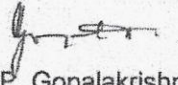


New Delhi, the 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2003.  
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Subject : **Composition and functions of Cabinet Committees.**

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The undersigned is directed to state that it has been decided, with the approval of the Prime Minister, to revise the composition of the following Cabinet Committees:-

- 1) Cabinet Committee on Accommodation.
  - 2) Cabinet Committee on Parliamentary Affairs.
  - 3) Cabinet Committee on Environment.
2. Revised composition of aforesaid three Cabinet Committees is at Annex.

  
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AnnexDated : 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2003CABINET SECRETARIATCOMPOSITION OF CABINET COMMITTEES(1) Cabinet Committee on AccommodationComposition

Dr. Murli Manohar Joshi,  
Minister of Human Resource Development,  
Minister of Science and Technology and  
Minister of Ocean Development.

Shri Anant Gangaram Geete,  
Minister of Power.

Shri Arun Jaitley,  
Minister of Law and Justice and  
Minister of Commerce and Industry.

Maj. Gen. (Retd.) B.C. Khanduri,  
Minister of Road Transport & Highways and Minister  
of Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation.

Shri Subodh Mohite,  
Minister of Heavy Industries and  
Public Enterprises.

Shri Arjun Charan Sethi,  
Minister of Water Resources.

Shri Jaswant Singh,  
Minister of Finance.

(2) Cabinet Committee on Parliamentary AffairsComposition

Smt. Sushma Swaraj,  
Minister of Health and Family Welfare and  
Minister of Parliamentary Affairs.

Shri T.R. Baalu,  
Minister of Environment and Forests.

Shri Anant Gangaram Geete,  
Minister of Power.

Shri Arun Jaitley,  
Minister of Law and Justice and  
Minister of Commerce and Industry.

Maj. Gen. (Retd.) B.C. Khanduri,  
Minister of Road Transport & Highways and Minister  
of Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation.

Shri Ram Naik,  
Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas.



Shri Nitish Kumar,  
Minister of Railways.  
Shri Arjun Charan Sethi,  
Minister of Water Resources.

Special Invitees

Smt. Bhavanaben Devrajibhai Chikalia,  
Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary  
Affairs and Minister of State in the Ministry of  
Tourism and Culture.  
Shri Santosh Gangwar,  
Minister of State in the Ministry of Labour and  
Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.  
Shri O. Rajagopal,  
Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence and  
Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

(3) Cabinet Committee on Environment

Composition

Prime Minister.  
Shri T.R. Baalu,  
Minister of Environment and Forests.  
Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa,  
Minister of Chemicals and Fertilizers.  
Shri Anant Gangaram Geete,  
Minister of Power.  
Shri Arun Jaitley,  
Minister of Law and Justice and  
Minister of Commerce and Industry.  
Maj. Gen. (Retd.) B.C. Khanduri,  
Minister of Road Transport and Highways and Minister  
of Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation.  
Shri Murasoli Maran,  
Minister without Portfolio.  
Shri Ram Naik,  
Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas.  
Shri Nitish Kumar,  
Minister of Railways.  
Shri Jaswant Singh,  
Minister of Finance.  
Smt. Sushma Swaraj,  
Minister of Health and Family Welfare and  
Minister of Parliamentary Affairs.