No.-17-01/2017-GDS Government of India **Ministry of Communications** Department of Posts (GDS Section)

> Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110 001 Dated: 09.11.2023

Addendum

Subject: Gramin Dak Sevaks (Compassionate Engagement) Scheme, 2023.

In continuation of this office OM No. 17-01/2017-GDS of even number dated 14.06.2023 whereby the GDS (Compassionate Engagement) Scheme, 2023 was issued, the following provisions are hereby added to para 4 of the GDS (Compassionate Engagement) Scheme, 2023:

> Note 3: Where the Divisions are headed by the officers of PS Group B and above (below JAG level), but there is no post of Regional Director in the Region the recommendations will be approved by Regional PMG/DPS (HQ) of the Circle.

> Note 4: Para 4 is applicable in the cases where Division is headed by below JAG Level Officers (PS Group B and above)

4A: Where a division is headed by an officer of JAG and above:

i) The constitution of the CCE will be as under:

Member 1- Head of the Division (JAG and above)

Member 2- Officer of PS Group B level or above from the same Division to be nominated by head of Division [In absence of any officer of above PS Group B level, the ASP/IP responsible for looking after the GDS compassionate engagement in the Division]

Member 3- Senior most Sub Divisional Head in the Division.

- ii) The recommendations of the CCE would be put up to the Regional PMG or CPMG, as the case may be, for approval.
- iii) In case the post of Divisional head (JAG and above) is vacant, and no additional charge has been ordered, the members of the Committee will be nominated by the DPS (HQ)/Regional Director/Regional PMG/CPMG, as the case may be, and recommendations of the CCE will also be put up to the same authority for approval.

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All the Chief Postmasters General - for kind information with request to circulate the addendum to all concerned in the respective Circles.

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