

Seminar on GSTAT: Challenging The Challenges
Theme: Knuckle Down with Hon'ble President GSTAT and Team for GSTAT Appeals Filing & Representations
17th January, 2026, 9:30 am onwards
The Park Kolkata

Programme Schedule

9:30 am – 10:15 am	Registration	
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Welcome Address & Setting the Agenda	Mr. Vivek Jalan Chairperson - National Fiscal Affairs & Taxation Committee, The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry & Partner, Tax Connect Advisory Services LLP
10:30 am – 11.15 am	Keynote Address	Hon'ble Dr. Justice Sanjaya Kumar Mishra Former Chief Justice, High Court of Jharkhand, Ranchi and presently President, GST Appellate Tribunal (GSTAT) On Stage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Shri Satya Gopal Chattopadhyay, Hon'ble Member- Judicial - GST Appellate Tribunal ▪ Shri Ranjan Kumar Sahoo, Member – Hon'ble Judicial-GST Appellate Tribunal ▪ Shri Somnath Ganguli, Member - Hon'ble Member Judicial - GST Appellate Tribunal ▪ Shri. R. Murlidhar, Hon'ble Member (Judicial), Customs Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal. ▪ Mr. Vivek Jalan - Chairperson - National Fiscal Affairs & Taxation Committee, The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry
11:15 am – 11:20 am	Changeover	
11.20 am – 12.20 pm	Technical Session e-Filing: Understanding the GSTAT filing process	Mr. Alok Kumar EVP, Goods & Services Tax Network & Officers from Goods and Services Tax Network (GSTN)
12:20 pm – 12:25 pm	Changeover	
12:25 pm – 12:50 pm	GSTAT : GST Department's perspectives	Moderator : Mr. Vivek Jalan Chairperson - National Fiscal Affairs & Taxation Committee, The Bengal Chamber of Commerce and Industry & Partner, Tax Connect Advisory Services LLP Speakers : Mr. Madhav Chandra Mishra, IRS Commissioner of CGST & CX (South) Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, Government of India Mr. Joyjit Banik Additional Commissioner of Revenue & PRO Directorate of Commercial Taxes, Government of West Bengal
12:50 pm – 12:55 pm	Changeover	
12.55 pm – 1.25 pm	Legal and Other Points of Taxpayers on Roll out of GSTAT	Opening Remarks : Dr. Uma Sankar S, IAS Commissioner, Commercial Taxes Directorate of Commercial Taxes, Government of West Bengal Moderator : Mr. Surya Prakash BS Programme Director, DAKSH Society, Bangalore Panelists :

		<p>Mr. N R Badrinath, Chairman – Indirect Taxes, Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce & Partner, Singhvi, Dev & Unni LLP</p> <p>Mr. Rajarshi Dasgupta Executive Director and Head of Indirect Taxes, Aquilaw</p>
1.25 pm - 1.30 pm	Changeover	
1.30 pm - 2.00 pm	<p>Special Session : How Tally can handle GST compliance in a better way</p>	<p>CA Suyash Tulsyan Tulsyan Infotech Tally Certified Partner</p>
2:00 pm onwards	Networking Lunch	