

आयुक्तकाकार्यालय Office of the Commissioner केंद्रीय जीएसटी, अपील अहमदाबाद आयुक्तालय Central GST, Appeal Ahmedabad Commissionerate जीएसटी भवन, राजस्व मार्ग, अम्बावाडीअहमदाबाद३८००१५. GST Bhavan, Revenue Marg, Ambawadi, Ahmedabad 380015 Phone: 079-26305065 Fax: 079-26305136 E-Mail: commrappl1-cexamd@nic.in



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	(क)	फ़ाइल संख्या / File No.	GAPPL/ADC/GSTP/2099/2024 4553 - 57	
	(ख)	अपील आदेश संख्याऔर दिनांक / Order-In –Appeal and date	AHM-CGST-002-APP-JC-5/2024-25 and 25.04.2024	
	(ग)	पारित किया गया / Passed By	श्री आदेश कुमार जैन, संयुक्त आयुक्त (अपील) Shri Adesh Kumar Jain, Joint Commissioner (Appeals)	
	(घ)	जारी करने की दिनांक / Date of Issue	25.04.2024	
	(ङ)	Arising out of Order-In-Origi by The Superintendent, Commissionerate	nal No. ZA240424046568F dated 08.04.2024 passed CGST, Range-I, Division-VII, Ahmedabad-North	
1 12 55	(च)	अपीलकर्ता का नाम और पता / Name and Address of the Appellant	M/s Jwal Nitinbhai Gandhi U9, Upper Leval, Swastik House, Near Income Tax Railway Crossing, Stadium Cross Road, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad-380009	
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500		इस आदेश(अपील) से व्यथित कोई व्यक्ति निम्नलिखित तरीके में उपयुक्त प्राधिकारी /प्राधिकरण के समक्ष अपील दायर कर सकता है। Any person aggrieved by this Order-in-Appeal may file an appeal to the appropriate authority in the following way.		
	(i)	National Bench or Regional Bench of Appellate Tribunal framed under GST Act/CGST Act		
ľ	(ii)	State Bench or Area Bench of Appellate Tribunal framed under GST Act/CGST Act other than as mentioned in para- (A)(i) above in terms of Section 109(7) of CGST Act, 2017		
	<ul> <li>(iii) Appeal to the Appellate Tribunal shall be filed as prescribed under Rule 110 of Rules, 2017 and shall be accompanied with a fee of Rs. One Thousand for every Rs Lakh of Tax or Input Tax Credit involved or the difference in Tax or Input Tax involved or the amount of fine, fee or penalty determined in the order appealed as subject to a maximum of Rs. Twenty-Five Thousand.</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Appeal under Section 112(1) of CGST Act, 2017 to Appellate Tribunal shall be with relevant documents either electronically or as may be notified by the Appellate Tribunal in FORM GST APL-05, on common portal as prescribed unde of CGST Rules, 2017, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the order appeal within seven days of filing FORM GST APL-05 online.</li> </ul>		CGST Act, 2017 to Appellate Tribunal shall be filed along er electronically or as may be notified by the Registrar, T APL-05, on common portal as prescribed under Rule 110 Il be accompanied by a copy of the order appealed against	
	(i)	Appeal to be filed before Appellate Tribunal under Section 112(8) of the CGST Act, 201after paying -(i)Full amount of Tax, Interest, Fine, Fee and Penalty arising from the impugnedorder, as is admitted/accepted by the appellant; and(ii)A sum equal to twenty five per cent of the remaining amount of Tax in disputein addition to the amount paid under Section 107(6) of CGST Act, 2017, arisingfrom the said order, in relation to which the appeal has been filed.		
	(ii)	President, as the case may be, of the Appellate Tribunal enters office, whichever is later.		
	उच्च अपीलीय प्राधिकारी को अपील दाखिल करने से संबंधित व्यापक, विस्तृत और नवीनतम प्रावधानों के लिए, विभागीय वेबसाइट <u>www.cbic.gov.in</u> को देख सकते हैं। (C) For elaborate, detailed and latest provisions relating to filing of appeal to the a authority, the appellant may refer to the website <u>www.cbic.gov.in</u> .		को देख सकते हैं। test provisions relating to filing of appeal to the appellate	

# :: ORDER-IN-APPEAL::

## **Brief Facts**:

M/s Jwal Nitinbhai Gandhi, U9, Upper Level, Swastik House, Near Income Tax Railway Crossing, Stadium Cross Road, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad-380009 (hereinafter referred to as the 'appellant') has filed present appeal against Order of rejection of application for Registration, bearing Reference No.ZA240424046568F dated 08.04.2024 (hereinafter referred to as 'impugned order), issued by the Superintendent, Central GST, Range-I, Division-VII, Ahmedabad-North Commissionerate (hereinafter referred to as 'adjudicating authority/proper officer').

2. Briefly stated the fact of the case is that the appellant filed application for GST registration under ARN AA240324038394F dated 11.03.2024.

3. The adjudicating authority vide the impugned order passed the following order:

"On verification of uploaded document i.e. property tax bill it is observed that the property is jointly owned and consent letter of co-owner has not been uploaded nor included in rent agreement. Hence the application is

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herefore, your application is rejected in accordance with provisions of the t."

4. Being aggrieved with the impugned order, the appellant filed the present appeal online 09.04.2024 and submitted along with documents on 12.04.2024 on the following grounds of appeal:

"1. Copy of Notarised Rent Agreement dated 22.02.2024 between Harshadbhai H Desai and Jawal Nitinbhai Gandhi,

2. Property tax receipt (dated 19.04.2023) Showing Owner name as Shri Harshadkumar Hargovinddas Desai and Smt. Jyoti Harshadkumar Desai.

We have already submitted Rent Agreement & Electricity Bill as per GST laws. But Dept has raised query and asked for additional documents which is not required for this registration."

## Personal Hearing:

5. Personal hearing in the matter was held on 19.04.2024. Shri Jwal Nitinbhai Gandhi, appellant appeared in the personal hearing. He submitted

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that the required document will be submitted and requested to allow appeal. He, vide additional submission dated 24.04.2024 submitted copy of notarized rent agreement dated 19.04.2024 between Shri Harshadbhai H Desai & Jyotiben H Desai and Jawal Nitinbhai Gandhi.

## **Discussion and Findings:**

6. I have carefully gone through the case, the appeal memorandum and written submissions filed by the appellant. As per Section 107 of the CGST Act, 2017, the appellant is required to file the appeal within three months time period. In the present case, the appellant has filed the present appeal online on 09.04.2024 against the impugned order dated 08.04.2024. Hence, the appeal is to be considered as filed in time.

6.1 Now, the main issue in the matter is whether the impugned order passed by the Adjudicating Authority / Proper Officer for rejection of registration is proper or not?

6.2 For this, I refer Rule 9 of the CGST Rules, 2017, which is re-produced here under:

"Rule 9. Verification of the application and approval. -

application shall be forwarded to the proper officer who shall examine the application and the accompanying documents and if the same are found to be in order, approve the grant of registration to the applicant within a period of <sup>1</sup>[seven] working days from the date of submission of the application:

(2) Where the application submitted under <u>rule 8</u> is found to be deficient, either in terms of any information or any document required to be furnished under the said rule, or where the proper officer requires any clarification with regard to any information provided in the application or documents furnished therewith, he may issue a notice to the applicant electronically in <u>FORM GST REG-03</u> within a period of <sup>3</sup>[seven] working days from the date of submission of the

application and the applicant shall furnish such clarification, information or documents electronically, in <u>FORM GST REG-04</u>, within a period of seven working days from the date of the receipt of such notice.

(3) Where the proper officer is satisfied with the clarification, information or documents furnished by the applicant, he may approve the grant of registration to the applicant within a period of seven working days from the date of the receipt of such clarification or information or documents.

(4) Where no reply is furnished by the applicant in response to the notice issued under sub-rule (2) or where the proper officer is not satisfied with the clarification, information or documents furnished, he <sup>5</sup>[may], for reasons to be recorded in writing, reject such application and inform the applicant electronically in <u>FORM</u> <u>GST REG-05</u><sup>\*\*</sup>

6.3 As per the above Rule, if the proper Officer is not satisfied with the clarification, information or documents furnished, he may for reasons to be recorded in writing, reject such application and inform the applicant electronically in <u>FORM GST REG-05</u>.

6.4 In the present case, the proper officer observed that property is jointly owned and applicant did not upload the consent letter of co-owner and hence rejected the application of the Appellant on the grounds mentioned in the adjudicating order dated 08.04.2024.

6.5 However, I observe that the appellant in the present appeal has filed the below mentioned documents in support of their grounds of appeal:

- Copy of Notarised Rent Agreement dated 22.02.2024 between Harshadbhai H Desai and Jawal Nitinbhai Gandhi and
- Property tax receipt (dated19.04.2023) Showing Owner name as Shri Harshadkumar Hargovinddas Desai and Smt. Jyoti Harshadkumar Desai.

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6.6. From the above it is observed that the appellant has complied with the reasons for rejection of application in the impugned order. They have submitted copy of notarized rent agreement between Shri Harshadbhai H Desai & Smt. Jyotiben H Desai and Jawal Nitinbhai Gandhi. Rule 9 of CGST Rules, 2017 envisage that the proper officer, if not satisfied with the clarification, information or documents furnished, can reject the application for registration for the reasons to be recorded in writing. In subject case, the application was rejected due to non-submission of documents. However, during appeal the appellant have submitted all the required documents as mentioned above, in their support.

7. In view of the above, I order that the appropriate authority shall consider the request of the Appellant for GST Registration made in consequent to this order, in accordance with the provisions of CGST Act and Rules framed

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thereunder, after verification of all the required documents submitted by the Appellant and physical verification of the premises. The Appellant is also directed to submit all the required documents before the adjudicating authority/proper officer. Accordingly, I set aside the impugned order and allow the appeal filed by the 'Appellant'.

अपीलकर्ता द्वारा दर्जकी गईअपील का निपटारा उपरोक्त तरीके से किया जाताहै। 8. The appeal filed by the appellant stands disposed of in above terms.

संयुक्त आयुक्त(अपील्स)

केंद्रीय जीएसटी, अपीलस अहमदाबाद आयुक्तालय |

Date: .04.2024

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2 Juanson (S D.Nawani) SUPERINTENDENT, CGST & C.EX.(APPEALS), AHMEDABAD.

By R.P.A.D.

To Jwal Nitinbhai Gandhi U9, Upper Level, Swastik House, Near Income Tax Railway Crossing, Stadium Cross Road, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad-380009 (ARN AA240324038394F dated 11.03.2024).

Copy to:

- The Principal Chief Commissioner, CGST & C.Ex., Ahmedabad Zone. 1.
- The Commissioner, CGST & C. Excise, Appeals, Ahmedabad. 2.
- The Commissioner, Central GST & C.Ex, Ahmedabad North. 3.
- The Dy./Assist. Commissioner, CGST & C.Ex, Division-VII, Ahmedabad 4. North.
- The Superintendent, AR-I, Division-VII, Ahmedabad North. 5.
- The Superintendent (Systems), CGST & C.Ex(Appeals), Ahmedabad. 6.
- Guard File / P.A. File. Z



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