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Errors in Returns and Audit

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#### Issues to be Covered

- Implications of non rectification of error within available time.
- Excess turnover shown in return and tax paid in earlier months.
- Implications of wrongly reported items which cannot be rectified like document number details, non GST supplies etc.
- Issues in Exporter returns





#### Time Limit for Correction and impact







# Standard on Auditing (SA) 250 (Revised) Consideration of Laws and Regulations in an Audit of financial Statements

• The auditor shall obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding compliance with the provisions of those laws and regulations generally recognised to have a direct effect on the determination of material amounts and disclosures in the financial statements......



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## <u>Is March 2018 was last return for correction of errors for 2017-18?</u>

#### CASE STUDY

- ✓ A Company has filed Form GSTR 3B and discharged liability from Jul 2017 to March 2018.
- ✓ The company has not claimed input tax credit (ITC) during the year
  although such credits can be seen in Form 2A.

Now Can the eligible input tax credit of previous FY be set off against tax liability in the month of April 2018 or onwards and till when , and if yes, how to report the same in Form GSTR - 3B what all other steps are required?





#### Time limit to Claim Input Tax credit for 2017-18

A registered person shall not be entitled to take input tax credit in respect of any invoice or debit note for supply of goods or services or both after the due date of furnishing of the return under section 39 for the month of September following the end of financial year to which such invoice or invoice relating to such debit note pertains or furnishing of the relevant annual return, whichever is earlier.







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Events Occurring after 31st March 2018

Adjusting Event

Non-Adjusting Event

Events on conditions existed on 31st March 2018

Indicative on the condition arose after 31st

March 2018

Adjust in FS of March 2018

**Disclose Event in Notes** 





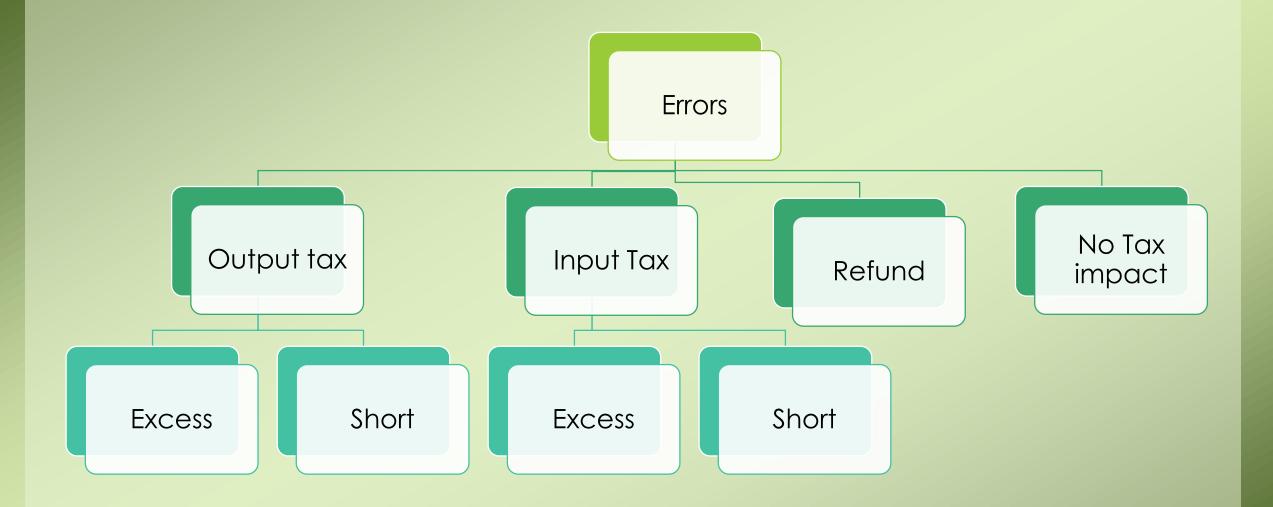


#### **Excess turnover Declared**





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How to Correct errors as Revision is not permissible



Circular No. 26/2017 dated 29th Dec 2017

Refund







#### Refund -Possible Scenarios

- refund of tax paid on zero-rated supplies of goods or services or both or on inputs or input services used in making such zero-rated supplies;
- refund of unutilised input tax credit under sub-section (3);
- refund of tax paid on a supply which is not provided, either wholly or partially, and for which invoice has not been issued, or where a refund voucher has been issued;
- refund of tax in pursuance of section 77;
- the tax and interest, if any, or any other amount paid by the applicant, if he had not passed on the incidence of such tax and interest to any other person; or
- the tax or interest borne by such other class of applicants as the Government may, on the recommendations of the Council, by notification, specify.



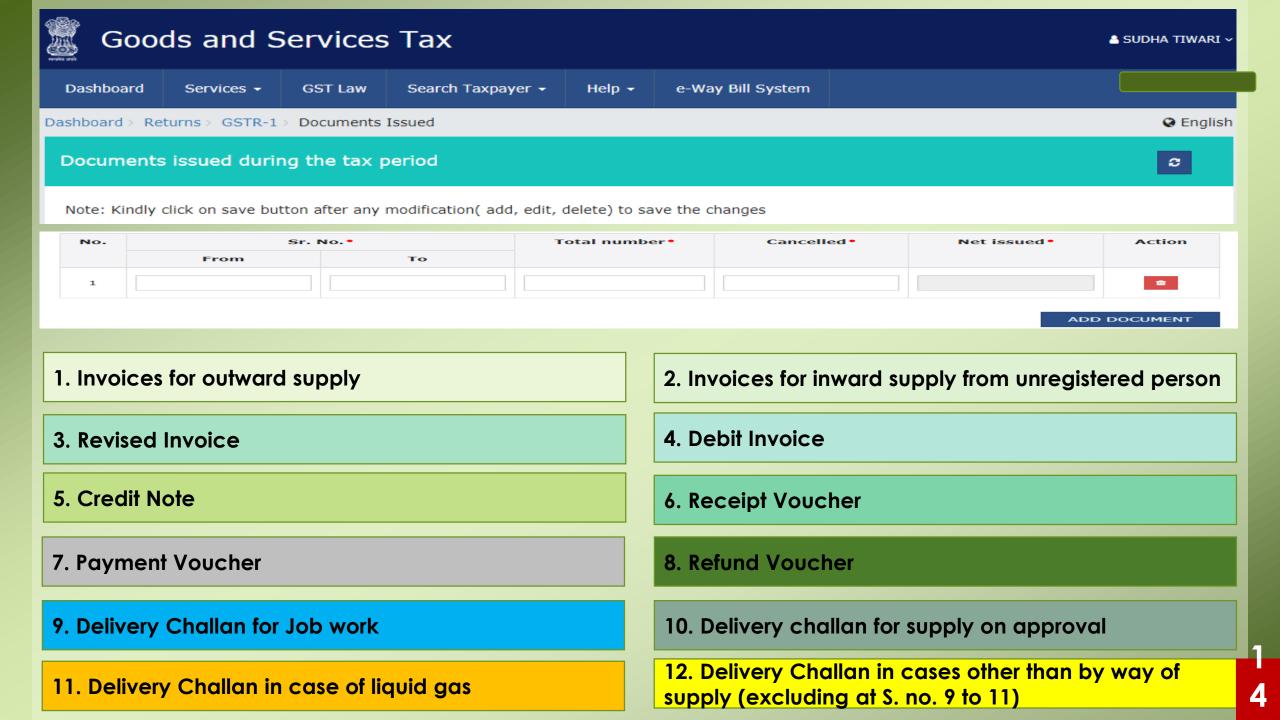




### Impact if Correction not possible









## Returns 2017-18

GSTR 3B GSTR 1 RFD 01

ITC 04

Annual return







evasion

### Impact if Correction not possible

Impact

Impact on Auditors opinion for maintain records and Books

Impact on Auditors Leading to Evasion of Tax

Neither correctness books affected nor leading to tax

Explanation 2. to Section 74 of the CGST Act—"suppression" shall mean **non-declaration of facts or information** which a taxable person is **required to declare in the return, statement, report or any other document furnished** ------"

of Accounts





### **Errors in Export Return**







## Refund –Export-Against Payment of IGST-Goods

#### Application for Refund:

- Shipping Bill
- EGM
- Form 3B





#### Validation of IGST Refund and Error

#### **GSTN** level -validation failure

- Non filing of GSTR 3B /GSTR 1 –table
   6A.
- All invoices not entered in GSTR-1.
- Shipping No not/wrongly provided in GSTR-1
- IGST paid in column 3.1(b) of the GSTR 3B is less than IGST in table 6A of the GSTR-1

#### **ICEGAT-validation Error**

- Shipping Bill Mismatch-SB0001
- EGM not available-SB0002
- GSTIN Mismatch-SB0003
- Invoice No Mismatch-SB0005
- Gate Way EGM not available-SB0006







#### Errors done in GSTR 3B /GSTR-1

Shipping No not provided in GSTR-1

 Correction to be done through GSTR of subsequent months. IGST paid in column 3.1(b) of the GSTR 3B is less than IGST in table 6A of the GSTR-1

 Correction through GSTR 1 and GSTR 3B of the subsequent months.



## IGST paid in 3.1(b) of the GSTR 3B is less than IGST in table 6A of the GSTR-1

Correction
through GSTR 1
and GSTR 3B of
Subsequent
months

In case 3.1(a) and 3.1(B) combined figures are more than Table 6A figures-

- 1. Deposit of short payment
- 2. Challan to be submittedself certified/CA certified
- 3. CA certificate to be Submitted by 31st October'2018

In case 3.1(a) and 3.1(B) combined figures are more than Table 6A figures-

 CA certificate to be Submitted by 31st October'2018





## Circulars Relevant for Refund on Exports

- Circular 42/2017 Customs-7<sup>th</sup> Nov'2017
- Circular No. 26/2017-CGST dated 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 2017
- Circular No. 37/2018-CGST-15<sup>th</sup> March 2018
- Circular 5/2018 Customs-23rd Feb 2018
- Circular 6/2018 Customs- 16<sup>th</sup> March 2018
- Circular 8/2018 Customs-23rd March 2018
- Circular No. 12/2018-Customs dated 29<sup>th</sup> May 2018
- Circular 15/2018 Customs-6<sup>th</sup> June 2018
- Circular 22/2018 Customs -18<sup>th</sup> July 2018











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