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Government of India  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Posts  
(Personnel Division)

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Dak Bhavan, Sansad Marg  
New Delhi-110001

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**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

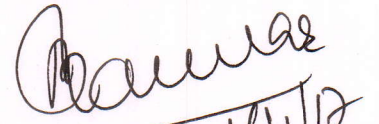
**Subject: Transfer Policy for officers of Indian Postal Service (IPoS), Group 'A' (Junior Time Scale, Senior Time Scale, Junior Administrative Grade and Senior Administrative Grade).**

Reference is invited to the Transfer Policy of Indian Postal Service Officers, Group 'A' (JTS to SAG) issued vide this office OM of even number dated 04.04.2011 and subsequent modifications issued vide OM dated 29.03.2012. The matter has been revisited and the Competent Authority has approved the following amendments to the existing Transfer Policy guidelines :-

- (i) Provision limiting the total period of deputation to a maximum 12 years only is hereby deleted and provisions of DOPT will be followed in this regard.
- (ii) Circle/Directorate tenure is hereby increased from the existing 12 years to 15 years.
- (iii) Postings in RAKNPA, PTCs and DPLI will not be treated as part of the Circle tenure.

2. The other provisions contained in OMs dated 04.04.2011 and 29.03.2012 will remain unchanged.

3. Hindi version will follow.

  
(Brajesh Kumar) 16/1/17  
Director (Staff)

**Copy to:**

1. PS to MOS(I/C) (C).
2. PPS to Secretary (P).
3. PPS to Director General Postal Services.
4. All Members Postal Services Board.
5. CGM (BD& M) / CGM (PLI)/ Sr. DDG (Vig.)/JS & FA.
6. Director, Rafi Ahmed Kidwai National Postal Academy, Ghaziabad.
7. Secretary, PSB/ DDG(P).
8. All CPMsG/PMsG.

9. Addl DG, APS C/O 56 APO.
10. All DDsG/ GMs.
11. GM(CEPT), Mysore with a request to upload the order on India Post website.
12. All Directors of Postal Training Centres.
13. Directors of Accounts, Postal, Delhi.
14. Director (Philately & Admn), Dak Bhawan, New Delhi.
15. ADG (Admn)/ PEA/C&A/PB Admn/PE-II/GA/Parliament Section, Dak Bhawan, New Delhi.
16. CS to Member (P).
17. SO's Guard File.

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