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Dear *Chief Commissioner/Director General/Principal Commissioner*,

I hope you have settled in your office after the conclusion of the *राजस्व ज्ञान संगम* Annual Conference of Tax Administrators 2016. I wish to put on record your dynamic participation that made the Conference a great success. While the Minutes are being issued separately, I wish to draw your attention on the discussion connected with “**Road Map for Implementation of GST**”. You will also recall that the Department has provided all participants a pen drive containing the PPT files on all subjects, including that on GST that deliberated during the Conference. The Board also intends to place all the presentations on Antarang, inter-departmental portal, for the officers to access it for their information. The Model GST Law is also available on CBEC website for reference.

2. The concerns expressed by the officers during the discussions on the Model Law are noted. It has been opined by many that certain provisions do not seem to be consistent with the existing policy of the Government with regard to measures taken for Ease of Doing Business, Taxpayers facilitation and overall, the predominant interest of Central revenues.

3. I request you to hold wide ranging discussions with all your officers in the field viz., Commissioners/Additional-Joint Commissioners / Deputy - Assistant Commissioners/ Superintendents / Inspectors on the Model GST Law after sharing the presentation with them and firm up your comments quickly. As the time is running out, I hope you will furnish your comments urgently to the Board, for further action.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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To : All Chief Commissioners / Directors General/Principal Commissioners