

DATAX UPDATE INDIRECT TAX

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State of Gujarat [SCA No. 2776 of 20221

Madhav Cooper Limited vs Swati Poly Industries Pvt Ltd Vs State Of U.P. [Writ Tax No. 405 of 20231

Once the show cause notice has issued, adjudication been proceedings are deemed to have been commenced.

Opportunity of hearing mandatory if adverse decision is contemplated, even when the assessee has not optional of chosen personal hearing.

Trading S.K. Co And Another Vs. Additional Commissioner [Writ Tax No. 1464 of 20221

Diwakar Enterprises Ltd. Vs Commissioner of CGST [CWP- 23788-2021]

If petitioner is either a consignor or consignee, he has to be treated as owner of goods.

Tax collection without authority of law, amounts to depriving person of his property without authority of law.

Ram Goyal Nanu Commissioner of CGST And Excise Central TWP(c) 13906/2022]

Nigam **Bharat** Sanchar Limited Vs Union of India & ORS. [WP(C) 3550/2023]

Revenue should adjudicate the show cause notice within reasonable time.

If GST Refund application is not deficient in material particulars, it cannot be treated as non est.



Goods and Service Tax

Pratap Kumar Pradhan Vs Commissioner of CT & GST [WP (c) No 9658 of 2023]

Orissa High Court has stayed the demand due to non-constitution of appellate tribunal.

Jena Trading and Co. Vs CT and GST Officer [WP (C) No 10627 of 2022]

High Court quashed the assessment order stating that palpable error in tax invoice and e-way bill is human error.



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Navratan Speciality
Chemicals Vs C.C.Ahmedabad [Customs
Appeal No 11483 of 2016DB]

compliance of Notification No. 102/2007- Cus. Dated 14 September 2007.

Re-assessment cannot be quashed by party who has self-assessed its Bill of Entry.

Commissioner of Customs
Vs Anurag Trading
Company [CUSSA
123/2018]

Notice after 9 years of Bill of Entry cannot be treated as notice within a reasonable period of time.

S. Vaidya and Company Vs Commissioner of Customs [Customs Appeal No. 40074 of 2023]

CESTAT has allowed refund of SAD which was rejected for non-



Import and Export data

Imports of March 2023 at \$72.18 B

Exports of March 2023 at \$ 66.14 B

		March 2023 (USD Billion)	March 2022 (USD Billion)
Merchandise	Exports	38.38	44.57
	Imports	58.11	63.09
Services*	Exports	27.75	26.95
	Imports	14.07	15.35
Overall Trade (Merchandise +Services) *	Exports	66.14	71.52
	Imports	72.18	78.44
	Trade Balance	-6.04	-6.92

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