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To,
The Director General,
Department of Posts,
Dak Bhavan, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi 110 001.

Sub: Utilisation of surplus PS Gr. B post of erstwhile Supdt. RSD Mumbai as Sr.PM, Chembur HO.

Respected Madam,

I intend to bring to your kind notice that consequent upon establishment review of some of the post offices in 2003 in Maharashtra Circle, the then CPMG Maharashtra Circle, Ms. K. Noorjehan has submitted results thereof to Directorate in 2005 with a strong recommendation to up-grade the status of HSG-I (IP Line HO) into Gazetted HO (PS Group 'B'). Up-gradation case of Chembur HO (HSG-I IP Line) in to Gazetted HO is pending in the Directorate since 2005 is the set example.

2. Your honour is well aware that how important optimum utilization of human resources in our Department. Establishment review is one of the tools to identity places where posts are surplus and where same needs to be redeployed for its proper utilization. Chembur HO is located in prime area in Mumbai City and is also important station as far as business and other postal operations are concerned, as such, the expectations from this Head Post Office are manifold. Keeping in view the importance of location coupled with workload, this HO is fully justifies for up-gradation to a Gazetted HO (PS Gr. B). Due to increase of work load and establishment, the then CPMG, Ms. K. Noorjehan has strongly recommended the up-gradation case of Chembur HO (HSG-I IP Line) to Gazetted HO (PS Gr. B). Circle Branch of this Association have also taken up the matter through four monthly meetings and it was replied that the matter have already been taken up with Directorate. The brief history of the case is appended to this letter as Annexure-I.

- 3. In view of the above exigencies discussed and to cope up with the work as per standard norms, this Association humbly requests your honour to kindly look into this important aspect personally taking into consideration of optimum utilization of human resources properly and cause to issue necessary orders for up-gradation of Chembur HO (IP Line) into Gazetted HO (PS Gr. B).
- 4. An early action in the matter is requested with a line in reply.

Yours sincerely,

(Vilas Ingale)
General Secretary

<u>ANNEXURE – I</u>

The brief history of the case.

A proposal, based on the establishment review of Chembur HO (HSG-I, IP Line) for the year 2003 which qualify for conversion to Gazetted HO (PS Gr. B) was submitted to Directorate by CO Mumbai vide their letter of No. Estt/2.4(31)/II dated 22/2/2205. In the said proposal, the post of Sr.PM Mandvi HO which was not justified as per norms, was identified for the proposed redeployment as Sr. PM, Chembur HO. In the year 2005, the post of Sr. PM Mandvi was redeployed to Circle office as AD (Inspection Cell) vide Dte. Letter No. 11-7/05-CP dated 8/6/2005 after its down gradation from HO to SO (HSG-I IP Line). Therefore, the post of Sr. PM, Mandvi HO was not available now for redeployment to Chembur HO.

Directorate vide letter No. 25-19/2010-PE.I dated 28/1/2011 has approved the merger of RSD Mumbai with CSD Nashik with effect from 1/3/2011. Consequent upon the merger, the post of Supdt. RSD Mumbai is kept in skeleton form with effect from 1/3/2011. Surplus Gr. 'C' and MTS staff have already been redeployed by CPMG Mumbai to needy offices. Only the post of Supdt. is still kept in skeleton form. Therefore, this Association urges that, the surplus post of Supdt. RSD Mumbai in PS Gr. B cadre may be utilized for redeployment to Chembur HO on its up-gradation at the earliest.

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