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Ministry of Communications
Department of Posts
Mail Operations Division
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To,

All CPMsG

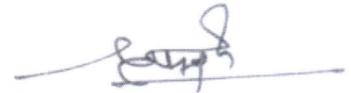
Sub: Rationalization of Mail Processing Hubs under Mail and Parcel Optimization Project (MPOP)

This is regarding the rationalization of Mail Processing Hubs under the Mail and Parcel Optimization Project (MPOP). In this context, reference is invited to this office letter of even number dated 24.12.2025, whereby 34 National Sorting Hubs were identified for down-gradation in Phase 2 of MPOP based on prescribed operational and mail profile criteria

2. All the circles were requested to examine mail profile, geographical conditions, and other relevant operational factors in respect of the NSHs proposed for down-gradation and furnish their comments. After analyzing the comments of the circles and based on VC held with the circles dated 06.01.26 & 21.01.26, it has been decided by the competent authority that 27 NSH will be downgraded to Intra Circle Hubs (ICHs) (List attached in Annexure A)
3. Bulk mail booking centers (BNPL/BPC) having direct bagging facility (List attached in Annexure-B) are booking 60-70% of Speed Post Mail. These BNPL/BPCs presently close direct bags to all existing NSHs and will continue to close Speed Post bags to the downgraded to ICHs mentioned in Annexure-A
4. Further, 9 major NSHs that contribute the major share of mail traffic to these downgraded NSHs. These NSHs will continue to close direct bags to the downgraded ICHs (List of 9 NSHs enclosed in Annexure-C) and vice-versa.
5. All Circles are also requested to analyse and suggest the names of any other NSHs from the enclosed list (Annexure D), excluding NSH' within the Circle from which direct bagging is required for these downgraded NSHs. The data of last two

months may be taken for suggesting the name of NSH. While suggesting such NSHs, a threshold of 50 articles per day may be adopted - i.e., if a downgraded NSH is sending 50 or more articles per day to any particular NSH, it may continue to close direct Speed Post bags to that NSH outside its parent Circle.

6. The down-gradation of 27 NSH to ICH will come into effect from 03.02.2026
7. These issues with the approval of competent authority.



(Dushyant Mudgal)
DDG (Mail Operations)

Encl: As above

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1. PSO to Secretary (Posts)/ PPS to Director General Postal Services.
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8. GM (CEPT), Mysuru
9. All Directors, Postal Training Centres/ Director, PLI, Kolkata
10. All Officers/Officials of Mail Operation Division (Postal Directorate)

Annexure A

List of NSHs to be downgraded

S. No.	CIRCLE NAME	NSHs to be downgraded
1	Bihar	MUZAFFARPUR
2	Bihar	GAYA
3	Haryana	KARNAL
4	Jharkand	DHANBAD
5	Karnataka	BELAGAVI
6	Karnataka	MYSURU
7	Karnataka	KALABURAGI
8	Kerala	KOZHIKKODE
9	Kerala	KANNUR
10	Madhya Pradesh	GWALIOR
11	Maharashtra	PANAJI
12	North East	SHILLONG
13	North East	AGARTALA
14	North East	ITANAGAR
15	North East	IMPHAL
16	North East	DIMAPUR
17	Odisha	SAMBALPUR
18	Odisha	BERHAMPUR
19	Punjab	JALANDHAR
20	Tamil Nadu	TRICHY
21	Tamil Nadu	SALEM
22	Tamil Nadu	VELLORE
23	Uttar Pradesh	GHORAKHPUR
24	Uttar Pradesh	SAHARANPUR
25	Uttar Pradesh	BAREILLY
26	West Bengal	KHARAGPUR
27	West Bengal	PORT BLAIR

Annexure B

List of Bulk Mail Booking centres having direct bagging facility

Sr No	Office Name	Facility type	Circle Name
1	Gollapudi PH Booking Counter	PC	Andhra Pradesh Circle
2	JORHAT RMS	PC	Assam Circle
3	Guwahati BNPL SP Hub	BN	Assam Circle
4	Patna RMS BPC	PC	Bihar Circle
5	New Delhi GPO BPC	PC	Delhi Circle
6	Krishna Nagar HO BPC	PC	Delhi Circle
7	Chanakyapuri PO BPC	PC	Delhi Circle
8	BPC MARKET ROAD	PC	Delhi Circle
9	BPC BNPL SP Hub PBC Kashmere Gate	BN	Delhi Circle
10	Market Road BNPL SP Hub	BN	Delhi Circle
11	Basant Lok BNPL SP Hub	BN	Delhi Circle
12	BPC Malviya Nagar	PC	Delhi Circle
13	BNPL AMPC	BN	Delhi Circle
14	Ahmedabad BPC	PC	Gujarat Circle
15	BPC Gandhinagar	PC	Gujarat Circle
16	Surat HO at BDO Surat BPC	PC	Gujarat Circle
17	BNPL AHMEDABAD	PC	Gujarat Circle
18	Gurgaon BPC	PC	Haryana Circle
19	Sonepat BPC	PC	Haryana Circle
20	Domlur BPC	PC	Karnataka Circle
21	Mysuru BNPL	BN	Karnataka Circle
22	Hampinagar BPC	PC	Karnataka Circle
23	Bengaluru NSH BNPL Centre	BN	Karnataka Circle
24	Manipal BPC	BN	Karnataka Circle
25	Irinjalakuda BPC	PC	Kerala Circle
26	BNPL NSH Thiruvananthapuram Counter	PC	Kerala Circle
27	BPC Thevara	PC	Kerala Circle
28	Kochi SPC BNPL	PC	Kerala Circle
29	Mbc Vileparle (W) BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle
30	Mandapeshwar BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle

Sr No	Office Name	Facility type	Circle Name
31	Vishrambaugwada Pune BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle
32	Mumbai GPO BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle
33	Pune SP BNPL Hub	BN	Maharashtra Circle
34	UTI Konkan Bhavan Mumbai BNPL SP Hub	BN	Maharashtra Circle
35	Vashi BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle
36	Dadar BPC	PC	Maharashtra Circle
37	BHUBANESWAR BPC	PC	Odisha Circle
38	Chandigarh BNPL SP Hub	BN	Punjab Circle
39	Jodhpur HO BPC	PC	Rajasthan Circle
40	N.G.Mandi HO BPC	PC	Rajasthan Circle
41	Jaipur GPO BPC	PC	Rajasthan Circle
42	Hosur SPBO BPC	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
43	Madurai HO BPC	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
44	Coimbatore HO BPC	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
45	Tambaram BPC	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
46	Anna Road BPC	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
47	BNPL HUB Anna Road	PC	Tamil Nadu Circle
48	BPC Jeedimetla	PC	Telangana Circle
49	BNPL Hyderabad	BN	Telangana Circle
50	BPC Bollaram	PC	Telangana Circle
51	BNPL Vaishali	PC	Uttar Pradesh Circle
52	Lucknow BNPL SP Hub	BN	Uttar Pradesh Circle
53	Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar NSH	BN	Uttar Pradesh Circle
54	Noida BNPL SP Hub	BN	Uttar Pradesh Circle
55	ECPH KOLKATA	PC	West Bengal Circle
56	ISI BPC	PC	West Bengal Circle
57	BNCC Block BO BPC	PC	West Bengal Circle
58	Kolkata GPO BPC	PC	West Bengal Circle
59	MBC KOLKATA RMS	PC	West Bengal Circle
60	Yogayog Bhavan BO BPC	PC	West Bengal Circle
61	BNPL SP HUB SBROAD KOLKATA	PC	West Bengal Circle

Annexure C

List of 9 Major NSHs

S No	NSHs Name	Circle Name
1	Chennai	Tamil Nadu
2	Mumbai	Maharashtra
3	Hyderabad	Telangana
4	Mangaluru	Karnataka
5	Bengaluru	Karnataka
6	New Delhi	Delhi
7	Ghaziabad	Uttar Pradesh
8	Thane	Maharashtra
9	Kolkata	West Bengal

Annexure D

Final List of NSHs after down gradation

S. No	Circle Name	NSH Name
1	Andhra Pradesh	TIRUPATHI
2	Andhra Pradesh	VISAKHAPATNAM
3	Andhra Pradesh	VIJAYAWADA
4	Assam	GUWAHATI
5	Bihar	PATNA
6	Chattisgarh	RAIPUR
7	Delhi	New Delhi
8	Gujarat	AHMEDABAD
9	Gujarat	RAJKOT
10	Gujarat	SURAT
11	Haryana	AMBALA
12	Haryana	Rohtak
13	Haryana	Gurgaon
14	Himachal Pradesh	SHIMLA
15	Himachal Pradesh	PATHANKOT
16	Jammu & Kashmir	JAMMU
17	Jammu & Kashmir	SRINAGAR (JK)
18	Jharkand	RANCHI
19	Karnataka	BENGALURU
20	Karnataka	HUBBALLI-DHARWAD
21	Karnataka	MANGALURU
22	Kerala	TRIVANDRUM
23	Kerala	KOCHI
24	Madhya Pradesh	BHOPAL
25	Madhya Pradesh	INDORE
26	Maharashtra	Thane
27	Maharashtra	MUMBAI
28	Maharashtra	Nashik
29	Maharashtra	NAGPUR
30	Maharashtra	PUNE
31	Odisha	BHUBANESWAR
32	Punjab	CHANDIGARH
33	Punjab	LUDHIANA
34	Rajasthan	JAIPUR
35	Rajasthan	JODHPUR
36	Tamilnadu	CHENNAI
37	Tamilnadu	COIMBATORE
38	Tamilnadu	MADURAI
39	Telangana	HYDERABAD
40	Uttar Pradesh	Prayagraj
41	Uttar Pradesh	AGRA
42	Uttar Pradesh	GHAZIABAD
43	Uttar Pradesh	KANPUR
44	Uttar Pradesh	LUCKNOW
45	Uttar Pradesh	VARANASI
46	Uttarakhand	DEHRADUN
47	West Bengal	KOLKATA
48	West Bengal	SILIGURI
49	APS	1 CBPO
50	APS	2CBPO