

CUSTOMS, EXCISE & SERVICE TAX APPELLATE TRIBUNAL
PRINCIPAL BENCH, WEST BLOCK NO.2, R.K.PURAM, NEW DELHI-110066
CUSTOMS APPEAL BRANCH

STAY Application No. : ST/Stay/1764/2012
Appeal No. : ST/727/2012-CU[DB]

Dated: 16/08/2012

Assistant Registrar
C.E.S.T.A.T. New Delhi
To,

Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti
Kherli, alwar

Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti

(Appellant)

VS

C.C.E. & S.T.-Jaipur-i

(Respondent)

I am directed to transmit herewith a certified copy of Final Order No. ST/A/542/2012-CU[DB], Stay/MISC Order No. ST/SO/847/2012 and dated 13/08/2012 passed by the Tribunal under section 01(5) of the Finance Act, 1994 relating to Service Tax Act, 1994.

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1. Respondent

C.C.E. & S.T.-Jaipur-i
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**CUSTOMS, EXCISE & SERVICE TAX
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West Block No. 2, R.K. Puram,
NEW DELHI**

COURT NO. II

ST/Stay/1764/2012 in & appeal No. 727/2012-CU

[Arising out of Order-in-Appeal No. 24(AKJ)/ST/JPR-I/2012
dated 23.2.2012 passed by the Commissioner (Appeals)
Central Excise & Customs, Jaipur-I]

Date of hearing/decision: 13th August, 2012

M/s. Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti

Appellant

Reptd. By Shri Rahul Lakhwani, C.A.

Versus

CST, Jaipur-I

Respondent

Reptd. By Shri N. Pathak, D.R.

Coram: Hon'ble Shri D.N. Panda, Judicial Member;
Hon'ble Shri Mathew John, Technical Member

FINAL ORDER NO. ST/A/542/12-CU DATED

Per D.N. Panda: Stay order No. ST/A/847/12-CU.

Learned Chartered Accountant says that allotment fees received by the appellant has been brought to tax under Finance Act, 1994 holding the same to be rental receipt from immovable property.

2. Once this is the pleading, we examined the show cause notice as well as adjudication order. These documents do not throw light as to the materials which enabled the authority to come to conclusion of taxability when Para 6 of the order does not exhibit a detailed examination on the nature of receipts. The appellant had defence reply which has been

recorded in Para 10 of the order. Today sample copy of the receipt has been shown to us to impress that the receipts were of 'Fees' in nature. We are unable to draw any opinion at this stage without the evidence being tested by the officers at grass root level. Therefore, considering that interim order shall serve no purpose, we remand back the matter to learned Adjudicating Authority to examine the issue afresh on the basis of evidence available on record and the material which guided the authority to issue the show cause notice to arrive at the appropriate conclusion as to the nature of the receipts and then consider taxability thereof. Without such process being followed it is very difficult to approve adjudication order.

3. Therefore, dispensing with requirement of pre-deposit appeal is remanded to learned Adjudicating Authority to re-do the adjudication examining nature of transaction, event of levy, taxability of taxable service if any provided and applicability of other provisions of Finance Act, 1994. Adjudication is to be completed in accordance with law granting fair opportunity of hearing to the appellant. We may add that in the interest of Revenue adjudication may be completed expeditiously.

(Dictated & pronounced in the Open Court.)

(D.N. PANDA)
JUDICIAL MEMBER

(MATHEW JOHN)
TECHNICAL MEMBER

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