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Government extends certain timelines to ease compliances

The Central Government, in continuation of its commitment to address the hardship being faced by various stakeholders on account of the Covid-19 pandemic, has, on consideration of representations received from various stakeholders, decided to extend timelines for compliances under the Income-tax Act, 1961 (hereinafter referred to as “the Act”) in the following cases, as under:

- Time limit for intimation of Aadhaar number to the Income tax Department for linking of PAN with Aadhaar has been extended from **30th September, 2021** to **31st March, 2022**.
- The due date for completion of penalty proceedings under the Act has also been extended from **30th September, 2021** to **31st March, 2022**.

Further, the time limit for issuance of notice and passing of order by the Adjudicating Authority under the Prohibition of Benami Property Transactions Act, 1988 has also been extended to **31st March, 2022**.

Notification no. 113 of 2021 dated 17th September, 2021 has been issued in this regard and can be accessed at www.incometaxindia.gov.in.

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