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July 27, 2021

Ponguru Naveen Hyderabad Hyderabad HYD Telangana, India.

Dear Ponguru Naveen,

Welcome to Mphasis!

It was a pleasure meeting you to explore a career opportunity with Mphasis DirectCore Division.

Based on our discussions, we are pleased to offer you the position of Module Lead - Systems, in **Band** 4, **Level** 5 with our organization. The gross compensation will be INR 25,60,000*I*- (Twenty Five Lakhs Sixty Thousand **rupees only**) per annum. The details of the terms and conditions of the offer of employment are detailed in the enclosed annexure.

Mphasis is defined by a strong and intrinsic culture that sets us apart. Our DNA, while evolving through various transformations, has still fundamentally been driven by the same core values. Customer centricity has been one such tenet that influences every Mphasian. We strive to understand our customer's need, staying ahead of the curve to deliver best-in-class service. Equally crucial, is our outcome focus, wherein our eyes stay on the end result without compromising on our quality, ethics and people. We draw our greatest strength from our people. Hence, empowering our workforce has gone hand-in-hand with greater accountability, thereby creating responsible citizens of the world. As we redefine what business success means in the changing landscape, we believe in inculcating the spirit of experimentation so that established systems and ways of doing things are constantly tested, questioned and disrupted. Imagination, innovation and the ability to take risks are fundamental characteristics that make us shatter boundaries.

These shared values and beliefs are the influencers of everyday work culture at Mphasis that has eventually built our ethos. It is what integrates us across technologies, platforms and geographies. We are proud of it and we eagerly welcome you to the Mphasis way of life.

This offer of employment is contingent upon you fulfilling the background verification process that the organization will conduct. We look forward to you joining us at our Hyderabad office on August 09, 2021. The reporting time is **10:00 am**. Please keep your recruiter informed, in case of an advancement in the joining date.

Please endorse your acceptance on or before August 09, 2021.



ANNEXURE - 1

Name	Ponguru Naveen
Band	Band 4
Level	Level 5
Designation	Module Lead - Systems

SALARY COMPONENT	MONTHLY GROSS	ANNUAL GROSS	
Basic	85,333	10,24,000	
House Rent Allowance	42,667	5,12,000	
Leave Travel Allowance	5,333	64,000	
Special Allowance	58,635	7,03,620	
Ex-Gratia Bonus ¹	NA	NA	
TOTAL FIXED CASH	1,91,968	23,03,620	
Variable Pay ²	10,667	1,28,000	
TARGET CASH COMPENSATION	2,02,635	24,31,620	
Employer Provident Fund	10,240	1,22,880	
Medical Insurance Premium	458	5,500	
TARGET COST TO COMPANY	2,13,333	25,60,000	

Note:

- 1. As per Statutory regulations, if your covered under Payment of Bonus act, this component will be paid as "Bonus" if not will be paid as "Ex- Gratia".
- 2. Variable Pay (if applicable) will be payable on Quarterly basis. Amount shown is payable on 100% Target achievement. The company and unit/function performance achievement against the target measured quarterly shall determine the payout under the Variable Pay Plan. Note: Variable Pay is governed by the provisions of Variable Pay Plan (available on Mphasis Intranet) and the same will be reviewed from time to time.

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Additional Benefits.

- Additionally, you shall be eligible for gratuity as per the gratuity act, subject to 5 years of continuous employment with the organization.
- You are covered under Group Mediclaim Insurance for a sum insured of INR 300,000 per annum. This mandatory coverage also includes your spouse and 2 children. As per the policy, you have an option to enroll your dependents (parents/parents-in-law) by paying additional premium.
- You are covered under Group Personal Accident Insurance for INR 500,000 per annum.
- You are covered under the Standard Group Term Life insurance for a sum insured equal to 80% of your Fixed CTC or INR 400,000, whichever is higher. This benefit is extended only to the employee.
- Meal Card: You will be eligible to enroll for a meal allowance of INR 2,200 per month. This
 is a voluntary option and will be adjusted with your special allowance.
- As per the Maternity Benefit (Amendment) Act, 2017, women employees are eligible for Maternity Leave of 26 weeks. Adoption Leave and Paternity Leave are also applicable as the case may be. Please refer to the Company Policy for more details.
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ANNEXURE - 2

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

Your employment at Mphasis ("The Company") will be governed by the Company's policies as modified from time to time. Copy of the present policy will be made available to you on your joining the Company. In particular and without prejudice to the foregoing statement, some of the more significant terms and conditions that govern your employment, subject to modifications from time to time, are detailed below.

1) Hours of Work

- 1.1. A working day shall comprise of nine hours.
- 1.2. You may be required to work on a shift basis. Shifts may be scheduled across 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and 365 days a year, subject to applicable laws. The shift timings may change from time to time which you will be notified of in advance.
- 1.3. At times you may be required to work beyond eight working hours.
- 1.4. Employees at the client site shall follow the working hours as applicable at client site.

2) Place of Employment

- 2.1. During your employment with the company, you will be liable to be transferred or deputed to any of the offices, departments of the Company or its Associates, Subsidiaries or Group Companies, whether in India or abroad.
- 2.2. In the event of transfer or deputation of your services your salary and other benefits will be determined in accordance with the Company's policies prevalent at that time

3) Travel

You may be required to travel, whether in India or overseas, in connection with office work at short notice.

4) Salary and Benefits

- 4.1. Mphasis reviews employee compensation periodically and you may be eligible for salary increase based on review. However, any salary increase shall be at Company's sole and absolute discretion which is dependent on Organization's as well as Individual performance.
- 4.2. In addition to salary, you shall also be entitled to receive other benefits as applicable under the Company policy. The Company shall, in its sole discretion, be entitled to amend, vary, and modify any of the terms and conditions of the policy with regard to the benefits that are offered to you.

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5) Relocation:

5.1. You are eligible for relocation expenses reimbursement as per the company policy. In the event of your separation within 12 months of joining Mphasis, this amount has to be paid back to the company.

6) Leave Entitlement Policy

All employees are eligible for an annual paid vacation. Please refer to the employee handbook or contact the HR department for further details regarding the Company's leave and vacation policy.

7) Termination

- 7.1. Your employment with the Company is subject to termination on:
 - 7.1.1. Three month's prior notice by either side
- 7.2. The Company reserves the right to, at its sole discretion, substitute the notice period by paying you salary in lieu of the notice period.
- 7.3. For abundant caution, it is hereby clarified that you cannot waive the notice period requirement in the event you wish to terminate your employment with the Company, and that your termination/resignation letter (by whatever name it is called) will be accepted by the Company only on your satisfying the mandatory Three months notice period as stated in our Company's HR handbook. Further, till such time as the Company accepts your resignation letter, you will be deemed to be an employee of the Company and the terms and conditions of your employment will still continue to bind you.
- 7.4. The Company shall have the right to terminate your employment immediately without notice or payment in lieu of notice if:
 - 7.4.1. You neglect, refuse, fail or for any reason become unable to perform any of your duties under this agreement or comply with the Company policies and code of conduct; or
 - 7.4.2. You are guilty of any misconduct whether or not in the performance of your duties (including but not limited to being an undischarged insolvent, being convicted by any criminal court, being involved in fraudulent acts, etc.) or commit any act which in the opinion of the Company is likely to bring the Company any disrepute whether or not such act is directly related to the affairs of the Company; or
 - 7.4.3. You commit any breach of any of your duties or obligations under this agreement or the policies of the Company.
 - 7.4.4. There is a discrepancy in the copies of the documents/certificates given by you as a proof in support of the information provided by you. In the event of termination under Clause 7.4.2, you shall not be entitled to any benefits whatsoever.

8) Mode of Communication

For any service of notice or communications of any kind, you will be informed by email or

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ordinary post at the address given by you at the time of your employment or such other address as may be intimated by you to the management thereafter.

9) Confidentiality

- 9.1. You agree at all times during the term of your employment and thereafter (Without limit of time);
 - 9.1.1. To hold the Confidential Information in strictest confidence, and not to use or attempt to use the same, except for the benefit of the Company, and
 - 9.1.2. Not to disclose or divulge the Confidential Information to any person or entity without written authorization of the Company.
 - 9.1.3. You agree to return to Mphasis all proprietary information, including copies on paper, hard drive, disk, tape and other media, upon completion or termination of any project or upon cessation of your employment with Mphasis IT Services.
- 9.2. For the purposes of Clause 9.1., "Confidential Information" means any Company proprietary or confidential information, technical data, trade secrets or know-how, whether (oral or written or in electronic format and whether marked confidential or not), including but not limited to; research, business plans, products, product improvements, processes and process documents, services, projects, proposals, all work produced by you whether during normal working hours or not, computer program, documentation, customer lists and customers (including, but not limited to, customers of the Company with whom you become acquainted), markets, software, developments, inventions processes, formulas, technology, designs, drawings, engineering, marketing, distribution and sales methods, sales and profit figures, finances, techniques, strategies, discoveries, the title and description of any patents or patent applications filed by the Company in any country or jurisdiction (until the same is generally available to the public), and any other business information of the Company including its business plans, practice methodologies and technologies (including computer software), training materials, personnel information, client lists and information regarding the business needs, strategies and technologies of present and prospective clients and internal Company publications, whether directly or indirectly, or by drawings or inspection of documents or other tangible property and all information that comes to your knowledge which would but for this employment would not have been accessed by you, whether such information is in tangible form or not, written or otherwise and formal or not. Confidential Information however shall not include knowledge, skills, or information which is common to the business of the Company, or which is generally known outside the Company.



9.3. You understand that retaining the confidential nature of the confidential information is of utmost importance to the business of the Company and in addition to the terms stipulated in this agreement herein you agree to execute a Non Disclosure Agreement with the company.

10) Intellectual Property

10.1. You agree that any proprietary rights whatsoever, including but not limited to, patents, copyright and design rights as a result of the development of and/or the application of all work produced by you during or as a consequence of your employment, whether alone or in conjunction with others and whether during normal working hours or not, including but not limited to any invention, design, discovery or improvement, computer program, documentation, confidential information, copyright work or other material which you conceive, discover or create during or in consequence of this employment with the Company shall belong to the Company absolutely.

10.2. You agree, at the Company's expense, to provide, during and after this employment, all such assistance as the Company reasonably considers necessary, to secure the vesting of such rights in the Company or Terms of Employment Mphasis its nominees (including waiver of any such rights including author's special rights under Section 57 of the Copyright Act 1957).

11) Data Privacy Compliance Policy

You consent to the terms and conditions of the Data Privacy Compliance Policy stated below: –

11.1. You consent to the processing of your personal data in accordance with the Company data privacy policy (the "Policy"), a copy of which can be obtained upon request;

11.2. In particular, you explicitly consent to:

- The collection and processing of sensitive personal data about you to the limited extent and for the purposes described in the Policy;
- The transfer worldwide of personal data held about you by the Company to other employees and offices of the Company's worldwide organization and to third parties where disclosure to such third parties is required in the normal course of business or by law; and use of your personal images and voices in marketing material, videos, etc.
- 11.3. The reference to information "about you" includes reference to information about third parties, such as spouse and children (if any), which are provided to the Company by you on their behalf. The reference to "sensitive personal Data" may be understood to include reference to the various categories of personal data identified by European and Other applicable data privacy laws as requiring special treatment, including in some

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circumstances, the need to obtain explicit consent. These categories comprise personal data about racial or ethnic origin, political opinions, religious or other similar beliefs, trade union membership, physical or mental health, sexual life or criminal record.

11.4. In addition, you agree to treat any personal data to which you have access in the course of your employment strictly in accordance with this Policy and other Company policies and procedures. In particular, you will not use any such data other than in connection with and to the extent necessary for the purposes of your employment.

12) Non-Compete

You will certify to maintain Customer exclusivity and to this end, during the validity of this agreement and for a minimum of 2 years thereafter, you shall neither solicit business nor offer product/services and/or conduct any business, that directly competes with the kind of product/services that is offered by the Company to such client, either directly or indirectly with any of 'Mphasis, client or any third party exposed to you,. In case you violate this provision, a minimum amount of Rs.3 lakhs shall be payable by you to Mphasis as damages.

13) Non Solicitation of Employees and Clients

You agree that during the period of your employment with the Company, and for one year after the date of termination of such employment (regardless of whether this cessation of employment is voluntary or involuntary, or caused by the breach of this Agreement by either party), other than on behalf of the Company, you will not, either directly or indirectly:

- (A) solicit, divert, take away, hire, or recruit, or attempt to solicit, divert, take away, hire, or recruit, any employee of the Company; or
- (B) solicit, divert, take away, hire, or recruit, or attempt to solicit, divert, take away, hire, or recruit, the business of any client, customer, potential client, potential customer, person, or entity with whom Employee had dealings as an Employee of the Company for any purpose related in any manner to the business of the Company.
- (C) You agree the foregoing restrictions are reasonable both as to time and extent given the nature and scope of the Company's present business and the duties of your employment.

14) Warranty

- 14.1. You warrant that your joining the Company will not violate any agreement to which you are or have been a party to.
- 14.2. You warrant that you will not use or disclose any confidential or proprietary information obtained from a third party prior to your employment with the Company.
- 14.3. You warrant that you will comply with all Mphasis applicable policies and standards

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and shall perform your services in a manner consistent with the ethical and professional standards of Mphasis.

14.4. You warrant that you possess all the requisite certificates, licenses, permits, work visas, clearances to be able to lawfully perform the services.

15) Indemnification

You agree to indemnify the Company for any losses or damages sustained by the Company caused by or related to your breach of any of the provisions contained in this Terms of Employment

16) Retirement

Your age of retirement from the service will be on completion of sixty years. However, you may opt for voluntary retirement at any age before sixty years during your services in the establishment if you are unable to continue in service satisfactorily. The actual date of retirement shall be the last working day of the calendar month in which your 60th birthday falls.

17) General

17.1. This agreement contains the entire agreement between the employee and Mphasis, and no alteration or variations of the terms of this agreement shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by both the parties here to. This agreement supersedes any prior agreements or understandings between the parties relating to the matter of proprietary rights and / or non disclosure

17.2. This agreement is made under and shall be construed according to the laws of India. Employee agrees to submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of Bangalore (Karnataka).

17.3. This agreement shall remain current and in force, irrespective of whether you are under employment of Mphasis or not.



17.4. Should any part of this agreement be declared illegal or unenforceable, the parties hereto will co-operate in all ways open to them to obtain substantially the same result or as much thereof as may be possible, including taking appropriate steps to amend, modify or alter this agreement. If any term or provision of this Agreement shall be hereafter declared by a final adjudication of any tribunal or court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, such adjudication shall not alter the validity or enforceability of any other term or provision unless the terms and provisions so declared are expressly defined as a conditions precedent or as of the essence of this agreement, or comprising an integral part of, or inseparable from the remainder of this agreement

18) Background Verification Clause

We are considering all the details given by you in your resume and references provided are to the best of your knowledge. This offer letter can be withdrawn anytime if any of the details provided in the resume or reference check happens to be negative.



Acknowledgement and Acceptance of Appointment with Mphasis

I,	have read and understood the			
above terms and conditions governing my employment with the company and hereby accept the				
above-mentioned appointment in totality.				
I confirm my acceptance of the offer and shall report for work on August 09, 2021.				
Signature:				
Name:				
Date:				
Place:				



ANNEXURE - 3

List of mandatory documents that needs to be uploaded in the tool as part of your offer release process and to proceed further with your onboarding formalities.

SI. No	Details	Description
1.	Photograph	Soft copy of white background passport size photograph
2.	Education Documents	Highest education; i.e.; degree / post-graduation completion certificate (Provisional Certificate/ Consolidated Marks sheets/ all semester marks card)
3.	Identity Proof	Passport/ PAN Card/ Election ID/ Driving Licence
4	Employment Details	Current Employment: last 3 months salary slip along with a copy of the offer letter Previous Employment: Relieving letter/ experience letter (which captures start date, end date & position details)
5	LOA	Signed Scanned copy of - Letter of Authorization (LOA)

Please note, your offer has been made based on the information furnished by you. However, if there is a discrepancy in the copies of the documents/certificates given by you as a proof in support of the above, the company reserves the right to revoke the offer. Being an ISO certified company, it is important for you to submit these documents on or before your date of joining us. Your joining the Company is subjected to you furnishing all of the above documents and duly verified by Mphasis.