

F.No. SC-12/6/2022-SCT-DoP
Government of India
Ministry of Communications
Department of Posts
(Establishment Division)

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Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi-110001,
Dated: 25 July, 2021

Subject:- Clarification with respect to the sub categories listed under clause a, b, c & d for recruiting the post of Postal Assistant/ Sorting Assistant - reg.

The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment OM No. P-13/1/2022-DD-3 dated 23rd June, 2022 on the subject cited above for necessary compliance.

Encl: - As above.

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1. All CPMsG through Indiapost website.
- ✓ 2. GM (CEPT), Mysore with a request to upload in Indiapost website.
3. Chief Engineer (Civil), Postal Directorate
4. Director (SPN) with reference to clarification sought by them vide their F.No. W-04/1/2022-SPN-1-DoP
5. Director (Staff)
6. ADG (Admin), Postal Directorate. It is requested to upload the same on e-office portal
7. PA-Admin Branch.



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File No: P-13/1/2022-DD-3
Government of India
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan)
Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.

Dated: 22nd June, 2022
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Clarification w.r.t the sub categories listed under clause a, b, c & d for recruiting the post of Postal Assistant/Sorting Assistant - Reference from Departments of Posts

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of Communication's ID note F. No. SC-12/6/2022-SCT-DOP on the subject mentioned above and to say that this Department on 4th January, 2021 notified the list post (Group A, B, C and D) identified suitable for persons with benchmark disabilities covered under section 34(1) of the RPwD Act, 2016. As per Note-6 of the said notification, it has been made clear that the list will be the principal list in respect of the posts identified suitable for persons with benchmark disabilities. However, in case a list of post is separately identified by any Central Government establishment, the list having wider range of identified categories (i.e. having more sub-categories under each category) would prevail. Department of Post has sought clarification of this Department to deal with cases where the list notified by individual Ministry or Department has wider range of disabilities in one category and the list notified by this Department on 4.1.2021 has wider range under other category.

2. The issue has been examined and it is clarified that in such a situation, the individual Ministry and Department may follow the combined list involving both DEPwD notification dated 4.1.2021 and list notified by them so as to cover all sub-categories of benchmark disabilities under clauses (a,b,c,d) as notified in both the lists. For example:

Identified categories in respect of a post as per DEPwD notification dated 4.1.2021	Identified categories for the same post as per notification/ circular of individual Ministry/Department	Identified categories as per combined list to be followed
(a) B, LV (b) HH, D (c) OA, OL, OAL, BL, Dw, AAV (d) SLD, MI (e) MD involving (a) to (d) above	(a) B, LV (b) HH, D (c) OA, OL, Dw, AAV (d) SLD, MI, ID (e) MD involving (a) to (d) above	(a) B, LV (b) HH, D (c) OA, OL, OAL, BL, Dw, AAV (d) SLD, MI, ID (e) MD involving (a) to (d) above


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CATEGORY ABBREVIATIONS USED

1. B=Blind	2. CP=Cerebral Palsy
3. LV=Low Vision	4. LC=Leprosy Cured
5. D=Deaf	6. Dw =Dwarfism,
7. HH= Hard of Hearing	8. AAV=Acid Attack Victims
9. OA=One Arm	10. MDy=Muscular Dystrophy
11. OL=One Leg	12. ASD= Autism Spectrum Disorder (M= Mild, MoD= Moderate)
13. BA=Both Arms	14. ID= Intellectual Disability
15. BL=Both Leg	16. SLD= Specific Learning Disability
17. OAL=One Arm and One Leg	18. MI= Mental Illness
19. BLOA=Both leg & one arm	20. MD=Multiple Disabilities
21. BLA=Both Legs Arms	22. CP=Cerebral Palsy