The Appointments Committee of the Cabinet has approved the following Joint Secretary level appointments in the Pay Band of Rs. 37,400-67,000/- (PB-4) with Grade Pay of Rs. 10,000/-:

(1) Shri Praveen Sinha, IPS(GJ:1988), as Additional Secretary (JS Level), Central Vigilance Commission from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Ms. Radhika Budaraju, IPS(OR:1989);

(2) Shri Biswajit Kumar Singh, IFS(JK:1989), as Commissioner (JS level), Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti, Department of School Education & Literacy from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of overall five year central deputation upto 11.12.2017 or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri GS Bothyal, CSS(1983).

(3) Shri Sanjiv Kumar Mittal, IAS(UP:1987), as Joint Secretary, Department of Electronics & Information Technology from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Rajendra Kumar, IAS(TN:1992);

(4) Shri Prasant Kumar, IFS(MP:1985) as Joint Secretary, Department Rural Development from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri R Subrahmanya, IAS(AP:1985);

(5) Ms. Darshana Momaya Dabral, IP&T&AFS(1990) as Joint Secretary & FA, Department of School Education & Literacy from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Y Tripathi, IAS(KN:1985);

(6) Shri Sanjiv Kumar, IAS(KN:1986) as Joint Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri MM Kutty, IAS(Ut:1985);

(7) Shri Dharam Pal, IAS(UT:1988) as Joint Secretary, Department of Fertilizers from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri HL Samariya, IAS(TG:1985);

(8) Shri Chandra Bhan Singh, IES(1986) as ADG (JS Level), BIS under Department of Consumer Affairs from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Ms. Alka Panda, IAS(OR:1983);

(9) Shri Aniruddha Kumar, IRS(T:1987), as Joint Secretary, Ministry of Power from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Badri Narain Sharma, IAS(RJ:1985).

(10) Shri Chandra Prakash Goyal, IFS(UP:1986) as Joint Secretary, Department of Biotechnology from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri S Raghavan, IFS(OR:1983);

(11) Ms. Sunita H Khurana, CSS(1996), as Director (JS level), ISTM, Department of Personnel & Training from the date of assumption of the charge of the post upto her superannuation or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Umesh Kumar, CSS(1991).

(12) Ms. Vandana Gupta, IP&T&AFS(1990), as Joint Secretary, Ministry of Women & Child Development from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Iqbal Singh Chahal, IAS(MH:1989).
(13) Shri Nikunja Bihari Dhal, IAS(OR:1983), as Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of overall five year central deputation upto 10.04.2017 or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Arun Kumar, IAS(AM:1983).

(14) Shri Sanjay Prasad, IAS(UP:1995), as Joint Secretary, Department of Defence Production from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of overall five year central deputation upto 16.06.2020 or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri JRK Rao, IAS(BH:1985).

(15) Shri Manoj Diwedi, IAS(JK:1997), as Joint Secretary, Department of Commerce from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of overall five year central deputation upto 03.06.2018 or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri JKR Dadoo, IAS(UT:1983).

(16) Shri R K Gathwal, CSS (1998) as Additional Secretary (JS level), UPSC from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice a newly upgraded post of Director level for two years;

(17) Shri Samir K Sinha, IAS(AM:1994), as Joint Secretary, Seventh CPC for an extended tenure till 31.12.2015 or until further orders, whichever is earlier.

(18) Shri Prashant Goyal, IAS(UT:1993), as Joint Secretary, Department of Economic Affairs from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of five years or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Rajat Bhargava, IAS (AP:90);

(19) Shri Rajat Bhargava, IAS (AP:90), as Joint Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation from the date of assumption of the charge of the post for a period of overall five year central deputation upto 23.04.2017 or until further orders, whichever is earlier, vice Shri Sanjay Kumar Mishra, IRS(IT) (1984);

(20) Shri Iqbal Singh Chahal, IAS(MH:1989), Joint Secretary, Ministry of Women & Child Development is placed on compulsory wait in the same Ministry until further orders.

To :-

All Secretaries to the Government of India concerned.

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