

UDAY VED JOINS KNAV'S TAX PRACTICE

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KNAV announces that former Big 4 partner, Uday Ved has joined the firm in their Mumbai office as Lead Partner in their Global Tax Practice Group. As a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in India with a rich wealth of experience spanning over several decades, Uday brings in unparalleled wisdom and value to the firm. Uday's clients have included Indian and foreign multinational companies in multiple sectors including infrastructure, technology, manufacturing, retail and pharmaceutical sectors.

Uday has more than 30 years of experience in M&A, inbound and outbound tax structuring, cross-border transactions and global reorganizations, He has held positions with Big 4 firms as National Head of Tax; KPMG India, Global Tax Partner of Andersen India and Co-Head of Tax; RSM (Ratan S Mama, India).

Uday has been regularly nominated as a leading Indian Tax Adviser by Euromoney in the last one decade. Uday has also co-authored a book titled 'General Anti-Avoidance Rule' (GAAR) – establishing substance over form, published by Bloomsbury UK.

Over the years he has interacted extensively with the Central Board of Direct Taxes and Regulatory bodies in India in making representations to them on important international and domestic tax as well as regulatory issues.

On personal front, Uday is married to Smita and the couple have a son, Vishal and daughter-in-law Dimple as immediate family. Uday's interests include cricket, music and singing.

"I am delighted to be part of KNAV's entrepreneurial journey to expand and strengthen the Tax practice in India and globally. KNAV is a strong brand in India and across the globe providing professional services and delivering business solutions in the field of audit, advisory and tax and I am confident that with my experience of working with Big 4s over the last three decades, this will be a perfect partnership to contribute to the Firm and take it to the next level" said Uday Ved.

"Uday moves into this role at a critical time as many tax policies and regulations are being transformed around the world. The wealth of experience that he brings will add tremendous value to our clients, both, in India and internationally" said Nishta Sharma, Managing Partner; KNAV

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