

ECONOMY

■ GeM Formally Integrated with India Post, Common Service Centres

The integration of the Government e-Marketplace (GeM) with the Department of Post and Common Service Centres has become operational from 22 December 2022. In a step to further enhance ease of doing business through GeM, India Post and CSCs will facilitate interaction among last-mile buyers, sellers, and service providers in public procurement.

Making the announcement, Commerce Minister Shri Piyush Goyal said, GeM has engineered one of the biggest change management processes in the country by triggering a massive transformation in procurement processes and bringing much-needed transparency in public procurement.



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