

# Tax Audit Of A Trust

| Particular                                                                                                                                                       | Checked by | Yes | No | N.A. |  | Remark |
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| <b>1.General instructions</b>                                                                                                                                    |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.1 Have you checked the object clause of the trust deed or byelaws of the society                                                                               |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.2 Have you checked the previous year's financial statements and related files of the trust                                                                     |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.3 Have you checked past records like I.T>Returns,FCRA filing,audit observations relating to previous year.                                                     |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.4 Have you checked that the trust has PAN and TAN numbers.                                                                                                     |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.5 Have you examined the hardware or software systems in place with respect to books of accounts.                                                               |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.6 Have you ensured existence of proper security for systems and existence of any back-up plan                                                                  |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 1.7 Have you checked the number of years of maintainence of proper financial records                                                                             |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| <b>2.Foreign Contribution A/C</b>                                                                                                                                |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.1 Have you checked the FC A/C no. from Home Ministries,New Delhi                                                                                               |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.2 Have you noted the bank name,account number and branch name of FC A/C                                                                                        |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.3 Have you ensured that all the foreign contributions received have been deposited only into the designated FC A/C                                             |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.4 Have you ensured that no other local funds have been deposited into the FC Bank A/C                                                                          |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.5 Have you checked that interest on FDR on FC A/C has been deposited into FC Bank A/C only.                                                                    |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.6 Have you ensured that separate books of acconts are maintained for FC A/C                                                                                    |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.7 Have you checked that sale of assets,refund of advances and deposits made from FC A/C are shown in FC A/C only.                                              |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 2.8 Have you checked that all provisions of FCRA are complied                                                                                                    |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| <b>3.DONATIONS</b>                                                                                                                                               |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 3.1 Have you checked that cash/cheque donations are received by authorised persons only and examined the internal control system with respect to such donations. |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 3.2 Have you checked if any donations were received in kind from foreign donors                                                                                  |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 3.3 Have you checked whether donations received from one FC organisation to another FC organisation have been shown as second receiptent                         |            |     |    |      |  |        |
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| 3.4 Have you ensured that all the receipts are deposited into the bank after checking with the deposit slips.                                                    |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 3.5 Have you checked the donor's letters/donation list with the bank statement for the period.                                                                   |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| 3.6 Have you checked that all bank credits are tallied with the donations/other receipts accounted in the books of the trust                                     |            |     |    |      |  |        |
| <b>4.Opening Balance</b>                                                                                                                                         |            |     |    |      |  |        |

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| 4.1 Have you checked opening balances of :                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 1. Cash Book                                                                                                                                                                     |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 2. Bank Book                                                                                                                                                                     |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 3. General Ledger                                                                                                                                                                |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 4 Other Subsidiary Ledgers ,with closing balances of previous year                                                                                                               |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| <b>5.Vouching</b>                                                                                                                                                                |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| Vouching includes the following :                                                                                                                                                |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.1 Receipts and payments of Cash book and Bank book including Petty Cash book                                                                                                   |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.2 Have you checked correctness receipts and payments with respect to                                                                                                           |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .1. Account head/account code                                                                                                                                                    |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .2. Date                                                                                                                                                                         |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .3. Amount                                                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .4. Name of party                                                                                                                                                                |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .5. Quantities where applicable                                                                                                                                                  |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.3 Are the Vouchers properly authorised and supported by necessary external evidence and/or internal documentatation                                                            |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.4 Does the transaction relate to the accounting year under audit                                                                                                               |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.5 Have you checked totals/sub-totals.                                                                                                                                          |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.6 Have you made list of items remaining unticked after your vouching is complete.                                                                                              |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 5.7 Have you rectified list of items remaining unticked in previously conducted Audit at the time of succeeding Audit intervals.                                                 |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| <b>6 Cash Book / Bank Book</b>                                                                                                                                                   |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.1 Have you checked whether Books of Accounts are maintained seperately for Foreign Contributions and Local Donations (i.e. within Inidia)                                      |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.2 Have you checked if any earmarked Donations/corpus donations have been received during the year for specific purposes.                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.3 Have you checked whether transactions have been recorded in Cash Book/Bank Book for collections with counter foils of receipts.                                              |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.4 Have you checked whether cash collected is deposited into bank within reasonable intervals.                                                                                  |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.5 Have you checked balances at the end of different days if cash book is monthly balanced and ensured that cash book has a positive balance                                    |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.6 Have you checked reasons, if there is heavy cash balance and substantial cash withdrawals.                                                                                   |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.7 Have you traced transfers from cash book to petty cash book/wings/branches and vice versa                                                                                    |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.8 Have you checked Bank Reconciliation Statement and Reconciliation entries with clearance in next months Bank statements.                                                     |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
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| 6.9 Have you listed entries which are appearing in bank statement but not appearing in bank book and vice versa and the same are rectified.                                      |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.10 Have you checked contra entries for cash with-drawals and deposits and ensured that they appear on same date in cash book/bank book.                                        |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.11 Have you checked whether there is any Earmarked receipts and ensured that they have been spent for the same purpose                                                         |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.12 Have you checked whether payments have been made only for charitable purposes or related projects/programmes i.e. relief of poor/medical relief/education and other objects |                   |            |           |             |  |               |

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| of public utility.                                                                                                                                                                                              |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.13 Have you ensured that Donations from Foreign funds have been made only to Trusts/Institutions which obtained registration certification for acceptance of Foreign funds under the provisions of the Act.   |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 6.14 Have you ensured that wherever payments exceeds Rs.20000, it has been made through cheque/D.D.                                                                                                             |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| <b>7. Journal Vouching</b>                                                                                                                                                                                      |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.1 Have you checked why debit balance have been written off or credit balance written back                                                                                                                     |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.2 Have you checked head of account on all journal vouchers                                                                                                                                                    |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.3 Are all journal vouchers supported by necessary evidence/explanation                                                                                                                                        |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.4 Are all vouchers properly authorised.                                                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.5 Are there any entries relating to earlier or subsequent period                                                                                                                                              |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 7.6 Have you made a list of unticked items and the same are rectified in subsequent Audit intervals.                                                                                                            |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| <b>8. Salaries/Wages/Honorarium</b>                                                                                                                                                                             |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.1 Have you checked Appointment Letters of employees and terms of conditions thereof.                                                                                                                          |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.2 Have you checked Attendance Register/Attendance with time cards/master cards.                                                                                                                               |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.3 Have you checked Salary Register and summaries there of in cash book / bank book.                                                                                                                           |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.4 Have you checked increments with approvals/agreements                                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.5 Have you checked statutory deductions for:                                                                                                                                                                  |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .1. Provident Fund                                                                                                                                                                                              |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .2. ESIC                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .3. Income Tax                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| .4. Any of other items                                                                                                                                                                                          |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.6 Have you checked Statutory deductions have been paid in proper & timely manner to respective departments.                                                                                                   |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 8.7 Have you checked resolutions for payments to Trustees.                                                                                                                                                      |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| <b>9. Ledger Posting &amp; Scrutinity</b>                                                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 9.1 Have you checked positngs from cash book/bank book / journal register and all other principal books.                                                                                                        |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 9.2 Have you checked summarised postings of petty cash book and general ledger.                                                                                                                                 |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
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| 9.3 Have you listed out unticked items and the same are rectified in subsequent Audit intervals.                                                                                                                |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 9.4 Have you scrutined                                                                                                                                                                                          |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| a) General Ledger                                                                                                                                                                                               |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| b) Loan/Staff Loan Ledger                                                                                                                                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| c) Advance Ledger                                                                                                                                                                                               |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 9.5 Have you scrutinised all revenue and expenses accounts to ensure that full year expenses / revenues have been booked and to such expenses/ revenues have been booked which does not accrue during the year. |                   |            |           |             |  |               |
| 9.6 Have you scrutinised all Assets accounts of the Trust/Instituttion to ensure that all assets relating to Trust/society only recorded.                                                                       |                   |            |           |             |  |               |

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| 9.7 Have you scrutinised all liabilities accounts of the Trust/Institution to ensure that liabilities relating to Trust/society only recorded. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9.8 Have you scrutinised all expenses accounts in particulars of                                                                               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (a) Building Repairs                                                                                                                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (b) Machinery Repairs                                                                                                                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| (c) Other Repairs                                                                                                                              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| to ensure that whether any expenditure of Capital nature has been charged to revenue account and vice versa.                                   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <b>10. Tax matters</b>                                                                                                                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 10.1 Have you checked TDS returns are filed quarterly and obtained the A/C number                                                              |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10.2 Have you checked whether all trustees/members of the trust/society have filed IT returns                                                  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10.3 Have you enquired about any pending tax litigations                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <b>11. Other records</b>                                                                                                                       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 11.1 Have you checked :                                                                                                                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A. Register of fixed deposits                                                                                                                  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B. Register of Donations / Receipts                                                                                                            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| C. Register for fixed assets .                                                                                                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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