

December 2012 Issue Was Great

December 2012 CA journal was awesome and exactly like an e-library. It has covered all recent updates which are relevant for the profession. All the articles were of high standards. Article on "Public Charitable Trust" was very good in narration and presentation and was presented in a way that even a layman can understand the concept. Also article on "Negative Working Capital" gave a great insight into financial parameters. Details of scheduled CPE. Programs in various chapters helped the members to participate in the programmes relevant to their areas of interest. Congrats to the Editorial Board for such an awesome "e library".

CA. Jomon C.V, Navi Mumbai

The December issue was the one filled with valuable knowledge about various international taxation rules and regulations, while the overview on aspects of public charitable trusts was a fascinating read. I would further like to add, that the Journal is compiled in such a professional manner covering vast topics in each issue that one gets updated just by reading this journal.

CA. S. Gulati

I received the December 2012 issue of our journal that turned out to be another valuable edition, with quite a number of valuable and relevant information. While the President's

message kept us informed of all the latest developments and activities of the institute, the article on Cloud Computing certainly was very interesting, as the new entrant into our Info Tech activities. The article under Corporate and Allied Laws "Hindu Laws and Hindu Succession Act 2005" added immensely to my knowledge on this aspect, and the one on "Corporate Social Responsibility", considering the important relevance in today's scenario, was surely worth reading. We hope to get more such interesting articles every month.

-CA. S. Jain

FM's Powerful words

Our present Finance Minister Shri P. Chidambaram said it rightly "I foresee a very crucial role for bankers and Chartered Accountants who can provide useful service to the nation by discharging their respective roles in an honest and diligent manner. They can provide meaningful checks to any attempt by unscrupulous organisations/elements in possible misuse of funds for any clandestine activity... The ICAI has a significant role in providing policy inputs to the Government in the areas of fiscal reforms, financial sector reforms and public finance." His words were indeed powerful and very relevant for today's CA. Our roles in the economic growth of the country must become more pronounced and strong. We must strive to bring

about such meaningful checks and ICAI must play an even stronger role in subjecting and correcting individuals who carry out covert and illegal activities. Sure worthwhile reading.

-CA. K.C. Garg

Shareholder Activism and CAs

This refers to article 'Shareholder Activism: Role of Proxy Voting Policy and Advisory Services' by Dr. Vasudha Joshi under 'Corporate Governance' Section in the CA Journal of November 2012. This article was interesting and worth reading! It helps everyone to understand the concept of shareholder activism and role of proxy advisory firms in promoting good corporate governance in India. I think shareholder activism is at a nascent stage in our country and CA's have a wide role to play in dissemination of its importance and implementation. Hope to read more such articles in future.

-CA Parikshit Menon, Pune

Suggestion

I am writing this mail because I am a regular reader of our Journal and I have a great suggestion for the journal. In my view there should be a expert Colum in Journal that may consist: Question – Answer basically queries raised by readers and their reply by other readers/experts.

-CA.Naveen Jain, New Delhi

Editor

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