GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU COMMERCIAL TAXES DEPARTMENT

PROCEEDINGS OF THE AUTHORITY FOR CLARIFICATION AND ADVANCE RULING (Under Section 48-A of TNVAT Act, 2006)

Present: 1. Dr. K. Manivasan, I.A.S., Commissioner of Commercial Taxes

> 2. Thiru. R. Chandramohan, M.A., Additional Commissioner (PR)

3. Thiru. B. Gnanasekar, M.A.,
Additional Commissioner (RP)

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A.C.A.A.R 44/2012-13 D.Dis.Acts Cell II/22863/2012

Dated 25.10.2012

Ref: Application of TvI Resolute Restaurants Private Limited, No.1A, Jhaver Plaza, 8th Floor, Nungambakkam High Road, Chennai 600 034, dated 03-07-2012.

Tvl Resolute Restaurants Private Limited, No.1A, Jhaver Plaza, 8th Floor, Nungambakkam High Road, Chennai 600 034, (TIN: 33531503397) have filed an application and sought clarification under Section 48-A of the TNVAT Act, 2006 read with Rule 12-A of the TNVAT Rules, 2007.

2. The clarification was sought on the following in column 4 of Form VV;

"Restaurants – branded finished food items"

- 3. It was also stated by the dealer that the brand name will be "BBQ CHICKEN".
- 4. The issue has been examined in detail with reference to the provisions of the TNVAT Act and Rules and clarification is given as under:
- 5. Section 48-A of the TNVAT Act, 2006, provides for Clarification on any point concerning rate of tax.

- 6. The dealer has sought clarification on "branded finished food items".
- 7. There is no specific Entry for "Branded Finished Food Items" under any of the Schedules.
 - 8. Entry 69 of Part C of the First Schedule reads as follows: "Any other goods, not specified in any of the Schedules".
- 9. Branded finished food items fit into the description given under Entry 69 of Part C of the First Schedule to the Act.
- 10. The clarification, therefore, is that **branded finished food items** are unclassified items taxable at 14.5% under Entry 69 of Part C of the First Schedule to the TNVAT Act, 2006.

Sd/- R. Chandramohan Sd/- B. Gnanasekaran Sd/- Dr.K. Manivasan Additional Commissioner (PR) Additional Commissioner (RP) Commissioner of Commercial Taxes

To Tvl Resolute Restaurants Private Limited, No.1A, Jhaver Plaza, 8th Floor, Nungambakkam High Road, Chennai 600 034

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