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Government of India  
Ministry of Communications  
Department of Posts  
(Mail Operations Division)

Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg,  
New Delhi-110001

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Rationalisation of Domestic Mail Products & Services

This is in reference to this Department's letter of even no. dated 07.05.2025 on the above subject, in the context of recent media reports regarding discontinuation of the Registered Post service.

2. "Registered Post" or "Registered Post with Acknowledgement Due" is required for addressee specific delivery for various legal purposes, particularly for the delivery of summons, notices, and other statutory documents within India. It is also referred in various legislative enactments and Supreme Court and High Court Rules and office procedures etc.

3. In this context, the following clarification is provided:


(a) Speed Post i.e. Speed Post Letter and Speed Post Parcel shall henceforth be the basic mail service for address-specific delivery of accountable postal items in the country.

(b) Registration will be available as a value-added service for Speed Post items only and shall provide addressee-specific delivery.

4. This will comply with legal requirements, particularly delivery of summons, notices, and other statutory documents within India. Registration will not be available for other categories of mail.

5. The above will come into effect on and from 01.10.2025.

6. This is for information and necessary action.



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