



F. No. REP/5-1/2024
Government of India
Ministry of Communications
Department of Posts
Office of the Chief Postmaster General
Tamil Nadu Circle
Chennai- 600002

Dated 01st Aug 2024

ADDENDUM

Subject: Limited Departmental Competitive Examination (LDCE) for promotion to the posts of Postman and Mail Guard from eligible Multi-Tasking Staff officials for the vacancy year 2024 (01.01.2024 to 31.12.2024).

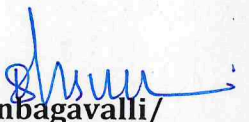
In accordance with Postal Directorate letter No. A-34012/03/2024-DE dated 10.07.2024 and letter No.03-03-/2019-SPN-I dated 30.07.2024, this is to inform all Applicants, Regions and Divisions/Units that an addendum, to the Recruitment Notification No.REP/5-1/2024 dated 15.07.2024 for the Limited Departmental Competitive Examination (LDCE) for promotion to the posts of Postman and Mail Guard from eligible Multi-Tasking Staff for the vacancy year 2024 (01.01.2024 to 31.12.2024), is issued hereby.

2. As directed by Postal Directorate vide letter No.03-03/2019-SPN-I dated 30.07.2024 that the relaxation of one year in service eligibility condition has been given to both MTS and GDS. Accordingly GDS with 4 years of service as on the crucial date (01.01.2024) is eligible for Postman/Mail Guard. In view of above the following points are hereby added to the notification dated 15.07.2024, under the eligibility criteria:

“MTS with total regular service of four (4) years, including service rendered regularly as Gramin Dak Sevaks, as on 01.01.2024, are also eligible for 2024 vacancy year”.

3. **Change in Timeline:** Last date for receipt of Application form at Divisional Office/Controlling Unit from eligible candidates is extended upto 10.08.2024.

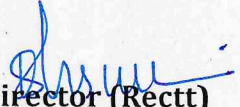
4. All other terms and conditions mentioned in the original recruitment notification remain unchanged.


/V Shenbagavalli/
Assistant Director (Rectt)
O/o the Chief Postmaster General
Tamilnadu Circle, Chennai – 600 002

Encl: Department of Posts, Lr No.03-03/2019-SPN-I (Pt.1) dated 30.07.2024

**Copy to:**

1. The Postmasters General, Chennai City Region, Chennai 600 002/Central Region, Tiruchirappalli 620 001/Southern Region, Madurai 625 002/Western Region, Coimbatore 641 030.
2. General Manager, (Postal Accounts & Finance), Tamilnadu Circle, Chennai 600 008.
3. The SSRM/SRM, Airmail Sorting Dn., Chennai 600016/ Chennai Sorting Dn., Chennai 600 008/RMS 'M' Division, Chennai 600 008.
4. The Sr. Manager, MMS, Chennai-600006.
5. The Superintendent, Foreign Post, Chennai 600001.
6. The Officer-In -Charge, P & T Admin Cell, APS Kamptee, C/O-56 APO, PIN-90074.
7. The Director, Postal Training Centre, Madurai - 625 022.
8. The Assistant Postmaster General (Staff), O/o Chief PMG, Chennai-600002.
9. The Assistant Postmaster General (Mails), O/o Chief PMG, Chennai-600002.
10. The Assistant Director (Admin), O/o the Chief PMG, Chennai 600 002.
11. All recognized Service Unions/Associations for information.


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F. No. 03-03/2019-SPN-I (Pt.I)
Ministry of Communications
Department of Posts

Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi – 110001
July 30, 2024

To,

- 1) All Chief Postmasters General/ Postmasters General
- 2) Chief General Manager, BD Directorate/ Parcel Directorate/ PLI Directorate
- 3) Director, RAKNPA / GM, CEPT / Directors of all PTCs
- 4) Addl. Director General, Army Postal Service, New Delhi

Subject:-Filling up of vacancies of MTS/Postman/Mail Guard for 2024 vacancy year.

Madam / Sir,

Reference is invited to Directorate's letter of even number dated 12.06.2024 on the subject cited above, wherein approval of the Competent Authority was conveyed for relaxation of one year in service eligibility conditions for appearing in examinations conducted by Department of Posts for recruitment to the posts of Postman / Mail Guard / MTS for the 2024 vacancy year. Accordingly, following was clarified:-

- i. MTS with 2 years of service as on crucial date (01.01.2024) shall be eligible for appearing in the Limited Departmental Competitive Examination for promotion to the posts of Postman / Mail Guard.
 - ii. GDS with 4 years of service as on crucial date (01.01.2024) shall be eligible for appearing in the competitive examination limited to GDS for recruitment to the posts of Postman / Mail Guard.
 - iii. GDS with 2 years of service as on crucial date (01.01.2024) shall be eligible for appearing in the competitive examination limited to GDS for recruitment to the posts of MTS.
2. Now, references have been received from Circles to clarify whether relaxation of one year will be applicable also in cases of MTS with combined service of GDS.
3. As per Postman and Mail Guard (Group C post) Recruitment (Amendment) Rules 2023, issued on 30.08.2023, following are eligible for appearing in examination:
- (i) Multi Tasking Staff in level-1 of the pay matrix with three years regular service in the grade as on the 1st day of January of the year to which the vacancy belong to or as per the guidelines issued by the Central Government from time to time; and
 - (ii) Multi Tasking Staff in level-1 of the pay matrix **with total regular service of five years including service rendered regularly as Gramin Dak Sevaks** as on the 1st day of January of the year to which the vacancy belong to or as per the guidelines issued by the Central Government from time to time.

V. Prasad

4. As brought out above, relaxation of one year in service eligibility condition has been given to both GDS and MTS. Accordingly, GDS with 4 years of service is eligible for Postman / Mail Guard. Accordingly, it is clarified that **MTS with total regular service of four (4) years, including service rendered regularly as Gramin Dak Sevaks, as on 01.01.2024, are also eligible for 2024 vacancy year.**

5. To remove any kind of ambiguity, Circles are advised to issue addendum to the notification seeking applications for the examination scheduled on 25.08.2024, clarifying the combined service eligibility as mentioned in para-4 above. Further, last date to receive application for the examination may be extended by one more week.

6.. This may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

Yours faithfully,

V. Prasad
30/7/24

(Vangara Prasad)
Assistant Director General (SPN)

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- 1) Sr. PPS to Secretary (Posts) / Director General Postal Services
- 2) PPS/PS to Members, Postal Services Board
- 3) Sr. DDG (Vigilance) & CVO / Sr. DDG (PAF)
- 4) Secretary, Postal Services Board/ All Dy. Directors General
- 5) Director (DE) Postal Directorate
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