No.17-09/COVID-2020-GDS Government of India Ministry of Communications Department of Posts (GDS Section)

> Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110 001 Dated: 24.04.2020

To

All Chief Postmasters General/All Postmasters Generals
Chief General Manager, BD Directorate/ Parcel Directorate/ PLI Directorate
Director, RAKNPA/ GM, CEPT/ Directors of All PTCs
Addl. Director General, Army Postal Services, New Delhi.
All General Managers(Finances)/ Directors Postal Accounts/ DDAP

Subject: Uploading videos/audios/texts on social Media platforms against the interests of Department of Posts by Union representative/members during COVID-19 – reg.

Madam/Sir,

It is observed that some Union representatives/staff are uploading videos/audios/text comments requesting for improvement in service conditions in the Department on YouTube/Twitter and other social Media accounts. Moreover, some GDS have demanded to give them status of departmental employees through social media.

- 2. As you are aware, all the service Unions/ staff/ GDS have ample opportunities to represent their grievances/ suggestions to the concerned authority through proper channel.
- 3. Therefore, you are requested to bring it to the notice of all the employees/ GDS that uploading of such videos/audios/text comments on any social media platform may invite action under Departmental rules. All concerned may be advised that cases of personal grievance may be raised through the official channel as per Rules.

Yours faithfully,

(Tarun Mittal) ADG(Pension)/L.O. ADG(GDS/PCC)

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1. PS to Minister of Communications/ Minister of State for Communications

2. Sr. PPS to Secretary(Posts)/ Sr. PPS to Director General (Postal Services)

3. PPS/ PS to Addl. DG(Co-ordination)/ Member(Banking)/ Member(O)/ Member(P)/ Member(Planning & HRD)/ Member(PLI)/ Member(Technology)

4. Additional Secretary & Financial Adviser

5. Sr. Deputy Director General(Vigilance) & CVO/ Sr. Deputy Director General(PAF)

6. Director General P&T(Audit), Civil Lines, New Delhi

Secretary(PSB)/ All Deputy Directors Generals
 Chief Engineer(Civil), Postal Directorate

9. All Sections of Postal Directorate

- 10. All recognized Federations/ Unions/ Associations
- 11. GM, CEPT for uploading the letter on the India Post web site
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