No. 407/16/2016-AVD-IV(LP) Bharat Sarkar/Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions Department of Personnel and Training

New Delhi, the 29th July, 2016

Office Memorandum

Subject: Declaration of Assets and Liabilities by public servants under section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013 - filing of Returns by public servants - extension of last date - regarding

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's OMs No.407/12/2014-AVD. IV(B) dated 12th April, 2016, No. 407/02/2016-AVD. IV(Lokpal) dated 24th June, 2016 and No. 407/02/2016- AVD. IV(Lokpal) dated 4th July, 2016 as also Secretary(Personnel)'s D.O. letter No. 407/12/2014- AVD. IV(B) vol. iII dated 5th July. 2016 OM addressed to all Secretaries, regarding the furnishing of information relating to assets and liabilities by public servants under section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas

- 2. In this regard, it is stated that the last date for furnishing of declaration/information/annual return as on 01.08.2014, 31.03.2015 and 31.03.2016 relating to assets and liabilities by public servants under section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013 has been extended upto 31-1 December, 2016. Formal amendments to the Public Servants (Furnishing of Information and Annual Return of Assets and Liabilities and the Limits for Exemption of Assets in Filing Returns) Rules 2014 have been notified and uploaded on the website of this Department, i.e., http://persmin.nic.in/DOPT.asp.
- Now the timelines for filing these returns are as follows:-
 - The first return of assets and liabilities as on 1st August, 2014 on or before the 31st December, 2016.
 - The annual return of assets and liabilities as on 31st March, 2015 on or ii. before the 31st December, 2016.

The annual return of assets and liabilities as on 31st March, 2016 should be filed on or before 31st December, 2016.

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MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (Department of Personnel and Training) NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 29th July, 2016.

- G.S.R.747(E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) read with clause (k) and clause (m) of sub-section (2) of section 59 read with section 44 of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013 (1 of 2014), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Public Servants (Purnishing of Information and Annual Return of Assets and Liabilities and the Limits for Exemption of
- (1) These rules may be called the Public Servants (Furnishing of Information and Annual Return of Assets and Liabilities and the Limits for Exemption of Assets in Filing Returns) Second Amendment Rules,
 - (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Public Servants (Furnishing of Information and Annual Return of Assets and Liabilities and the Limits for Exemption of Assets in Filing Returns) Rules, 2014, in rule 3, in sub-rule (2),-
 - (a) in the first proviso, for the words and figures "on or before the 31st day of July, 2016", the words and figures "on or before the 31st day of December, 2016" shall be substituted:
 - (b) in the second proviso, for the words and figures " on or before the 31st day of July, 2016", the words and figures "on or before the 31st day of December, 2016" shall be substituted;
 - (c) after the second proviso, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely:-

"Provided also that the public servants who have filed declarations, information and annual returns of property under the provisions of the rules applicable to such public servants, shall file the revised declarations, information or as the case may be, annual returns as on the 31" day of March, 2016, to the competent authority on or before the 31st day of December, 2015.



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Note.—The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide notification number G.S.R. 501(E), dated the 14th July, 2014 and subsequently amended vide notification numbers G.S.R. 638(E), dated the 8th September, 2014, G.S.R. 918(E), dated the 26th December, 2014, G.S.R. 322(E), dated the 27th April, 2015, G.S.R. 536(E), dated the 3rd July, 2015, G.S.R. 776(E), dated the 12th October, 2015 and G.S.R. 414(E), dated the 11th April, 2016.

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F.No.407/16/2016-AVD-IV(LP) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department of Personnel & Training

> North Block, New Delhi Dated: the 10th August, 2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:

The Lokpal and Lokayuktas (Amendment) Act, 2016.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas (Amendment) Act, 2016 published in the Gazette of India on 30th July, 2016 for information.

Encl: as stated above

(Anil Bajpai)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE

(Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 30th July, 2016/Shravana 8, 1938 (Saka)

The following Act of Parliament received the assent of the President on the 29th July, 2016, and is hereby published for general information:-

THE LOKPAL AND LOKAYUKTAS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2016

No. 37 of 2016

[29th July, 2016.]

An Act to amend the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Sixty-seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Lokpal and Lokayuktas (Amendment) Act, 2016.

Short title and commencement.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 16th day of January, 2014.

2. On and from the date of commencement of the Lokpal and Lokayuktas Act, 2013 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), for section 44, the following section shall be substituted, and shall be deemed to have been substituted, namely:-

Amendment of section 44.

"44. On and from the date of commencement of this Act, every public servant. Declaration of shall make a declaration of his assets and liabilities in such form and manner as may be assets. prescribed.".

Amendment of section 59.

- 3. On and from the date of commencement of the principal Act, in section 59, in subsection (2), for clause (k), the following clause shall be substituted, and shall be deemed to have been substituted, namely:—
 - "(k) the form and manner of declaration of assets and liabilities by public servants under section 44:

Provided that the rules may be made under this clause retrospectively from the date on which the provisions of this Act came into force;".

DR. G NARAYANA RAJU, Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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