


No. 36/01/2024-EO(SM-I)  
Government of India  
Secretariat of the  
Appointments Committee of the Cabinet  
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions  
Department of Personnel and Training

New Delhi, 25.12.2024

The Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) has approved the following appointments:

- i. **Ms. Rachna Shah, IAS (KL:91)**, Secretary, Ministry of Textiles as **Secretary, Department of Personnel and Training**, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions.
- ii. **Shri Arunish Chawla, IAS (BH:92)**, Secretary, Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers as **Secretary, Department of Revenue**, Ministry of Finance. He will continue to hold the **additional charge of Secretary, Ministry of Culture** till the appointment of a regular incumbent or until further orders whichever is earlier.
- iii. **Shri Vineet Joshi, IAS (MN:92)**, presently in the cadre, as **Secretary, Department of Higher Education**, Ministry of Education.
- iv. **Shri Sanjay Sethi, IAS (MH:92)**, presently in the cadre, as **Secretary, National Commission for Minorities**, Ministry of Minority Affairs in the rank and pay of Secretary to the Government of India vice Ms. Neelam Shammi Rao, IAS (MP:92) upon her appointment as Secretary, Ministry of Textiles.
- v. **Ms. Neelam Shami Rao, IAS (MP:92)**, Secretary, National Commission for Minorities, Ministry of Minority Affairs as **Secretary, Ministry of Textiles** vice Ms. Rachna Shah, IAS (KL:91) upon her appointment as Secretary, Department of Personnel and Training, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions.
- vi. **Shri Amit Agrawal, IAS (CG:93)**, Chief Executive Officer, Unique Identification Authority of India as **Secretary, Department of Pharmaceuticals**, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers vice Shri Arunish Chawla, IAS (BH:92) upon his appointment as Secretary, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance.
- vii. **Ms. Neerja Sekhar, IAS (HY:93)**, Special Secretary, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting as **Director General, National Productivity Council**, Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade in the rank and pay of Secretary to the Government of India by temporarily upgrading the post.

  
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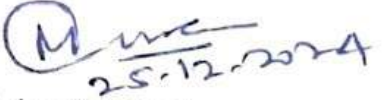
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To

1. Cabinet Secretary.
2. Principal Secretary to PM
3. Secretary to President of India.
4. Secretary to Vice President of India.
5. Secretary General, Rajya Sabha Secretariat.
6. Secretary General, Lok Sabha Secretariat.
7. Secretary, Department of Personnel & Training.
8. Secretary (Coordination & PG), Cabinet Secretariat.
9. All Secretaries to the Government of India (As per standard list).
10. PS to Home Minister.
11. PS to all Union Ministers.
12. PS to MOS (PP).
13. Officer concerned
14. Chief Secretaries of all States.
15. Cabinet Secretariat (**Ms. Kavita Singh**, Joint Secretary) w.r.t. their Dy. No. 01/01/2024-CS(A) dated 25.12.2024.
16. DG (M&C), PIB.
17. Editor, Civil Services News and Deputy Secretary, D/o Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances.
18. PSO to Secretary (P)/ PPS to EO/ EO(CM)/ Guard File.
19. NIC, DoPT.

  
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