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**No. 4/7/2019-FA (UN)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension
Department of Personnel & Training

**North Block, New Delhi,
Dated, the 31st May 2022**

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Proposal of Ministry of External Affairs for the appointment of Sh. Naresh Kumar, IFS (2008), Director (Afghan Cell), MEA to the post of Director (Counsellor level) in the Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) Secretariat, Dhaka for a period of three (3) years-reg.

The undersigned is directed to refer to Ministry of External Affairs' I.D. Note No. Q/PA-I/6619/01/2022, dated 10/05/2022 on the subject mentioned above and to say that the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) has approved the proposal of Ministry of External Affairs for the appointment of Sh. Naresh Kumar, IFS (2008), Director (Afghan Cell), MEA to the post of Director (Counsellor level) in the Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) Secretariat, Dhaka for a period of three (3) years from the date of assumption of charge of the post or until further orders, whichever event takes place earlier.

2. The Ministry of External Affairs is requested to convey his date of assumption of charge of the post of Director (Counsellor level) in the Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) Secretariat, Dhaka for information and records of this Department.

3. It may also be noted that the officer is deemed to have been relieved on the date of expiry of the deputation period unless the competent authority has with requisite approval, extended the period of deputation, in writing, prior to its date of expiry. In the event of the officer overstaying for any reason whatsoever, he is liable for disciplinary action and other adverse Civil/Service consequences which would include the period of overstay not being counted for service for the purpose of pension and that any increment due during the period of overstay being deferred with cumulative effect, till the date on which the officer rejoins in his parent cadre. In such an event, proceedings for deemed resignation from service would also be initiated. This may be brought to the notice of the officer.

4. Hindi version will follow.



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- 1) PMO (Shri Hrisheekesh Arvind Modak, Director), South Block, New Delhi.
- 2) Cabinet Secretariat (Dr. Amandeep Garg, Joint Secretary), Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 3) PS to MOS(PP)/PSO to Secretary(P).
- 4) PPS to EO&AS/PA to Director (MM)/PA to DS (SM).
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