MOST MOST URGENT **OUT TODAY**

SUPREME COURT OF INDIA CASH & ACCOUNTS-II

Dated: 05.01.2018

All Nationalized Banks To:

Sir,

I am to inform you that the following amount is available with Supreme Court of India for being kept in Fixed Deposit for the period indicated against the amount to be invested.

SI. No.	Amount (Rs.)	Present maturity of the FDR	period of deposit
1	12,31,30,981/- (Twelve Crore Thirty one Lakh Thirty Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty One), plus Interest only.	09.01.2018 (Tuesday)	91 days

You are requested to offer, in sealed cover, the highest rate of interest for the above deposit in the following format, failing which the quotation will summarily be rejected :-

Net Worth of the Rate valid upto Amount Period of Rate bank. investment

09.01.2018 The offer should be handed over personally to the undersigned under acknowledgment upto 5.00 p.m. on

No offer will be entertained after the stipulated date and time. The rate 08.01.2018 (Monday). offered in response to this letter must be valid till 09.01.2018. The amount and date of opening of the bid should be mentioned on the sealed cover in which the offer is sent 'failing which the sealed cover shall not be entertained. The sealed cover shall be opened in the Chamber of Registrar (Admn.) at 5.30 p.m. on the same day. Your authorized representative is requested to remain present in the chamber of Registrar (Admn.) at that time.

Opening of the tender shall be followed by open bidding for quoting rate higher than the highest rate offered in writing by any bank in response to this letter. The highest rate offered by any bank in response to this letter will be taken as floor/ reserve rate and bidding will be permissible only at a higher rate. The bids will have to be given on the spot and the highest bid will be accepted by Registrar (Admn.). In case, the interest rate offered by more than one banks is same, the deposits will be given to the bank having highest net worth.

You are, therefore, requested to authorize an officer for attending the office of Registrar (Admn.) to offer a rate higher than the rate quoted in the tender.

It is for your further information that in view of Circular No. 23/2015 dated 28.12.2015 of Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) it has been decided that NO TDS is to be deducted on the FDRs made in the name of Registrar General or any other authority, pursuant to Court's directions. Hence, you are requested to ENSURE in your response letter that NO TDS shall be deducted on such FDR during the pendency of the matter.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

(P.S.N/MURTHY) A.R.-cum-D.D.O. Supreme Court of India