

Dr. Shivakumara Swamiji the 'Walking God' who left no one behind



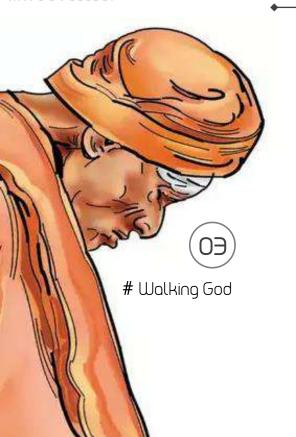
Happy New Year!

On this 12th January 2019, we would be completing S years as HIVE. Over the past five years, we have been privileged to work with some amazing clients. Thanks to all of our families, clients and colleagues for the support over the last five years. As we move into year six, we continue to be excited about the firm and about the opportunities that still await all of us.

Over these years, we have moved to a bigger space, we have expanded our team, we have increased our client base and we are consistently working on the betterment of our systems and deliverables.

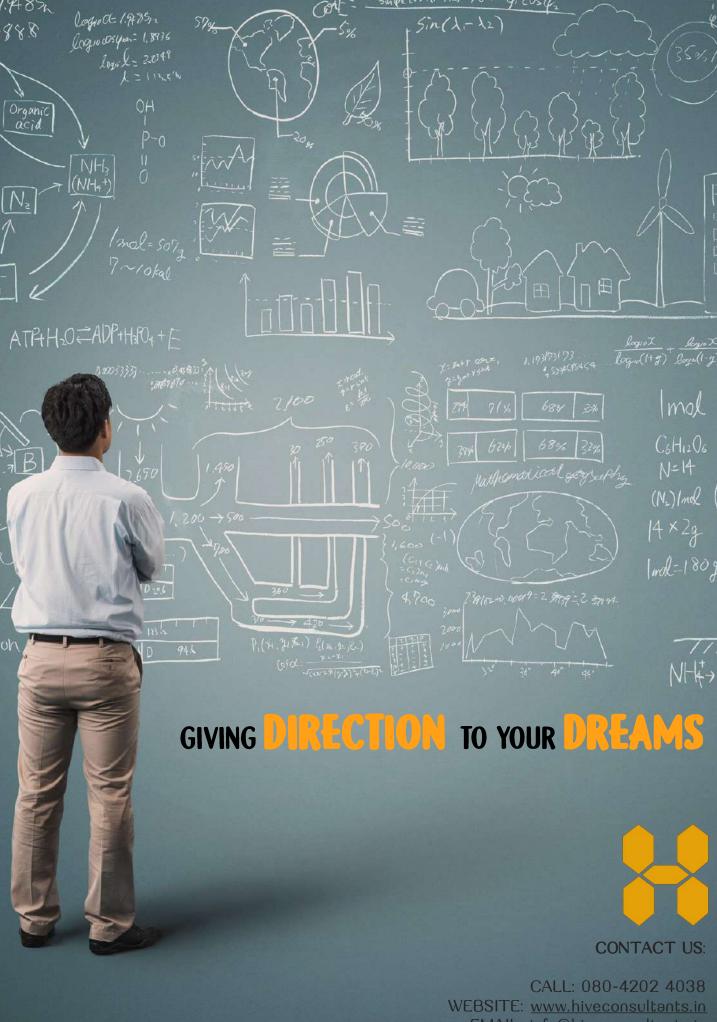
12th January, which is the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, who will remain as an inspiration for us always. As quoted by him, "Things do not grow better; they remain as they are. It is we who grow better, by the changes we make in ourselves." We would like to grow better and stronger this year with all the support. We are proud of how far we have come and we have faith in how far we an go.

Wish you all a very happy and prosperous new year. We wish you luck, prosperity, health and more success.

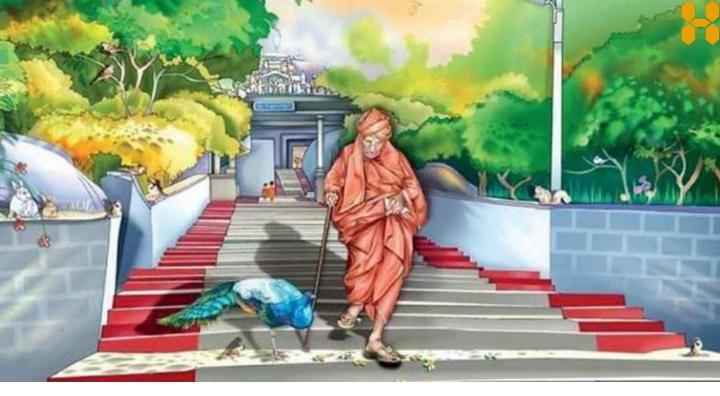


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Walking God

enerations of doctors. engineers, businessmen and working in professionals fields remember Shivakumara Swami, seer of Siddaganga mutt education at the rural anglowho passed away on 21-Jan- vernacular 2019, as a champion of the Nagavalli downtrodden. Αt Э when higher education was school in Tumakuru in 1927. beyond the reach of the He then enrolled at Central and underprivileged, College, accessible to those in need, and caste.

People revered him 'Trividha Dasohi' — the one in 1930. who provided education, food, and spiritual guidance. Dr. Shivakumara Swami, popularly known as 'Nadedaduva Devaru' [Walking God], was initiated strength of 200 and was

into Viraktha Ashrama 1930. Before becoming called seer, he was Shivanna. He was born on teachers, April 1, 1908, at Veerapura Magadi təluk from various Ramanagaram district.

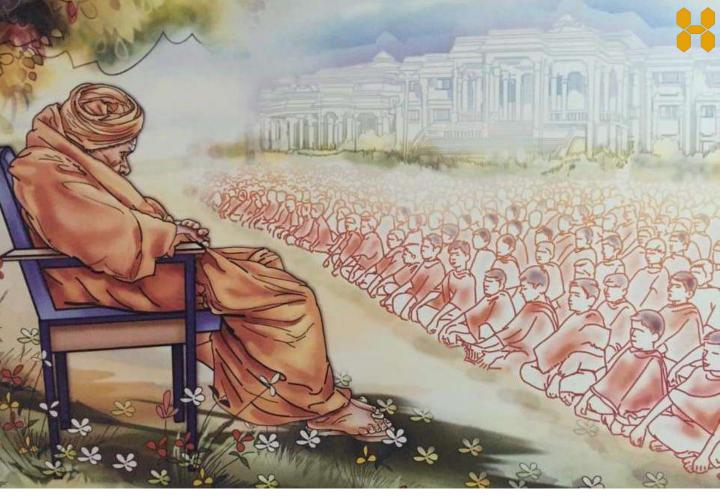
school and graduated time from the government high continues to this day. Bangalore the seer strove to make it University, where he studied physics and mathematics as irrespective of their religion optional subjects, but was unable to get his degree as he was made the successor as of Uddana Shivayogi Swami

> In 1941, at the age of 33, he assumed full responsibility of the mutt. At the time, the Gurukula had Э student

in struggling for resources.

Undeterred by the odds, the young seer went with his 'jolige' to villages on foot to of collect foodgrains and vegetables from people to feed the hungry at the mutt. the He completed his primary Farmers and others were generous in their donation of in funds, foodgrains, vegetables and fruits — a tradition that





English Classes

For more than 50 years, he instructed students and taught "As them English. many students were from rural areas, they were not familiar with the language. The seer would hold special classes from 6 a.m. to 7 a.m. for class 10 students," said o Under Dr. Channabasappa. Former remember students seer's insistence that they learn to spell correctly.

Today, more 8,000 than students are given food. accommodation and irrespective of education, religion, caste and their creed, at the mutt. Pilgrims and visitors are served food for free at the mutt.

Social Work

- Gurukula houses more than 10,000 children and is open to children from who əll religions are provided free food. education, and shelter. The pilarims to the mutt also receive free meals.
- his guidance, annual agricultural fair is held for the benefit of the local population.
- Government o The Karnataka announced the institution of Shivakumara Prashasti Swamiji 2007, the centennial birth o In 2017, the Government anniversary of Swamiji.
- o A.P.J.Abdul Kalam. the former President of India. visited him at Tumkur and praised the initiatives of Swami in education and humanitarian work.

Awards and Recognition

- recognition o In of his humanitarian work, he was conferred with of honorary degree Doctor of Literature by the Karnataka University in 1965.
- o On his centenary in 2007, the Government of Karnataka awarded Swami the prestigious Karnataka Ratna award, the highest civilian award of the state.
- In 2015 the Government of awarded India him the Padma Bhushan.
- Karnataka and his followers sought Bharat Ratna for him for his social service.

Processing of Income Tax Return



ITR is the summation of the Incomes earned by the assessee during the Previous year. Now that, we have already filed our ITR's for the year 2017-18 understanding the ITR processing is important, to ensure filing of returns are processed without errors. Such processing of the ITR by the Income Tax Department is called as Assessment.

With millions of tax returns filed every year, there was a need to automate this process of assessment of these tax returns or else it would be a never ending task to be carried out by the Income-tax department. Hence CBDT introduced a scheme of centralised processing of these returns to determine the tax liability or refund.

Processing of Income Tax Returns

The Processing of ITR's is governed under the provisions of Sec 143 of Income Tax Act. The Assessment of ITR is done in two stages,

- o Preliminary Assessment Done under section 143[1] of Income-tax Act 1961:
- o Scrutiny Assessment done under section 143[2] of Income Tax Act, 1961

Preliminary Assessment

- o Completely computerized and automated
- o CPC validates the tax returns filed by the taxpayer based on the records available with the tax department
- o Generates a intimation in case any kind of mismatch is found

Various steps carried out by the CPC processor are as below:

Total Income or loss are recomputed by CPC the by comparing ITR with records available with Income-tax department and any found mismatch through arithmetic calculation recorded.

An intimation letter is generated which have two columns. One depicts the values as provided by the taxpayer in his return and second depicts the values as computed CPC under section 143[1]

Adjustments are made to income and taxpayer final tax liability refund calculated

Taxpayer to receive an email with attachment containing intimation under section 143[1]

Four major categories under this comparison

Taxpayers Deductions income under per Chapter-ViA 80C, 80D, various heads & Gross total et.c. income

Tax Computation as per IT Act

TDS & tax payments as done by the taxpayer in form of advance tax and self-assessment tax.





Intimation with no demand or no refund

This generally takes place when returns filed by the taxpayer is accepted as it is without carrying out any kind of adjustment.

Refunds are automatically transferred to taxpayer's account while demand notice wait for taxpayer to fulfil his tax liability.

Intimation determining demand

This kind of adjustments are made under Section 143[1] when discrepancy is found in the return and tax liability is arrived.

Intimation determining refund

This kind of intimation is issued when the interest or tax is to be refunded to taxpayer. This may happen with two scenarios,

where the return filed is found without any discrepancy

adjustments are made under section 143[1] results in refund

अहा कर संगणना INCOME TAX COMPUTATION (IN RUPEES)						
ne tius SI.No.	farm Particulars	क्षरण ३२ वसं त्रीत Reporting Heads	क्षयक द्वारा अस विकर्ण में हिए बीरे As Provided by Taxpayer in Return of Income	লমা 143(1) ল কর্মণ গণ্টান As Computed Under Section 143(1)		
1	ज्या श्री HEADS OF INCOME	there is see	0	0		
2		गृह संपर्ध से आप INCOME FROM HOUSE PROPERTY	0	0		
3		অব্যাহ আ বুলি বা লাখ কো বানিআ INCOME FROM BUSINESS OR PROFESSION	3,32,870	3,32,870		
4		पूर्ण अर्थालय INCOME FROM CAPITAL GAINS	0	0		
5		अन्य भूत्रों से आय INCOME FROM OTHER SOURCES	1,19,740	1,19,740		
6		रीमें के अंतरीत समायेजन INTRA HEAD ADJUSTMENTS	NA	0		
7		कुत (वीर्ष के संवर्धत समझोजन केपान) TOTAL (AFTER INTRA HEAD ADJUSTMENTS) 7=(1+2+3+4+5)-6	4,52,610	4,52,610		
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स्थती चत	ा शंक्या PAN:	ਾਸ Name		tn nt thfe Date of order 30-10-2018
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10		GROSS TOTAL INCOME 10=7-(8+9)	4,52,610	4,52,610
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13	DEDUCTIONS UNDER CHAPTER VI A	अञ्चार VI र ने अधीन कुत नवितिता TOTAL DEDUCTIONS UNDER CHAPTER VIA	1,51,460	1,51,460
14		क्रेसियां केश्रव कुन अग TOTAL INCOME AFTER DEBUCTIONS 14=(10-12-13)	3,01,150	3,01,150
15		राह्य दुर्मा आत्र / चर के प्रमोजन के लिए केंद्रेजच्छात NET AGRICULTURAL INCOME/ ANY OTHER INCOME FOR RATE PURPOSE	0	٥
16		शक्त आत AGGREGATE INCOME (14+15)	3,01,150	3,01,150

Kinds of Adjustments that are done under Section 143[1]

Various kinds of adjustments that are done while evaluating the total income or loss by the CPC-

- o Arithmetic error as found in returns.
- o Error in inter-head/ intra head setoff of losses
- o Incorrect claim that is found from the information as provided by the taxpayer in his return when compared to information records with the Income-tax department. Eq. Mismatch in Income and TDS claim as compared with 26AS
- o Disallowance of set off loss which is found in that financial year is carried forward from the P.Y. while return is being filed beyond the due date.
- o Any kind of disallowance of expenditures which are indicated in the audit report however is not indicated in the returns form.

On one hand, Government has made filing of ITR's mandatory for all tax payers, on the other hand it has taken the right step to process the same irrespective of the level of income and taxes. Thus, every return which has been filed electronically, shall be processed by the CPC and intimation shall be sent out to the assessee.

WRITE TO US @ BHIVE@HIVECONSULTANTS.IN, FOR ANY QUERIES WITH RESPECT TO UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR INTIMATION U/S 143(1) RECEIVED FROM IT DEPARTMENT.





DCIT v. Ganesh Khand Udyog Sahakari Mandali Ltd. [Surat Trib]

Co-operative society enjoys special status that it has own individuality and distinctness in the scheme of the IT Act. A Co-operative society is a voluntary AOP, it is economic institution formed for social purpose and not motivated by entrepreneurial profits by distinguishing it from the association of business. Therefore, the provisions of section 40A[2][b] would not apply to co-operative society. Hence, no disallowance under that section can be made in the assessment of co-operative society



DCIT v. IBM India [P.] Ltd. [Bangalore Trib]

If there is no provision in DTAA to tax fees for Technical Services, payment made by assessee to avail technical service of its AE, would be taxed as per article 7 but in absence of PE in India, said income was not chargeable to tax in India.

Unifac Management Services [I] P] Ltd. v. DCIT [Mad HC]

Scope of section 43B and section 36[1][va]] are different and thus, there is no question of reading both provisions together to consider as to whether assesseemployer is entitled to deduction in respect of sum belatedly paid towards employee's PF contribution, and therefore, for considering such question, application of section 36[1][va] read with section 2[24][x] alone is proper course

BCCI v. ITO [Mum Tri]

Where assessee trust claimed expenditure towards travel expenses of its office bearer claiming that he had gone to Delhi to pursue application of assessee under section 10[23] before CBDT, since assessee had not furnished details along with corresponding invoices and vouchers in respect of such visit of its office bearer and, thus, failed to justify such travel expenditure, Assessing Officer had correctly disallowed same



Microfinish Valves [P.] Ltd. v. ACIT [Bangalore Trib]

Deemed dividend can be assessed only in hands of a person who is a shareholder of lender company and not in hands of a person other than a shareholder

Periar Trading Company [P.]]Ltd. v. ITO [Mum Tri]

Conversion of cumulative compulsory convertible preference shares [CCPS] into equity shares could not be considered as transfer within meaning of section 2[47]



ANGEL TAX

- o The requirement of 'Merchant Banker Valuation' has been done away with for recognised startups
- o For claiming exemption u/s 56[2][viib], the approval from Inter-Ministerial Board is no longer required. Instead, DIPP shall send the applications seeking exemptions to the CBDT. CBDT shall approve or reject within 45 days.
- o The application for approval shall be made in Form-2 to DIPP along with the specified documents therein.
- o The application can be made by a recognised startup, either for shares already issued or for a proposed investment.

GST Council [32nd Meeting]

☐ GST Registration

Basic exemption limit for suppliers of goods will be increased from Rs 20 lakhs to Rs 40 lakhs. However, this limit remains Rs 20 lakhs for suppliers of services. For the special category States, the limit for registration is currently at Rs 10 lakhs is increased up to Rs 20 lakhs.

☐ New Composition scheme for Services providers

Those suppliers rendering either independent services or providing a mixed supply of goods & services with a turnover of up to Rs 50 lakhs p.a in the preceding financial year, can join this scheme. The Tax rate is fixed at 6% 3% CGST +3% SGST]

☐ Changes to existing Composition scheme

- o Increase in the limit to opt into the scheme will be increased up to Rs 1.5 crore effective from 1st April 2019.
- o Tax to be paid Quarterly and GST Returns to be filed annually.

[Note: The effective changes to GST Composition scheme for both suppliers of goods and services will apply from 1st April 2019

☐ Consensus received for charging calamity cess in Kerala

Kerala has been given an approval to charge Disaster/ calamity cess of up to 1% on all the intra-state supplies of goods and services within Kerala, for up to two years

□ GST Rate cuts

- No changes in GST Rates until Revenue spikes, recommended by the GST council
- No GST rate cut on sale of under construction flats. Instead, a 7 member group of ministers is formed to study the implications of reducing the rates from 12% to 5% on supply of such under construction properties.
- o Further, No GST rate cuts on the Private lottery distributions. A Group of ministers will be formed with representatives from developing and selling states
- ☐ Free Accounting and Billing Software to be given to Small Taxpayers by GSTIN
- ☐ Recommendations of GST Council on reduction of GST Rates



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GST NON RESIDENT TAX PAYER (NRTP)

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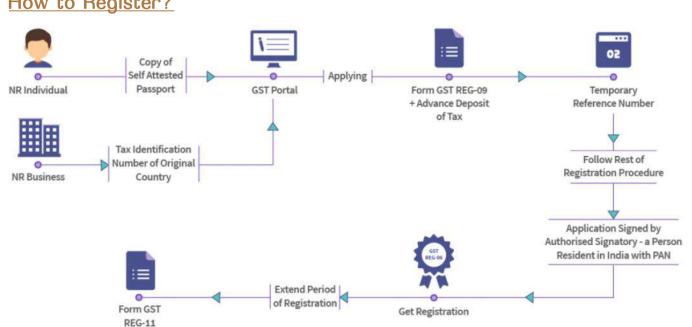
If you are a non-resident and plan to set up a business here, then you must register under GST. Please read our article the **GST** on provisions applicable to non-residents to understand the requirements for GST filing by NRIs.

NRTP?

"Non-resident taxable person" means any person who occasionally undertakes transactions involving supply of goods or services or both, whether as principal or agent or in any other capacity, but who has no fixed place of business or residence in India.

- o has to compulsorily take registration
- o no threshold limit for registration
- o cannot opt for composition levy.

How to Register?



Input Tax Credit:

Input tax credit shall not be available in respect of goods or services or both received by a non-resident taxable person except on goods imported by him.

The taxes paid by a nonresident taxable person shall be available as credit to the respective recipients.

Returns:

NRTP shall furnish return in FORM- GSTR-5.

It shall include the details

of outward supplies and inward supplies and shall pay the tax, interest etc., The Return shall be filed within twenty 20 days əfter the end of calendar month or within seven days after the last day of the validity period of registration, whichever is earlier.

Refund:

The amount of advance tax deposited by a NRTP under, will be refunded only after the person has furnished all the returns required in respect of the entire period for which certificate the of registration granted to him had remained in force. Refund can be applied in the serial no. 13 of the FORM GSTR -5.



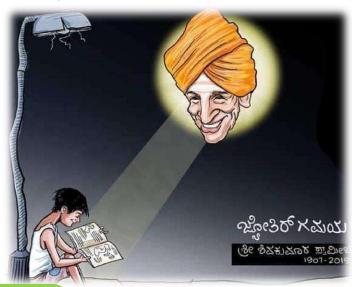
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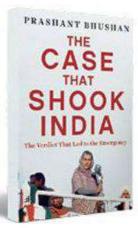


'Ambition is my drug, Success is the only cure.

Natural Remedies Milk + turmeric



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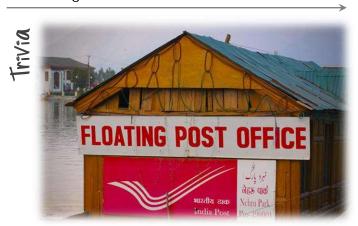
- 328 pages
- o Published in 2017
- o Penguin Random House

On 12 June 1975, for the first time independent India's history, the election of a prime minister was set aside by a high judgment. The court watershed case, Indira Gandhi v. Raj Narain,

acted as the catalyst for the imposition of the Emergency.

The author, advocate Prashant Bhushan, provides a blow-by-blow account of the goings-on inside the courtroom as well as the manoeuvrings outside it, including threats, bribes and deceit. As the case goes to the Supreme Court, we see how a ruling government can misuse legislative power to save the PM's election.

An essential ingredient found in almost all Indian kitchens, turmeric has a strong antioxidant which helps in treating many health problems. Turmeric mixed in warm milk is a popular and effective way to fight against cold and cough. Drinking a of warm turmeric milk before sleeping helps in faster recovery from cold and cough.



India has the largest postal network in the world with over 1, 55,015 post offices. A single post office on an average serves a population of 7,175 people. The floating post office in Dal Lake, Srinagar, was inaugurated in August 2011.