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No. Q-17013/1/2022-O&M-DARPG(e.No.7701) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances

Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 23rd March, 2023

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Compliance of the websites of Government of India Ministries/Departments Offices / PSUs with Guidelines of Government of India Websites – GIGW 3.0– regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the Para 12.9 of the Central Secretariat Manual of Office Procedure (CSMOP, 2022) on the above subject and to say that Director General, NIC vide his DO letter No. 3(1)/2023-DGO-859 dated 17.03.2023(copy enclosed) has conveyed that Guidelines of Government of India Websites (GIGW) have been revised to make them more comprehensive, including general parameters of cyber-security, for ease of reference and compliance and now, GIGW 3.0 is available at the website https://guidelines.india.gov.in. The revised version incorporates enhanced accessibility, quality, security and lifecycle management guidelines and has been structured to provide directions on the actions pertaining to Government organizations, developer/developing organization and auditor/evaluator to enable conformance.

2. It is therefore, requested that necessary action may be taken by all Ministries/ Departments/ Offices / PSUs to update their web-sites in compliance to the latest Guidelines of Government of India Websites – GIGW 3.0.

Encl: As above.

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Date: 17th March 2023

Dear Sir,

This is in reference to the meeting of the Group of officers chaired by Secretary Coordination (Cabinet Secretariat) held on 11th November 2022 on the subject of "Updating the websites of Government of India Ministries and Departments".

As per the recommendation of the meeting, Guidelines for Indian Government Websites (GIGW) had to be revised to make those more comprehensive, including general parameters of cybersecurity, for ease of reference and compliance.

In this context as advised by MeitY, NIC in collaboration with Standardisation Testing and Quality Certification (STQC) Directorate of MeitY, Indian Computer Emergency Response Team (CERT-In) and Industry experts have formulated GIGW 3.0. The revised version incorporates enhanced accessibility, quality, security and lifecycle management guidelines and has been structured to provide directions on the actions pertaining to Government organization, developer/developing organisation and auditor/evaluator to enable conformance. GIGW 3.0 is available at the website https://guidelines.india.gov.in (copy enclosed).

GIGW has been incorporated as a part of Central Secretariat Manual of Office Procedure (CSMOP) by the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG). Keeping in view the recent revisions, it is requested that you may issue necessary directives for the inclusion of the current version (GIGW 3.0) as a part of CSMOP.

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Yours Sincerely,

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