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Government of India
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Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001
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OFFICE ORDER

In supersession of this Ministry's Office Orders of even number dated 1st April 2026, in respect of the CPIOs / Appellate Authorities, the following Officers in Ministry of Panchayati Raj are designated as Central Public Information Officers (CPIOs) and First Appellate Authorities (FAAs) in respect of specific subject matters mentioned against their names with immediate effect:

S. N	Name, Designation and mailing address of CPIOs	Dealing with subject matters	Appellate Authorities
1	Smt. Padma Kaushik V (Under Secretary), 11 th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg , New Delhi-110001 Tel No: 011-23725305 Email: padma.kaushikv@nic.in	<u>Vigilance Cell</u> & <u>e- governance Division</u> • e- governance • Service Delivery by Panchayats • ATM Service in Panchayat Bhawans • Special Planning (Article 243ZD) • Spatial Geographies • Urbanizing Panchayats • Panchayats and Environment • Local Government Directories(LGD) • Follow up action on related important policies and committee's reports • Partnership to strengthen Panchayats (related to Ministries allotted to the Division • E-Panchayat.	Shri Dharmendra Kumar, (Director) 11 th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg , New Delhi-110001 Tel No: 011-23356231 Email: dharmendra.kumar83@nic.in
2.	Prasann Kujur, (Under Secretary),	<u>SVAMITVA Scheme</u>	Shri Dharmendra Kumar, (Director)

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3	Shri Pinaki Tahabildar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Email: pinaki.bt@nic.in	<u>Establishment Division</u> • Framing/amendment of recruitment rules of all encadre / isolated posts in the Ministry. • Creation of additional posts in MoPR. • Continuation of temporary posts in MoPR. • All matters relating to engagement of Consultants & Outsourcing of staff through Service Provider. • Appointment of Personal Staff of Minister (PR). • Filling up of ex-cadre posts • Promotion/Confirmation • Grant of ACP/MACP • Leave of all Gazetted / non-Gazetted Staff. • Nomination of Officials to attend training programme of ISTM / NPC etc.	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in
4	Shri Rajesh Sharma (Under Secretary), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725306 Email: rajesh.sharma1967@gov.in	IoP and Plan Coordination	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in

5	Shri Pankaj Kumar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23753817 Email: pankaj.kr73@nic.in	<u>General Administration Division</u> • General Administration. • Purchase, Store and Logistics and other miscellaneous work.	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in
6	Shri Yogendra Kumar Meena, (Section Officer), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725305 Email: yogendra.meena@gov.in	<u>General Coordination</u> • Legal Cell • Parliament • Public Grievance • RTI	Shri Prashant Kumar, (Under Secretary), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011- 23725314 Email: prashant.rth@nic.in
7	Shri Pankaj Kumar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23753817 Email: pankaj.kr73@nic.in	<u>Capacity Building Division</u> • Implementation of Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA). • Capacity Building Activities. • Capacity Building and Training for PRIs in subjects of National Importance. • Training Modules. • Partnership to Strengthen Panchayats (related to Ministries allotted to the division) • Follow-up Action on important policies and committee reports.	Shri Vipul Ujwal, (Director), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23356126 Email: vipul.ujwal@ias.gov.in
8	Shri Pinaki Tahabildar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Email: pinaki.bt@nic.in	<u>Fiscal Devolution</u> • Fiscal Devolution (Article 243-H). • Finance Commissions. • Financial Management of State Budgets.	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in

		• Financial Management of Panchayats. • Advocacy for greater devolution. • Partnerships to Strengthen Panchayats (related to Ministries allotted to Division). • Follow-up Action on related important Policies and Committee Reports. • CGLF Membership Monitoring of CSR activities. • International Cooperation. • Collaboration with UN Agencies (World Bank, UNDP, UNICEF, UN Women, etc.)	
9	Shri Ajay Kumar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23356124 Email: ajay.k42@nic.in	<u>Policy (PRI and PESA)</u> • Panchayats and Dispute Resolution. • Devolution of Powers by States to PRIs and related Constitutional Matters. • Planning for Economic Development and Social Justice (Article 243G, 243ZI). • Functioning and Structure of PRIs and related Constitutional Matters. • Panchayat Elections and State Election Commissions. • Accountability of Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs), Panchayats Gender and Social Justice. • Panchayats and Civil	Shri Ramit Maurya, Director, 9th Floor, Jeevan Bharti Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23356120 Email: ramit.maurya@gov.in

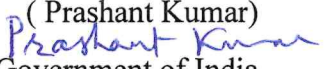
		Society Organizations. - Relationship between Panchayats, MLAs, MPs, and District Administration. - Follow-up action on policies and committee reports. - Monitoring of implementation of the provisions of the Panchayats (Extension to Scheduled Areas) Act, 1996.	
10	Shri Tara Chandar, (Under Secretary), 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23753812 Email: tara.chander@nic.in	- <u>Integrated Finance Division</u>	Shri Ramit Maurya, Director, 9th Floor, Jeevan Bharti Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23356120 Email: ramit.maurya@gov.in
11	Asha Kumari, (Sr.Accounts Officer) 11th Floor, Jeevan Prakash Building, 25 K.G. Marg, New Delhi-110001. Tel No:011-23356129 Email: assttaccttoff2.ssbdel@gov.in	- <u>Audit</u>	Sh. Tapendra Meena, Deputy Controller of Accounts. Tel No:011-2401L530 Email: tapendra.11@gov.in
12	Shri Santosh Kumar Sinha, (Deputy Director) 9th Floor, Jeevan Bharati Building, Connaught Place New Delhi -110001 Tel 011-23725312 Email: sinha.santosh@gov.in	1. Media & Publicity 2. AR&RS	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in
13	Shri Mahesh Kumar,	-	Shri Lal Babu Prasad,

	Assistant Director (OL), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725313 Email: mahesh.kmr73@gov.in	<u>Implementation of Official Language Act and Policy in MoPR</u>	Deputy Director (OL), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725313 Email: lb.prasad38@nic.in
14	Shri Asif Ali, Section Officer, 9th Floor, Tower- II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011- 23725312 Email: asif.ali@gov.in	<u>Cash Section</u> • Disbursement of Salary/ Allowance, Tuition Fee Claim/ LTC, Medical/Computer/ MCA / Cr/ GPF /TA Advance and Cash. • Reimbursement of Wages/Fee to Service Providers. • Honorarium and all Advances. • Pension Cases.	Sh. Vijay Kumar, (Director), 9th Floor, Tower-II, Jeevan Bharti Building, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001 Tel: 011-23725316 Email: vijay.kumar68@nic.in

In order to dispose of RTI application within the prescribed time under the RTI Act, 2005, all the above designated CPIOs / Appellate Authorities are requested to kindly send reply directly to the applicant/appellant which pertains to them under intimation to RTI Cell.

2. All CPIOs are also requested to kindly upload/update the data/information (bilingually) which pertains to them, from time to time on this Ministry's website as per the requirement of section 4(1) (b) of the RTI Act-2005 under heading Right to Information. Proactive Disclosure Chapter- I to XVIII which pertain to them.

This issue with the approval of JS (RTI).

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3. PS/PPS Additional Secretary, MoPR.
4. PS to HMPR, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi

5. PS to MOSPR, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
6. Sr. PPS to SPR, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
7. O/o EA, MoPR, JBB, New Delhi.