2. Inspection Checklist for Cash Procurements

The procurement transactions in Mongolia, in many cases among the small-scale individual owned enterprises, are cash transactions without receipts or barter transactions. It is important for these taxpayers to realize the importance of properly recording the procurement amounts also as a means of evidencing the correctness of their returns in taxation.

2.1 Identification of Cash Procurement Leads to Proper Identification of Sales Revenues (For those who do not keep books)

In performing inspection of procurement accounts, it is important also to check when the item was sold, in addition to verification of the veracity of the transaction. Specifically, prior to beginning the inspection of receipts relating to procurement, interview the supplier or through telephone directories in the office and other materials identify the transaction counter-parties.

Then the tax inspection is initiated, but during the inspection, a transaction confirmation should be performed with the supplier on an item by item basis to determine the true procurement amount, and procurement volume. Based on these facts, calculate the average gross margins for the month in which the inspection is undertaken and calculating backwards using the gross margins should produce the proper sales revenues.

It is necessary to confirm that the income amounts calculated above do not vary materially with income amounts of enterprises in the same industry-size who are filing proper income tax returns. This will also be a valuable evidential data in case legal appeal is made against the National Tax Authority's assessments.

2.2 Checking on Fictitious/Inflated Procurement (Recording parties)

In inspecting the procurement accounts of the taxpayer who prepares accounting records, the following two points should be borne in mind:

(1) Are fictitious procurements being recorded?

If there are phantom procurements being recorded there will be a reduction of the reported income by the same amount. Phantom procurements are created by falsifying receipts or by obtaining receipts from elsewhere. Attention should be paid to spot purchases, cash procurements, and large purchases at or near the end of the accounting period and an investigation of the goods movements will lead to an uncovering of fictitious accounting. If the responses given are dubious an effective inspection tactic is to go directly to the transaction counterpart to confirm the details of the transaction.

(2) Are the procurements being inflated?

In creating false accounting of procurements accounts there are two major methods: fictitious volumes and inflation of purchase prices. Recordation of fictitious volumes can be traced by following the movements of the goods but the inspection method for detecting padding of prices is involved.

In order to detect price padding, one needs to follow the price trend over time, say a year, of the same product and, at the same time, check with the counterpart.

The results of the examination will be greatly determined by the selection of the product to be investigated and the thoroughness of the investigation. In this sense, it is necessary for the inspector to develop "inspector's instincts", thus, it is important to continue training in this regard.

(3) Check also supplier's tax reporting situation

The procurement by the taxpayer represents a sale for the counterpart. Therefore, inspection of the procurement accounts is also an inspection of the revenue accounts of the counterpart. Examination of the counterpart's tax reporting status during the inspection will enable efficient selection of inspection targets.

3. Checkpoints in Inspecting the Various Expense Items

Individuals/enterprises that are familiar with accounting practices will eventually, as a result of the tax framework, direct their attention to increasing expenses. This is permissible so long as it is kept within the appropriate boundaries; however, once it crosses the boundaries then it becomes tax evasion. Driving this point home to the taxpayers that keep accounting records will be an important element in the future of Mongolian tax administration.

(1) Are household-related expenses included?

Household-related items refer to personal expenses that are unrelated with the business and it goes without saying that these items should not be expensed on the business accounts. It is important to continue questioning the taxpayer with regard to each expense item until the use of funds is abundantly clear.

Also, developing a nose able to sense the use of funds just by inspecting the receipt is an important step in the development of a capable inspector.

(2) Is the time of expense recognition appropriate?

In the inspection of the expense accounts, the inspections should not be limited to the determination of the veracity of the purported transaction but also should include examination of the appropriateness of the timing of the recognition of the transaction. In other words, it is important to understand that, in accordance with the principle of matching costs against revenues, even if payment has already been made, it must be recorded as a prepaid expense and the recognition of expenses must be deferred to the following accounting period.

(3) Are there false or inflated expense recordations?

Specific inspection checkpoints are the same as those outlined in the "Checkpoints for cash procurements" section but the peculiarities of the expense items include, (i)

those that do not entail movement of goods, such as meals, and (ii) consumable goods that are quickly consumed after purchase. As a result, it is difficult to uncover fictitious accounting from the movement of the goods; thus, it is necessary to use great care in the inspection.

4. Checkpoint for Asset Items

Actual verification of cash/deposit accounts is, in addition to the determination of other documents that are in the safe, the first step in the uncovering of improper accounting. Also, checks on the suspense accounts can lead to identification of back rebates that cannot be recognized in the expense accounts. As the calculation of the depreciation of fixed assets has a significant impact on the determination of the enterprise income, the acquisition of appropriate knowledge is essential.

(1) Actual Inspection of Cash Deposit Accounts

In the cash account check that the book balances correspond to the actual outstanding. However, those who have the intention to evade taxation will be able to fix the balances to match if prior notice of an inspection is given. For businesses involving cash transactions a surprise inspection without prior notice is an effective way to undertake such inspections.

In executing surprise inspections, it is important to determine the prior day's sales revenues and the location of the supporting documents. An examination must determine whether the taxpayer is conducting proper accounting practices on a day to day basis. If the inspector uncovers omissions in the accounting, it is important to persuade the taxpayer to admit to the practice of such practices in other instances in the past.

After these examinations are complete, the only remaining task is to perform the determination of the revenues using gross margins.

If discrepancies are uncovered between the book and the actual cash balances, the erroneous entries can be discovered by tracing all entries.

(2) Checking of Details of the Suspense Accounts (Suspense Payment Accounts, Advances etc.)

Suspense items refer to items for which cash/deposits have already been expended but the details of the expenditure or timing of expense recognition cannot be yet determined. These items, sometimes, are linked with improper expenditures.

For example, if a rebate is demanded by a counterpart, a payment is made and booked as a suspense item but at the end of the accounting period the balances still remain on the balance sheet as without a proper receipt it cannot be expensed. A further examination of these items, for the taxpayer who is being inspected, results in an increase in expenses, but for the recipient, it is likely that he has not recorded the receipt as a revenue item. If this information is utilized in inspections of the counterpart, inspections that have some immediate effectiveness can be realized.

This is an area where data based information must be a priority.

(3) Depreciation of Fixed Assets

Inspection of asset items must be carried out with the following points in mind:

- (i) Confirmation of the use of a proper depreciation period in the calculation of the depreciation expense.
- (ii) Ensure that items that properly should be classified as fixed assets are not being expensed as consumable or as repairs.
- (iii) Ensure that improper payments are not being included into the purchase price of fixed assets and expensed as depreciation expenses.

Often, considering the impact that the depreciation expense has on the profit and loss determination, depreciation is looked upon lightly by the inspectors. Especially items such as (iii) where improper payments are included in the fixed assets, the

amounts tend to be large and often some years have lapsed since the time of the purchase and, as a result, examination is often abbreviated. There are some taxpayers who takes advantage of this tendency; hence, it is desirable that a review of this item is always included.

5. Checkpoint of Liability Items

Some liability accounts can lead to discovery of improper accounting practices. One is a classification of accounts that have been used in the padding of expenses/fictitious expenses and the other is a metamorphosis of items that should have been recognized as income. Scrutiny of these accounts will lead to discovery of improper accounting practices.

(1) Check on Overstatement of Accounts Payable/Accrued Expenses Items

The importance of the inspection of these accounts lies in the fact that these accounts are used in accounting entries as outlined below.

- ☐ Purchases \$XXX / Accounts Payable \$XXX
- [] Expenses \$YYY / Accrued Expenses \$YYY

In other words, most of the counterpart accounts of the liability accounts are linked to profit and loss accounts and those who want to achieve a substantial reduction in profits at the end of the accounting period tend to record fictitious purchases or expenses. In inspecting these accounts, in addition to a close scrutiny of the delivery notice/invoice issued by the supplier a confirmation of execution of actual payment should be made in the following accounting period. In many cases the payment for fictitious items are made in cash. It goes without saying that in confirmation of such transactions, examination of the counterpart is an effective inspection technique.

(2) Examination of Deposits Received/Suspense Receipts/Deferred Accounts that Should be Recognized as Income

These accounts are used in deferring sales revenues that have been received but not yet recognized into revenues and recorded on the balance sheet as liability items. Under normal circumstances, these amounts would be transferred to revenue accounts in the following accounting period, but in some cases some are paid out by cash/deposits without having been transferred to revenues.

Proper Entry: Deferred Amounts \$XXX / Sales \$XXX

Improper Entry: Deferred Amounts \$YYY / Cash \$YYY

As a result of such entries, sales revenues are paid out to an individual without having been transferred and recognized as income. Therefore, for these accounts scrutiny should be made from the following perspectives:

- (i) Are there any items that ought to be transferred into Sales (Income) Accounts?
- (ii) Are there items that have been paid out directly?
- (3) Examination of Borrowings Accounts (Utilizing Off the Book Assets as Working Capital via Personal Borrowings Accounts)

Taxpayers who have accumulated off the book assets through the practice of improper accounting, sometimes resort to the use of Personal Borrowing Accounts in order to utilize the misappropriated funds as working capital into the enterprise when they experience shortage of working capital. A careful examination of increases/decreases in these accounts and checking the source and use of these funds will often facilitate discovery of impropriety in the accounting. In many cases, the funds raised through such improprieties tend to accumulate in the bank accounts of the taxpayer and it is necessary for the inspector to gain skills of conducting investigations against banks.

6. Inspection Items for Each Account Category

Cash and Deposits

Cash and Deposits - 1

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transaction procedural table	Identification of the types of tickets used
	for the Receipt and Disbursements of	Who has the authority over the movement
	Cash & Deposits/Receipt of interest	of cash and deposit accounts?
	Reconciliation of Balance Report and the	Correctness of the balances,
	Cash/Deposit Ledgers and account	reconciliation with the previous
	analysis	accounting period
	Examination of Loan-to-Deposit ratio	Are there off balance sheet deposits being
	(restricted deposits/borrowings) and its	pledged against borrowings?
	correspondence to borrowings	. 0
Balances	Actual inspection of Cash/Deposit	Are expenditures of illegal funds being
24	Certificates and reconciliation of actual	disguised in the deposit balances?
	inspection tables against cash ledgers	
	Obtaining Cash/Deposit Certificates and	Identification of cash and deposits that
	reconcile	are not in the scope of actual inspection
		Identification of off balance sheet assets
	Reconciliation of Receipt for Collateral and Cash Ledgers/Statements	igentification of oil tenance succe assets
	Inspection of cash on hand and existence	Check on fictitious transactions
	of abnormal balances and cause/existence	•
Common	of approvals	
Inspection	Amendments/soiling/continuity in ink	Scrutiny of redundant entries, entry
Inspection	color	changes/reasons to uncover improprieties
•	Repetitive occurrence of amended entries	Major amendments signal likelihood of
	Repetitive occurrence of aniciaca cities	improprieties
	Entries of same amount or to the same	Of these one of them may be a fictitious
	party twice or more in one month	entry
	Existence of nonstandard payment method	Abnormal transactions may signal
	Existence of nonstandard payment incursor	improper accounting
	Danasit account that is not processory	Amounts remitted into personal accounts
	Deposit account that is not necessary given the scale and business conditions	even though the underlying transaction is
	given the scale and business conditions	a corporate transaction may signal
		improprieties
		Impropriettos
Deposits	Reconciliation of copies of Receipts and	
	Cash Ledgers	l
	Actual inspection of used/unused Receipt	Seizure of copies of receipts used in
	Ledgers and reconciliation with Receipt	exclusion from sales
	and Disbursement Ledger	
Expenditures	Reconciliation of Receipts/Invoices with	For transactions without invoices confirm
23.7	the Cash Ledger	the details
		Suspect fictitious purchases or payment
		of expenses
		Examine also dealings with isolated
		locations
	Reconciliation of Deposit Book to cash	Have revenues been disguised as
	ledger	borrowings?
Bad Loans	Confirmation of bad loan occurrence	Have accounts receivable been disguised
Day Loans	Commination of bad loan occurrence	as bad toans?
Interest	Reconciliation of Bank Interest	Are there any receipts of interest from off
Interest		balance sheet deposits?
	Statements with Deposit/Interest accounts	Togranice succi acposits:

Accounts Receivable

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transaction procedure chart relating to recording of Accounts Payable/ Sales/Deposits	Identification of items omitted from sales How are the identification and controls over accounts receivable and collections being effected? Who makes the judgements on bad loan classification?
Balances	Reconciliation of balances by accounts with prior period end balances	Identify period end omissions Reductions caused by returns/discounts may signal fictitious returns/discounts
	Confirmation with customers and inspections of causes of any discrepancies between the responses received and ledger balances	Beware of accounts with "0" balances
	Inspection of next period business conditions/recovery records	Are there items being deferred to the next period?
Recovery	Reconciliation with Cash/Deposits	Are the transactions being property recorded?
,	Reconcitiation of copies of Receipts and Ledger	Compare dates, counterpart, and invoices
	Deposit slips, remittance notice	Ensure that accounts receivable are not being collected into off balance sheet deposits. Confirm settlement procedures
Bad Loans	Confirmation of occurrence of bad loans, check occurrence of write-offs	Has there been any collection in the post closing?

Inventory

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transaction procedural	Who is responsible for inventory count
	chart regarding Receipt and	and how is it done?
	Disbursement	
Balances	Reconciliation of Inventory Sheet and	Are consigned inventories being excluded?
	the Receipt & Disbursement Ledgers	Is there any calculation error?
	Appropriateness of the method and	Timing and method of inventory count
Inventory	procedures for Inventory count,	
	examination of continuity,	
	reconciliation with prior period	
	Observation of physical inventory and	Are inventories being recorded based on
	the state of inventory management	approximation?
		Are specific items being excluded?
	Reconciliation with inventory lisU	Has there been any tampering in the
	receipt & disbursement ledger	numbers or values?
Receipt and	Reconciliation of Packing List against	Have the addressee /date /volume /value/
Disbursement	the Receipt & Disbursement ledger	totals been sorted and recorded
Ledger	Reconciliation of Purchase Request,	Have the addressee/date/volume/value/
Procurement	copy of Order and Procurement Ledger	totals been sorted and recorded
Ledger	''	Are there any fictitious/off the book
_		transactions?
	For eash procurements reconcile	Confirm existence of invoices
	Packing List/Receipt against Receipt &	Are there any redundant payments?
	Disbursement Ledger	
	Check the records of receipt against	Existence of lags between the time of
	Procurement Ledger and Receipt &	appropriation and unrecorded
	Disbursement Ledger	procurement inventory balances
	Reconciliation of Return Receipts,	Are there any sold items that have been
	Discount Calculation Sheet and the	treated as returned goods?
Rebates &	Receipt & Disbursement Ledger	Are there any items that have been
Discounts		recorded as purchased at full value but
	}	actually had been discounted?
	Reconciliation of copies of Returns	Confirmation of incidence of returns and
	Packing List, Shipping Ledger and	item control
	Receipt & Disbursement Ledger	
	Reconciliation of copies of Receipt/	Are the sorting entries appropriate?
	Settlement Receipt, Invoices against	
	Receipt & Disbursement Ledger	
	Reconciliation of receipt &	Is the timing of the Appropriation
	disbursement volumes at immediately	appropriate?
	prior to and post period end in	1
	Procurement Ledger/Sales Ledger/	!
	Receipt & Disbursement Ledger	

Loans/Suspense Payment

1	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transaction	Types of documents prepared and stored
•	procedural charts regarding	
	accrual/extinction of claims	
	Confirmation of Detaits by Debtor	Purpose of the credit
		Are there any long term loans?
Balances	Comparison of current balances by debtor with prior period	Reasons for change
1300000	Reconciliation of Agreement,	Confirmation of borrowers and loan terms
	Borrowing Note, Guarantee,	
	Deposit Receipt against the	
	Statement	
	Inspection of amount of potentially	
	irrecoverable claims	
	Inspection of business conditions/	Are the amounts being collected as
	collection records in the succeeding	scheduled?
	period	
	Inspection of the propriety of	Reasons for not being finalized
	having accounts with values non-	Are there any long-term suspense payments?
	finalized	
	Comparison with prior period end	Reason for the variance
Receipt of	collateral types/values	
Collateral	Comparisons of changes in	Are there any off balance sheet loans?
~	collateral and changes in Ioan value	•
	Reconciliation of copies of	
	Collateral Receipts against Ledger	
	records and Statement	
	Reconciliation of Receipts for	Confirmation of the date and the party to
	Collateral Received against	which security was restored
	Records of Restoration	
Appropriation	Reconciliation of Agreement/	Confirm loan and loan purpose/terms/
	Borrowing Note against Statements	existence of collateral/loan details including
		interest rate
	Reconciliation of Receipt/Deposit	Propriety of large Suspense Payments
	Receipts against Statements	Beware of fictitious expense, purchases
	Interest Received	How are interest payments being accepted?
Interest	Reconciliation of Interest	Are the interest rates correctly calculated?
	Calculation Statement/copies of	
	Receipts/copies of Invoices with	
	the Interest Accounts	
	Non-interest bearing loans	Is interest being received in another way?

Fixed Assets

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transaction procedural	What types of documents are being
•	chart regarding Purchase/	prepared
	Construction/Divestment/Removal	
	Analysis of Statements showing	Are the records sorted?
Balances	Carry-overs, Change and Period end	
	Balance	
	Comparisons with balance in the	Are there any items in which the balance
	Statement of prior period end	have materially changed?
	Inspection of occurrence of	Has there been acquisition for value?
	acquisition for value	Is the purchase price being overstated?
	<u> </u>	Have off balance sheet funds been
		utilized in payment for the purchase?
Loans	For items lent, confirm Loan	Confirm the loan
	Agreement and reconcile with Fixed	
	Asset Ledger/Statement	
	Inspection of monthly receipts of	Confirm Agreement and copies of
	rental payments	Receipts
	'	Confirm the method of receipts
Visual Inspection	Obtain asset layout diagram and	Are there any off balance sheet assets?
	perform actual confirmation	·
Provision of	Comparison with prior period end	Are off balance sheet assets being
Collateral	collateral types/value provided	provided as collateral?
	Existence of borrowings from non-	Suspect off the book transactions
	relationship banks	
	Reconciliation of Loan Agreement/	Purpose of the borrowing
	Borrowing Note/Collateral Deposit	
	Receipt against Ledger Statement	
Appropriation	Reconciliation against Agreement,	Confirmation of purchase and purchase
	Estimate, Fixed Asset Ledger and	price
	Statement	
	Reconcile Packing Stip, Receipt,	Confirmation of addressee, date and
	Invoice against Fixed Asset Ledger,	method of payment
	Statement	
Divestment and	Analysis of the details of the	Confirmation of the occurrence of a
Removal	reduction	divestment, removal or disposal.
		Have these assets become off balance
		shect assets?
	Existence of new equipment plans for	What is the reason for the divestment of
	assets sold or removed	removal?
	Confirm the details of the agreement	Confirm amount and settlement method.
	from the Agreement	
	Reconcile against Fixed Asset Ledger	

Accounts Payable/Accrued Expenses

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Preparation of transactional	Who is responsible for purchases and
	procedural chart regarding	accounts payable, payment of expenses and
	Appropriation/Payment	funds flow?
	Reconciliation of Item by Item	Are there errors in the Appropriation or
	Statement against the ledger	summation?
Balances	Comparison of balances by	Existence of spot or transactions with
	counterparts with prior period end	parties in remote areas
	balances	Existence with parties whose names or
		addresses are ambiguous
	Comparison of amount recorded this	Confirmation of the causes of the variance.
	period with prior period	
	Confirmation with obligors with	Reasons for the large amount/long-term.
	large/long-term balances	Suspicion of fictitious entries.
	Inspection of Waybills, Packing List	Are there items for the following period
	sent within several days of period end	included in this period?
	Transactions with a differing time lag	The reasons behind the difference
0	period between Appropriation and	
Common	payment	D
Inspection	Existence of payments made on days	Reasons Suspicion of payment for a fictitious
	other than the normal payment date	,
	Laidana a Constilla manuscrita the	transaction Duplication? There is a possibility of
	Incidence of multiple payments to the	transaction without substance
	same party within a month Transactions involving large amounts	Scrutinize transactions with new customers
	Transactions involving rarge amounts	Compare the amount of the transaction
		relative to the size of the customer
	Examine existence of off the book/	Confirm purchase related documents
	fictitious transaction	including copies of order forms
	Examine return receipts and discount	Confirmation of the actual returns or
	calculation statements	discounts
Appropriation	Inspection and verification of	Check for calculation errors
rippropriation	contents of Packing List, Waybills,	Check for elaboration et als
	and Invoices	
	Examination of Purchase Request,	Examine addressee, date and volumes
	copies of Order Forms and Estimates	Are the prices appropriate (too low, too
		high)?
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Reconciliation of Receipts and	Has the payment been made on the date
Payment	Invoices	specified and what are the payment terms?
•	Examine Bank Remittance	Confirm methods of payment
	Applications	Suspect payment from bank not recorded or
		the books or from off balance sheet
		deposits
	Verify Cash and Deposits	Confirm payment
Returns and	Examine Return Receipt, Discount	Confirm date, addressee, returns and
Discounts	Calculation Statement and Invoice	discounts
	Reconcile with Inventory Receipt and	Are the items sorted and recorded?
	Expenditure Ledger	

Borrowings

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention
Organization	Prepare transaction procedural chart	Who negotiates the borrowings and what
	regarding Borrowings/Repayments	types of documentation are prepared?
	Verification and analysis of	Relationship to lender, purpose of the
	Statements and Ledger	borrowing, repayment terms
	Comparison of Borrowing Balances	Confirmation of the reasons for the changes
Balances	by lender with prior period end balances	Examine borrowings from individuals
	Comparisons of changes in deposit	Examine Loan to deposit ratio (restricted
	balances with changes in the	deposits/borrowings), off balance sheet
	borrowing balances	deposits, fictitious borrowings
	Lender by lender comparisons of	Correspondence with borrowing balances
	interest payments with prior period	1
	Reconciliation of Loan Balance	Confirm bank name, addressee and dates
	Certificate with Statements	Verify copies with originals
	Confirm Borrowing Balances with	Confirm the fact of the borrowing
	lender	Are off balance sheet deposits being
	Kildei	disguised as borrowings?
	Describet on Agreement	Confirm details of the borrowings and cash
	Reconcile Loan Agreement, Borrowing Notes, Deposit Book and	receipts
	, -	receipts
	Statements	Configuration of and appropriate
	Examine borrowing and repayment	Confirm repayments and repayment
	records of succeeding period	methods
	 	Appropriateness of period end balances
	Comparison of Types and values of	Reasons for the difference
Collateral	collateral pledged with prior period	Are off balance sheet assets being used as colfateral?
	Comparison of the changes in the	Existence of off balance sheet borrowings
	value of Pledged Collateral with the	Existence of off balance sheet collateral
	changes in the Borrowing Balances	
	Reconciliation of Loan Agreement,	Confirmation of borrowing
	Guarantee, Borrowing Note and	-
	Statements	
	Reconcitiation of Deposit Receipt,	Confirmation of borrowing
	Collateral Receipt with Statements	
	For short-term borrowings, examine	Maturity, collateral, interest rates, reasons
	by use of funds, lender, amount and	for the short term
	terms	
Common	Borrowings from non-relationship	Confirm borrowing terms, purpose of the
Inspection	bank, from individuals	borrowing.
p. v	,	Suspect off balance sheet transactions
	Abnormal rates of interest (too low or	Suspect fictitious interest payments
	too high)	Suspect off balance sheet borrowings
	Irregular repayment periods	ouspect off balance sites out out on ingo
Appropriation	Reconcile Loan Agreement, copies of	Confirm details of the borrowing
erbhiobitation	Loan Application with Statements	Are off balance sheet funds being disguised
	Loan Appreauon with Statements	
Danasara	Decemble Descints with Contrary -	as borrowings?
Repayment	Reconcile Receipts with Statement	Confirm repayments and methods of
	Provide the state of the state	repayment
Interest	Examine the period end accounting	Existence of omission of liabilities
	treatment methodology from interest	Is this interest payment for borrowings that
	calculation period in the period	exist?

Suspense Receipts

	Inspection Item/Focus	Items Requiring Special Attention	
Organization Preparation of transactional procedural chart regarding Accrual /Extinction of liabilities		What items are included in Suspense Receipts? What documents are prepared?	
Balances	Examination of Statements by Counterpart and Ledger	For long term suspense items, the reasons	
	Comparison of balances by counterpart with prior period	Reasons for the variance Suspect fictitious transactions for those with no clear addresses or with parties in remote areas	
Common Inspection	If the counterpart is a supplier/customer or individuals Long-term suspense items that have	Reasons Confirm details of the transaction Reasons for payment	
	been suddenly paid Large value items	Confirm the settlement method Is there a receipt of off balance sheet funds?	
Appropriation	Reconcitiation of Deposit Books with Statements	Factual confirmation	
	Reconcile copies of Receipts against Statements	Propriety of treatment of large amount as Suspense Receipts Examine the source of funds	
Payment	Reconcile copies of Receipts against Statements	Beware of treatment of large amount as Suspense Receipts Examine date and handwriting	
	Reconcile Deposit Books against Statements	Factual confirmation of dates, etc.	

7. Indirect Method Taxation

The calculation of the income in Income Taxation and Corporate Taxation is based upon exclusion of required expenses from the total revenues. If the taxation authorities exclude those taxpayers for whom income calculations from the actual values are made difficult due to factors such as the taxpayer not keeping book records, lack of documentation on original records (cash register slips, invoices, receipts etc.), or inaccurate records even if the taxpayer had been keeping books, from being subject to taxation, it would contravene the Principle of Fairness of Taxation and from the perspective of those who are paying taxes and filing tax returns is inexcusable.

In these cases, the taxation authorities will need to gather information required for the calculation of taxable income from other sources and using information levy taxes based on an estimate. This is referred to as Taxation under Indirect Method and applied in the above-mentioned cases where there is a lack of accounting records or original records and also used in order to verify the reported amounts in cases where tax returns have been filed.

Examples of methods of estimation by industry are listed below for reference.

Industry	Estimation Methodology	Notes
Hotels	Number of bed sheets used per year X average revenue per hotel user Number of hotel users calculated by the number of towers purchased X average revenue per hotel user	In addition to bed sheets look also at meals served
Restaurants	[Rice]	[] Measure the weight per
(Chinese Food)	Annual volume of rice purchased/volume of rice used per rice cooker X number of rice servings per rice cooker X average price of the meal *obtain the purchase volume through checks with the supplier	meal (1) Reduce the volume for leftovers, servings for family and employees
	 Daily frequency of cooking rice X number of portions at each cooking cycle X average price of the mean X number of operating days *Number of Operating Days = Number of days in the year - holidays 	
	[Noodles] [] Number of balls of noodles used per year X average price of serving	
	*Obtain annual usage volume through checking with the supplier	
	{Coffee] O Volume of coffee beans purchased in a year (kg.) X number of cups per kg. X average price per cup * Obtain annual purchases through checking with the supplier	The number of cups differ according to the preparation method (drip, syphon etc.)
Liquor Retailer Bars	Number of bottles of liquors purchased X average price per bottle *classify by types (whisky, beer, vodka etc.) ** obtain purchase volume through checking with the supplier	☐ Finer the classification, the more accurate the estimation ☐ Ensure all purchases are captured ☐ Take into consideration self-consumption ☐ Take into consideration inventory

8. Items to be Included in Interviews Conducted During Inspections

Business Summary

As of MM, DD, YYYY

t. Overvi	ew of the Bi	usiness					
	Name	<u> </u>			Name		
Owner				Facility			
Ì	Address				Location		
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Business				Date Estat	olished		
Details				Renovatio	n Date		
				Operating	Hours		
Em	ployees				el Expenses		
Principal/				Monthly A	lverage		Tg.
family	People						•
Employees	People	Annualized	People	Annual			Tg.
Part time	People			Part time			Tg.
	Fixed Holida	ys		Condition	on of the Faci	lity	
Every	day	Days per me	enth		, Good, Fair,		
			Equipme	ent Status			
Counter			People	Equipmen	/Machines	Number	
Tables			People				
Rooms			People				
Other			People				
Total Capacity	y		People				•

2. Cash Control

Cash register/Sa	fe/Cash box/Other ()
Responsible Person		

3. Preparation and Filing of Original Records

Register Slips	Receipts	Invoices	Memos		
Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N	Y/N

4. Certificates Prepared/Received

	Time of Order Receipt (Time of Order Issuance)	Time of Belivery	Time of Invoice	Time of Receipt (Time of Payment)	How are copies of certificates issued and to parties and those received filed
Sales					
Procurement					
Expenses					

5. Types of Ledgers Kept and Status of Appropriation

Ledgers		Recording	Ledgers		Recording
Cash Ledger	Y/N	Y/N(by MM,DD)	Procurement Ledger	Y/N	Y / N(by MM,DD)
Sales Ledger	Y/N	Y / N(by MM,DD)	Payable Ledger	Y/N	Y / N(by MM,DD)
Receivable Ledger	Y/N	Y / N(by MM,DD	Expense Ledger	Y/N	Y / N(by MM,DD

6. Check at the Time of Inspection ① (If appropriate mark [O] if not appropriate mark with [XI)

Sales	Procurement	Expenses		
Recording of eash sales	Recording of eash sales	Personnel Expenses		
Recording Spot (extra) sales	Recording Spot (extra) sales	Balance with expenses related to sales		
Recording of Sales in Remote areas	Recording of Sales in Remote	Existence of expenses not related to the business		
Recording of settlements by remittances	Seasonal Variances	Proportional apportionment of bousehold expenses		
Recording of sales during special sale events		Exclusion of household expenses		
Recording of self- consumption				
Seasonal Variances				
Recording of Miscellaneous (Rebates) Revenues				

Check at the Time of Inspection ② (In case of Appropriation based on estimation)

Sales	Procurement	Expenses
Method of estimation	Method of estimation	Method of estimation
Does it correspond to procurement	Does it correspond to sales	Does it correspond to sales
Compare with own statement	Compare with own statement	Does it correspond to procurement

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Checks at the Time of Inspection (4)

Inventory	
On the spot inventory	
Consigned'custodial inventory	
If estimated, method of estimation	

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7. Trend of Sales over Progressive Years

Sales	Procure	Expenses		Sales	Procure	Expenses	
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