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Department of Revenue/ राजस्व विभाग
Central Board of Direct Taxes/ केंद्रीय प्रत्यक्ष कर बोर्ड

Room No. 10018, Kartavya Bhavan-1,
New Delhi, the 18th March, 2026

Subject: Order under section 119 of the Income-tax Act, 1961-reg.

The Financial Year 2025-26 closes on 31st March, 2026 (Tuesday), which is a Closed Holiday on the occasion of Mahavir Jayanti.

2. Therefore, to facilitate completion of pending departmental work, all the Income Tax Offices throughout India shall remain open on 31st March, 2026. This direction is issued for administrative convenience by the Central Board of Direct Taxes in exercise of powers conferred under section 119 of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

Sd/-

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