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Commercial Circular No.194 (GC)/Parcel/2023

Date: 04.07.2023

Sub: Applicability of GST on transportation of postal traffic

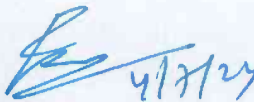
Ref: Railway Board's letter No.TC-II/2364/2020/Postal Haulage (3336899) dtd.14.06.2023)

Enclosed please find herewith a copy of Railway Board's letter No.TC-II/2364/2020/Postal Haulage (3336899) dtd.14.06.2023) regarding "**Applicability of GST on transportation of postal traffic**" which is self explanatory for information and necessary action at your end.

All concerned to please note and act accordingly

Authority: Railway Board's letter No.TC-II/2364/2020/Postal Haulage (3336899) dtd.14.06.2023

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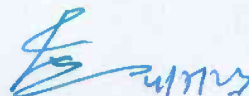
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No.TC-II/2364/2020/Postal Haulage (3336899)

New Delhi dt. 14/06/2023

To,
DDG (Mail Operations),
Dak Bhawan, Department of Posts,
Ministry of Communications,
New Delhi 110 001.

SUB: Applicability of GST on transportation of postal traffic.

REF: DOP's letter no. 7-1/2014-D dated 28.02.2023.

In reference to above letter as regards exemption from GST for transportation of postal traffic, may please connect this office letter no. TCII/2046/2017/GST/Parcel dated 10.01.2019, in which it was informed that transportation of Postal traffic has not been exempted from applicability of GST and it was advised that you may approach Ministry of Finance for seeking exemption from applicability of GST on postal traffic/transportation of postal mail or mail bags by rail.

It is brought out that in terms of notification No. 12/2017-CTR dated 28.06.2017, Entry No. 8 clearly brings out that services rendered by one Central Government Department to another Central Government Department is exempted from GST provided that the same is not in the nature of Transportation of Goods by Railways. Thus, transportation of postal bags by Indian Railways is not exempt from GST liability at present.

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Railway Board.

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2. MD/CRIS/Chanakyapuri.
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