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Ministry of Finance  
Department of Expenditure  
O/o Chief Adviser Cost

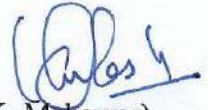
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**CIRCULAR**

**Subject: Compliance of Rule 20 of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 – regarding.**

Attention of all ICoAS officers is drawn to Rule 20 of the CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 which provides that "No Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or other outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under Government"

2. Recently, some instances have come to notice where service officers have violated the above mentioned provisions and attempted to bring political and other outside influences to further their interests in respect of service matters, especially regarding their transfer/postings and deputation.
3. All ICoAS officers are hereby advised to refrain from any such practice and not to bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence directly or through their relatives/wards in respect of the matters pertaining to their service under the Government. In case of any violation, strict disciplinary action would be initiated against the concerned officer(s). In case of any grievance relating to service matter, they may represent/ approach Cadre Controlling Authority/ Chief Adviser (Cost)/ Secretary (Expenditure).
4. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.



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**To:**

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