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# INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT - INCOME TAX RETURN FORM OF ITR-6 IS ENABLED TO FILE THROUGH ONLINE MODE WITH PREFILLED DATA AT THE PORTAL

Applicability: Taxpayers, Tax Professionals, E-filing Portal Users

#### Introduction

On September 24, 2025, the Income Tax Department announced that Income Tax Return (ITR) Form ITR-6 for the Assessment Year (AY) 2025-26 is now available for online filing through the e-Filing portal. This enhancement allows taxpayers to file their returns with prefilled data, streamlining the filing process and reducing manual data entry errors.

#### **Key Features of Online Filing with Prefilled Data**

- Availability: ITR-6 for AY 2025-26 is accessible for online filing via the Income Tax e-Filing portal.
- Prefilled Data: Taxpayers can import prefilled data into the ITR-6 form, including details from Form 26AS and Annual Information Statement (AIS), by downloading the JSON file from the portal and uploading it into the ITR form.
- **Offline Utility**: An offline utility for ITR-6 is also available for taxpayers who prefer to file their returns offline.

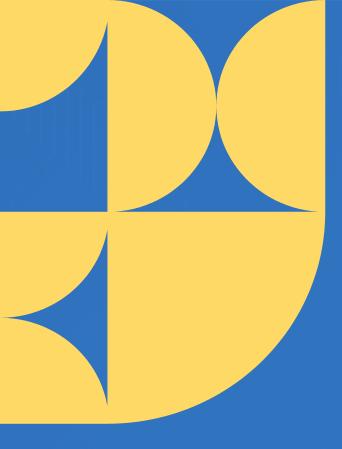
#### **Importance and Benefits**

- **Efficiency**: The prefilled data feature reduces the time spent on data entry, allowing for quicker and more accurate filing.
- **Accuracy**: Importing data directly from official sources minimizes the risk of errors and discrepancies in the return.
- Convenience: Taxpayers can file their returns from the comfort of their homes or offices, without the need for physical paperwork.
- **Compliance**: Ensures adherence to tax filing deadlines and requirements, reducing the likelihood of penalties.

#### Conclusion

The introduction of online filing for ITR-6 with prefilled data marks a significant step towards simplifying the tax filing process for AY 2025-26. Taxpayers and tax professionals are encouraged to utilize this feature to ensure timely and accurate submission of returns.

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