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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Revenue
Central Board of Direct Taxes

New Delhi, the 20th February, 2017

To,

All Principal Chief Commissioners of Income Tax.

Madam/Sir,

Sub:- Modifications to the instruction No. 6/2016 for engagement of Special Public Prosecutors (SPPs) to represent the Income Tax Department before Courts of Session and its subordinate courts- Reg.

Ref:- CBDT Instruction No. 6/2016 dated 7th September 2016.

Kindly refer to the above.

2. Instruction No. 6/2016 of CBDT (hereinafter "Instruction") has revised the guidelines for engagement of Special Public Prosecutors(SPPs) to represent the Income Tax Department before various courts. Certain suggestions to modify the said Instruction were given by Ministry Of Law and Justice (MOLJ).
3. In this regard and as per the discussions with MOLJ following shall be added in para 2.2(b) of the said instruction. "In Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai and Bangalore, a Joint Secretary Level Officer from Ministry of Law and Justice (MoLJ) shall be requested to be part of the Screening Committee."
4. This modification will apply to all Screening Committees constituted after 20.02.2017 and may be brought to the notice of all the officers concerned.

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5. This issues with the approval of Member (A&J) CBDT.
6. Hindi version of this will follow.

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