CF-71/11/2023-CF-DOP Government of India Ministry of Communications Department of Posts

Dak Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110001, Dated: 24.03.2023

To,

General Manager, Centre for Excellence in Postal Technology, Mysore

Subject: 2023 UPU International Letter Writing Competition for Young People.

Sir,

Department of Posts conducts UPU Letter Writing Competition every year for school going children (9-15 years), date and time of which will be decided by the concerned Postal Circles in such a way that the best three entries of the respective Circle should reach the Directorate by 13.04.2023 for final evaluation and selection.

- 2. To give wide publicity to the competition, the Circles have been instructed to use internal means for publicizing the competition by contacting the school authorities and also by using social media like Twitter and Facebook accounts of the Circles. It has also been decided to put the information on the India Post website. A copy of the Annexures to be displayed on the website is enclosed herewith.
- 3. In view of the above, it is requested that the details of the competition may please be uploaded on the Department's website at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,

(Himanshu Chaudhary) Asst. Director General (IM)

List of Enclosures:-

- 1. Annexure-I (Details of UPU 2023 International Letter Writing Competition).
- 2. Annexure-II (Rules for participants participating at Venue).
- 3. Annexure-III(Details of Nodal Officers).

DETAILS OF 2023 INTERNATIONAL LETTER WRITING COMPETION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

1. General details:

1 iCNan 1 adi	Subject Subjec	"Imagine you are a super hero and your mission is to make all roads around the world safer for children. Write a letter to someone explaining which super powers you would need to achieve your mission."
2	Participants eligibility	It is open to participants upto the age of 15 years
3	Content and form	Composition must be presented in the form of Letter.
4	Date/Time of Competition	Competition at Venue - Will be decided by the Concerned Circles in such a way that the best three entries reach the Directorate by 13.04.2023.
5	Language	English or any language listed in the 8 th schedule of the Constitution of India.

2. Prizes (at Circle level)

a. First Prize:

Rs.25,000/- and a certificate

b. Second Prize:

Rs.10,000/- and a certificate

c. Third Prize:

Rs. 5,000/- and a certificate

3. Prizes (at National level):

a. First Prize:

Rs. 50,000/- and a Certificate.

b. Second Prize:

Rs. 25,000/- and a Certificate.

c. Third Prize:

Rs. 10,000/- and a Certificate.

4. The best entry at the national level shall qualify as the official Indian entry for the International level Competition

The Universal Postal Union shall select the award-winning entries. The winners will receive a special medal (gold for first prize, silver for second, and bronze for third) and a certificate, as well as other prizes to commemorate their win (such other prizes to be decided by the UPU). The gold medallist may also be offered a trip to the UPU headquarters in Berne, Switzerland, or an alternative prize to be decided at the sole discretion of the UPU. Writers awarded a special mention will also receive a certificate as well as other prizes (such other prizes to be decided by the UPU).

5. It may be ensured that each and every entry has the following details on its first page in bilingual (both English and Hindi):

- i. Candidate's Passport size photograph.
- ii. Candidate's name.
- iii. Date of Birth.
- iv. Sex (Male/Female).
- v. Father's/Guardian's name.
- vi. Name of the School/Institution and full address.
- vii. Full postal address.

For further details, please contact the Chief Postmaster General/Postmaster General/Director Postal Services/Nodal Officer of your Circle/Region. Information will be available on the Department's website http://www.indiapost.gov.in

2023 International Letter-Writing Competition for Young People

RULES FOR PARTICIPANTS PARTICIPATING AT VENUE

- (a) The 2023 International Letter Writing Competition shall be open to participants upto the age of 15 years. The age of the participants will be certified with a proof like Birth Certificate, AADHAR card, certificate issued by Schools etc.
 - (b) Date and time of the Competition: Will be decided by the concerned Postal Circles in such a way that the best three entries reach the Directorate by 13.04.2023.
 - (c) The participants will apply for participation in the competition along with three passport size photographs in the following format in bilingual (both English and Hindi) on plain paper.

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2	Full Name of the participant *	1 Benitosa 1
3	Father's /Guardian's Name *	Duri Kumar Duri
4	Full Address for correspondence	(BI) (BI) (BI)
5	Name and complete address of the School/ Institution where studying *	Chramsga Shadendr ASi
6	Age with exact date of birth *	Thakur Thakur
7	Sex (Male /Female) *	5. Delhi Sh. Sr.
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^{*} Mandatory field.

(d) Participants shall submit completely filled application form along-with 1 photocopy of age proof document to the Nodal Officer of concerned Postal Circle in duplicate before the last date of submission of application form as decided by the Postal Circle. One copy of the application form will be retained by the participants as hall ticket for the purpose of entry at venue on the day of competition. The Department/Schools will provide the answer book to the participants at the venue but they shall bring their own pen/pencil. The participants shall write their composition in their own handwriting not exceeding 800 words.

IMPORTANT:- All the particulars as mentioned above including the full name and address of the participant should appear on the first page of the Answer Book also. Entries, which do not furnish all relevant details, would not be considered valid

Details of the Nodal Officers

S. No	Name of the Circle	Name of the Officer	Designa tion	Complete postal address	Mobile No.	E-mai id
1.	Andhra Pradesh	K. Sudeer Babu	APMG (PG& WLF)	O/o CPMG, AP Circle, Vijayawada- 520013	8897302739	technical.ap@i ndiapost.gov.ir
2.	Assam	Rupam Rajbongs hi	IP (Philatel y)	O/o the Chief Postmaster General, Meghdoot Bhawan, Panbazar Guwahati- 781001	9864795389	adphilately.as m@gmail.com
3.	Bihar	Shri Santosh Kumar Tiwary	Assistan t Director (BD)	Meghdoot Bhawan, O/o Chief Postmaster General, Bihar Circle, Patna-800001	9631363400	adbdpatna@g mail.com
4.	Chhattisga rh	Shri Shailendr a Singh Thakur	ASP(BD	O/o The Chief Postmaster General, CG Circle Raipur- 492001	9479164616	adpsraipur3@g mail.com
5.	Delhi Circle	Sh. Virender Singh	Sr. Supdt. Of Post Offices	O/o SSPOs, West Div., New Delhi 110028	<u>011-</u> <u>25799134</u>	donewdelhiwes t.dl@indiapost gov.in
6.	Gujarat	Shri A R Shah,	ADPS (Philatel y),	O/o Chief Postmaster General, Gujarat Circle, Ahmedabad – 380001.	9429062254	philatelyco@g mail.com
7.	Haryana	Sh. Dev Raj	Assistan t Director Postal Services (IV)	O/o The Chief Postmaster General, Haryana Circle, 107, The Mall, Ambala Cantt-133001	0171- 2603064; 0171- 2688405; 9416555344	apmgtech.dop @gmail.com
8.	Himachal Pradesh	Ravinder Sharma	Assistan t Director	O/o the CPMG, HP Circle, Shimla - 171009	9418345453	adtechnicalhp @gmail.com
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	Shri Ranjeet Aggarwal	Assistan t Director Postal Services	O/o CPMG, J&K Circle, GPO Complex, Residency Road Srinagar	9690361610	jkmonitoringce llsrinagar@gm ail.com

10.	Jharkhand Circle	Shri Sunil Kumar	DDM (PLI)	O/o the Chief Postmaster General,	9304776308	cotechnosectio n@gmail.com
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12.	Kerala	Smitha Sagar	Assistan t Director (Technic al)	Office of the Chief Postmaster General Kerala Circle, Thiruvananthapuram- 695033	8714625007	technical.kl@i ndiapost.gov.in
13.	Madhya Pradesh	Shri B.A.K Sachan	Assistan t Director (Mails)	O/o CPMG, Madhya Pradesh Circle, Dak Bhawan, Bhopal – 462027	7587598116	mails.mp@indi apost.gov.in
14.	Maharasht ra	Shri Prafulla Wani	Director Mumbai GPO	1 st Floor, Mumbai GPO, Mumbai 400 001	9422772861	dirmumbaigpo @indiapost.go v.in
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15.	North-East	Shri Tankeswa r Swargiari	AD (Philatel y), Circle Office, North	P & T Colony, Oakland Postal Colony, Shillong - 793001	9435121802	tswargiari123 @gmail.com
16.	Odisha	Ms. Madhusm ita Padhy	East AD (Philatel y)	O/o the CPMG, Odisha Circle, Bhubaneswar-751001	9437140531	Pmsmita91@g mail.com
17.	Punjab	Shri Sanjeev Kumar Mittal	Assistan t Director (Technic al)	O/o CPMG, Sandesh Bhawan, Sector 17 E, Chandigarh, 160017	9877966265	tech.pb@india post.gov.in
18.	Rajasthan	Sh Jitendra Kapoor	DDM(P LI), Circle office	O/o CPMG, Rajasthan Circle, Jaipur-302007	8209617810	pli.rj@indiapo st.gov.in
19.	Tamil Nadu	K.Prabu Sanker	Assistan t Director	Office of Chief PMG, Tamilnadu Circle, Chennai-600 002.	9486053716	ga.tn@indiapo st.gov.in

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20.	Telangana	Sri K Janardhan a Reddy	Asst.Di rector (R ectt & Technic al)	O/o the Chief PMG, Telangana Circle, Abids, Hyderabad- 500001	<u>+91</u> <u>9441311125</u>	sstechnicalco @gmail.com
21.	Uttarakhan d	Sh. G. S. Rana	Asstt. Director (BD& Mails)	O/o Chief Postmaster General, Uttarakhand Circle, 2nd Floor, Dehradun GPO Compound, Dehradun 248001	7895545174	bdcellddn@gm ail.com
22.	Uttar Pradesh	Virendra Kumar Sonkar	ASPOs (BD)	O/o Chief Postmaster General, UP Circle, Mahatma Gandhi Marg Lucknow- 226001	<u>807795228</u> <u>8</u>	bdcolko.up@g mail.com
23.	West Bengal	Shri U.K. Ray	ADPS (BD&Ph il)	O/o CPMG, West Bengal Circle, Room No. 316, P-36, C.R. Avenue, Yogayog Bhawan, Kolkata-12	9474007810	apmgphil@gm ail.com
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