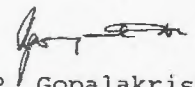


New Delhi, the 11th November, 1998.
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The undersigned is directed to say that it has been decided, with the approval of the Prime Minister, to revise the composition of the following Cabinet Committees. The composition and functions of the said Committees are indicated in Annexure.

- (a) Cabinet Committee on Accommodation.
- (b) Cabinet Committee on Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Minorities.


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ANNEXURE

dated 10.11.98.

CABINET SECRETARIAT

COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONS OF THE CABINET COMMITTEES.

(a) Cabinet Committee on Accommodation

Composition

- Shri Madan Lal Khurana,
Minister of Parliamentary Affairs
and Minister of Tourism.
- Shri S.S. Barnala,
Minister of Chemicals and Fertilizers
and Minister of Food and Consumer Affairs.
- Shri Ram Jethmalani,
Minister of Urban Affairs and Employment.
- Dr. Murli Manohar Joshi,
Minister of Human Resource Development and
Minister of Science and Technology.
- Shri M. Thambi Durai,
Minister of Law, Justice and
Company Affairs and Minister of
Surface Transport.

Functions

- (i) To determine the guidelines/rules and terms and conditions to govern out-of-turn allotment of Government accommodation;
- ii) to decide upon allotment of Government accommodation to various categories of non-eligible persons and organisations and rate of rent to be charged from them;
- iii) to consider the question of allotment of accommodation from the General Pool to the Members of Parliament;
- iv) to consider proposals regarding shifting of existing Central Government Offices to places outside Delhi and the location of new offices in Delhi; and
- v) to consider and decide upon proposals relating to :-
- a) revision of scales of accommodation to various categories of persons;
- b) revision of licence fee for various types of Government Accommodation; and
- c) other matters, like allotment of accommodation to the various categories of Central Government servants from the Central Pool or Special Pool.

(ii) Cabinet Committee on Scheduled Castes
Scheduled Tribes and Minorities

Composition

Prime Minister.
Shri L.K. Advani,
Minister of Home Affairs.
Shri Sikander Bakht,
Minister of Industry.
Dr. Satyanarayan Jatiya,
Minister of Labour.
Dr. Murli Manohar Joshi,
Minister of Human Resource Development
and Minister of Science and Technology.
Shri Yashwant Sinha,
Minister of Finance.
Shri Dalit Ezhilmalai,
Minister of State (Independent charge) of
the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
Smt. Maneka Gandhi,
Minister of State (Independent charge)
of the Ministry of Social Justice and
Empowerment.
Shri Babagouda Patil,
Minister of State (Independent charge) of
the Ministry of Rural Areas and Employment.
Shri Mukhtar Nagvi,
Minister of State in the Ministry of
Information and Broadcasting.

Special Invitees

Shri Jaswant Singh,
Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission.
Shri Omak Apang,
Minister of State in the Ministry of Tourism.
Sushree Uma Bharati,
Minister of State in the Ministry of
Human Resource Development.
Shri Babulal Marandi,
Minister of State in the Ministry of
Environment and Forests.

Functions

(i) All matters pertaining to the protection of the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and the Minorities, especially their protection against any violation of their life, liberty, property and other rights.

(ii) All matters concerning elimination of exploitation of the Scheduled Castes, the Scheduled Tribes and the Minorities.

(iii) All matters relating to the socio-economic development programmes aimed at bridging the gap between the SCs, STs and Minorities and the rest of Society in a time-bound manner.
