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Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(P.II Section)

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OFFICE ORDER

In supersession of all previous orders issued from time to time regarding link officer arrangements in the grade of Deputy Secretary/Director, and consequent upon revision of work allocation among officers in the grade of Deputy Secretary/Director, the competent authority has approved the following Link Officer Arrangement with immediate effect:

S. No.	Name of Officer & Work Allocation	Link Officer
1.	Shri Amit Raj, Director (HSMD, Circular Economy, Green Credit Program, Eco Mark Scheme, All GIZ Projects)	Shri P. V. Pillai, Director (Control of Pollution)
2.	Ms. Shweta Kumar, Director (Climate Change)	Ms. Shweta Teotia, Director (Climate Change, Mission LiFE)
3.	Shri P. V. Pillai, Director (Control of Pollution)	Shri Amit Raj, Director (HSMD, Circular Economy, Green Credit Program, Eco Mark Scheme, All GIZ Projects)
4.	Shri Abhishek Acharya, Director (Economic Division + SGoS)	Shri Avishek Guha, Director (Statistical Division)
5.	Ms. Lipika Roy, Joint Director (Economic Division)	Shri Yuvraj Pal Singh, DS (PARIVESH Portal, IA including IA Coordination, CoS, Ease of Doing Business)
6.	Shri Avishek Guha, Director (Statistical Division)	Shri Abhishek Acharya, Director (Economic Division + SGoS)
7.	Ms. Ruchika Drall, DS (Climate Change + IC)	Shri Anuj Chandak, DS (IC, SCMD)
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9.	Shri Yuvraj Pal Singh, DS (PARIVESH Portal, IA including IA Coordination, CoS, Ease of Doing Business)	Ms. Lipika Roy, Joint Director (Economic Division)
10.	Shri Rakesh Sharma, Director (GA, HoD, Parliament)	Shri Vikram Singh, DS (General Coordination)
11.	Shri Lalan Prasad Sharma, Director (P.I, P.III, Establishment work related to Legal Consultants)	Shri Jatender Singh, DS (P.II, Mission Recruitment, IWSU, Liaison Officer for SCs, STs, PwBD, Ex-servicemen and EWS)
12.	Shri Yogesh R. Patel, DS (Protocol, GLIS, Swachhata Abhiyan, CS.II, Vigilance)	Shri Debabrata Das, DS (Media, RTI, PG, Library, Citizen Charter, IT & e-Governance, NGO and Liaison Officer for OBCs)
13.	Shri Arup Kumar Bhattacharyya, DS (IFS, IFD)	Shri Anuj Chandak, DS (IC, SCMD)
14.	Shri Debabrata Das, DS (Media, RTI, PG, Library, Citizen Charter, IT & e-Governance, NGO and Liaison Officer for OBCs)	Shri Yogesh R. Patel, DS (Protocol, GLIS, Swachhata Abhiyan, CS.II, Vigilance)
15.	Shri Jatender Singh, DS (P.II, Mission Recruitment, IWSU, Liaison Officer for SCs, STs, PwBD, Ex-servicemen and EWS)	Shri Lalan Prasad Sharma, Director (P.I, P.III, Establishment work related to Legal Consultants, Legal Cell)
16.	Shri Vikram Singh, DS (General Coordination)	Shri Rakesh Sharma, Director (GA, HoD, Parliament)
17.	Ms. Shweta Teotia, Director (Climate Change, Mission LiFE)	Ms. Shweta Kumar, Director (Climate Change)

Note:

- i. The designated Link Officer shall attend to routine and urgent matters of the officer concerned during his/her absence on leave, tour, training or otherwise.
- ii. The Link Officer arrangement shall not amount to a formal transfer of charge and shall not dilute the overall responsibility of the officer concerned.
- iii. Matters involving important policy decisions, financial implications, court cases, Parliament matters and other sensitive issues shall be submitted to the next higher authority, wherever necessary.
- iv. In the event of the absence of both the officer concerned and the designated Link Officer, the matter shall be submitted to the next higher authority for appropriate orders.

- v. This arrangement shall come into effect immediately and shall remain in force until further orders.
2. In addition to above, Shri Vikram Singh, DS will also function as Head of Department in absence of Shri Rakesh Sharma, Director.
3. This issues with approval of the competent authority.

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