

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
REVENUE DIVISION
FEDERAL BOARD OF REVENUE

C.No.4(33)IT-Budget/2018 - 66150-R

Islamabad the, 23rd May, 2018

SUBJECT:- CLARIFICATION REGARDING FRAUDULENT NOTIFICATION/S.R.O

It has been brought to the knowledge of the Federal Board of Revenue that a fake notification S.R.O. 284(1)/2018 dated 11th May, 2018 is in circulation and may also be available on the social media.

2. In the aforementioned fraudulent notification it has been stipulated that the outstanding tax demand which has been granted interim stay by the High Court or Supreme Court would be treated as settled if the taxpayer opts to withdraw the case pending before the High Court or the Supreme Court and voluntarily pays 15% of the contested tax demand on or before 30th June, 2018. Likewise, the notification also stipulates that the tax demand against which stay has been granted by the Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals) or the Appellate Tribunal Inland Revenue would be treated as settled if the taxpayer opts to withdraw the case pending before the Commissioner Inland Revenue (Appeals) or the Appellate Tribunal Inland Revenue and voluntarily pays 25% of the contested tax demand on or before 20th June, 2018.

3. It is hereby clarified that no such notification/S.R.O was issued by FBR nor is any such notification/S.R.O available on the official website of the Federal Board of Revenue.

4. Copy of the fraudulent S.R.O (**Annex-A**) has been forwarded to the concerned investigating authority for further necessary action under the relevant law and rules.


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