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Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers
Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 14.01.2026

To

Shri Akhil Kumar,
The Designated Officer,
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY),
Electronics Niketan,
6, CGO Complex,
New Delhi – 110003.

Subject: Nomination of Nodal Officer under the Information Technology (Procedure and Safeguards for Blocking for Access of Information by Public) Rules, 2009 – reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to MeitY letter No. 14/2024-SSGA, dated 09.12.2025, on the subject cited above, requesting Ministries/Departments to designate a Nodal Officer in accordance with Rule 4 of the Information Technology (Procedure and Safeguards for Blocking for Access of Information by Public) Rules, 2009.

2. In this regard, it is informed that the Competent Authority has approved the nomination of the following officer as the Nodal Officer for the purposes of the aforesaid Rules:

- a. Name: Shri W B Santhosh
- b. Designation: Director
- c. Ministry/Department: Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals
- d. Official Email ID: wb.santhosh@gov.in

3. The details of the designated Nodal Officer shall also be hosted on the official website of this Ministry/Department, as prescribed.

Yours faithfully,



(Shibu Das)

Under Secretary to Govt. of India

Copy for information to:

Shri WB Santhosh, Director (Chemicals) along with a copy of MeitY letter No. 14/2024-SSGA, dated 09.12.2025