

!! CAUTION-Online PAN/TAN, TDS/TCS & Form 24G applicants!!

The general public is hereby informed that the Income Tax Department (ITD), Government of India has appointed only two entities namely Protean eGov Technologies Limited (Protean) [Formerly NSDL e-Governance Infrastructure Limited (NSDL e-Gov)] and UTI Infrastructure Technologies Services Limited for purpose of receiving and processing of PAN applications. No other entity has been authorised to undertake this activity on behalf of ITD.

Protean *[Formerly NSDL e-Gov]* receives and processes PAN/TAN, TDS/TCS & Form 24G applications through TIN-Facilitation Centres/ PAN Centres/ Online requests. Details of the same are published in www.tin-nsdl.com.

PAN/ TAN, TDS/TCS & Form 24G applicants using Protean's **online services** are hereby advised to ensure that they use the said online facility of Protean only through the aforesaid URL and pay the application processing fee as prescribed by ITD.

PAN/TAN, TDS/TCS & Form 24G applicants using any unauthorised URLs/ domains will be doing so at their own risks and consequences. Protean [Formerly NSDL e-Gov] will not liable for any loss or damage that may be suffered or incurred directly or indirectly by PAN/TAN, TDS/TCS & Form 24G applicants while dealing with such unauthorized individuals/ entities and person/ officer/ director/ staff associated with such entities. Protean is also not liable for sharing personal information to such entities or their representatives or on their online website/ portals as well as for supplying payment credentials on such websites/ portals or making online/ physical instrument payment.

In case of any assistance in this regard, you may reach us at <u>tininfo@proteantech.in</u> or call us on 020 – 2721 8080.