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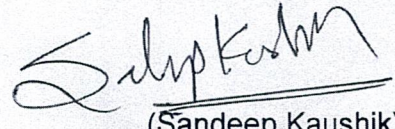
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Sushma Swaraj Bhawan, Chankyapuri, New Delhi  
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**Subject: Pre-Departure Orientation Training (PDOT) for prospective emigrants.**

Reference this Ministry's communication No.Z-11025/118/2017-OE-III dated 14 January 2020 on the subject thereby making PDOT mandatory for 50% of emigrants to whom Emigration Clearances (ECs) were issued.

2. All the RAs should ensure that at least 50% of emigrants to whom they have provided services / assistance for issue of ECs attend the PDOT programme. RAs may seek guidance from concerned PoEs for enrolling of emigrants for suitable PDOT programme at nominated PDOT centres. Appropriate instructions in this regard may accordingly be issued by concerned PoEs to RAs under their respective jurisdiction.
3. This issues with approval of JS(OE) & PGE.



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**All Protector of Emigrants**

Copy to:

1. All RAs (through eMigrate portal)
2. All officers in the OE & PGE Division, Ministry of External Affairs, New Delhi