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Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from Tourist Guides' Federation of South India!

We hope that all our colleagues and other players in the In Bound industry had a profitable season of 2012/2013. We would like to bring the following to your attention.

### **Information**

1. Please pay income tax and register on the net to make sure that Tour operators have remitted the TDS within 30 days after deducting it from your account. In the following link you can check whether the Tour Operator has remitted the money or not. If it is not remitted, please bring it to the notice of Tour Operators and to us.  
<https://incometaxindiaefiling.gov.in/e-Filing/UserLogin/LoginHome.html?nextPage=taxCred>  
If you have any difficulty, we request you to contact our colleagues, Charles (9444011964) or Priya (9444903003) for further clarification.
2. Please consult an auditor and file your tax returns. It is very important for your future investments and insurance. If you do not have any known Auditor, you can contact the following Auditors, who are familiar in filing the audits of our mode of income.
  - Mr. Edser -9444039141 or 04428239141 (Near Nungambakkam)
  - Mr. Dhanapal-9841050848
3. Please pay insurance for life and for future savings. You can consult with your auditors also in this regard. If you require any consultation on Postal savings and nationalised insurance services, please do contact the following persons.
  - Mrs K Bagyalakshmi (9840145867)
  - Dr Haribaskar (9840761267) (nephew of our colleague Ms Kala)
4. We are planning to buy land by joining together and divide them amongst us equally after getting proper plan and approval. We are planning to divide the land at the cost of 1 lakh rupees per unit and it will be available only for the Regional Level Guides from India. We are looking for the appropriate land 1 to 5 acres. If you come across any such land please do inform us.
5. We will post in our website [www.tgfsi.org](http://www.tgfsi.org) the final bench mark fee in the next few days and send you the link.
6. In Kerala, all Regional Guides have joined together and have registered their First body for the Regional Guides in Kerala. Mr. V G. Kochuparambil is their first President. This is a very welcome move and we hope it proves to be another feather in our cap! We wish them all Success. After this successful move, only Tamilnadu will be left with divisions and non-unified members. We request all members to work hard in this direction to unite all Guides; thereby we have a strong and united Federation.



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7. With deep sorrow we inform you of the sudden death of our colleague, Poyyamozi, on 16 Feb at 1130 PM due to a massive heart attack at his residence at Valsaravakkam. He is survived by his wife P. Banumathy with 2 children, Manimozhi (10) and Madhumathi (8). Please pray and contribute for the welfare of his family. Indian Bank, SB/ AC number 601243930, Valsaravakkam, Chennai. The account holder's name is P. Banumathy.

**Activities**

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| April 2013     | One day workshop at Chennai   |
| June 2013      | Annual General Body Meeting, Hyderabad                                  |
| June/July 2013 | Study tour to North Andhra  |
| August 2013    | Charity day   |
| September 2013 | One day workshop at Chennai and the meet with Tour Operators and Agents |

We would like to request our colleagues to update with your address and email to us for smooth and better communication.

With Warm regards

Sudhakar S Selwyn

**Hon. Secretary, Tourist Guides' Federation of South India**

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