All Commissioners of LTU’s
12. Website of CBEC and NACEN
Names of Resource Persons (tentative)

1) Justice G. Raghuram, Director, NIA.
2) Hon'ble Ms. Justice Ruma Pal, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India.
3) Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. C. Dharmadhikari, Judge Bombay High Court (Special Tax Bench)
4) Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. P. Colabawala, Judge Bombay High Court (Special Tax Bench)
5) Hon'ble Mr. Justice R.V. Easwar, Former Judge, Delhi High Court
6) Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajive Bhalla, Former Judge, Punjab & Haryana High Court
7) Shri M.V. Ravindran, Judicial Member, CESTAT
8) Ms. Sulekha Beevi C.S, Judicial Member, CESTAT
9) Shri B. Ravichandran, Technical Member, CESTAT
10) Shri C.J. Matthew, Technical Member, CESTAT
11) Shri Madhu Mohan Damodhar, Technical Member, CESTAT
12) Shri Arvind P. Datar, Senior Advocate, Madras High Court