

LIST OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERSCABINET MINISTERS

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| 1. Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee | Prime Minister and also in-charge of the Ministries/ Departments not specifically allocated to the charge of any Minister viz. : (i) Ministry of Planning. (ii) Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation. (iii) Department of Atomic Energy. (iv) Department of Space. |
| 2. Shri L.K. Advani | Deputy Prime Minister, in charge of the Ministry of Home Affairs and Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions. |
| 3. Shri Ananth Kumar | Minister of Urban Development & Poverty Alleviation and Minister of Rural Development. |
| 4. Shri T.R. Baalu | Minister of Environment & Forests. |
| 5. Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa | Minister of Chemicals & Fertilizers. |
| 6. Shri George Fernandes | Minister of Defence. |
| 7. Shri Anant Gangaram Geete | Minister of Power |
| 8. Shri Syed Shahnawaz Hussain | Minister of Civil Aviation. |
| 9. Shri Jagmohan | Minister of Tourism and Culture. |
| 10. Dr. Satya Narayan Jatiya | Minister of Social Justice & Empowerment. |
| 11. Shri Arun Jaitley | Minister of Law and Justice and Minister of Commerce and Industry. |
| 12. Dr. Murli Manohar Joshi | Minister of Human Resource Development, Minister of Science & Technology and Minister of Ocean Development. |
| 13. Shri Murasoli Maran | Minister without portfolio. |
| 14. Shri Kariya Munda | Minister of Coal. |
| 15. Shri Ram Naik | Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas. |
| 16. Shri Nitish Kumar | Minister of Railways. |
| 17. Shri Jual Oram | Minister of Tribal Affairs. |
| 18. Shri Balasaheb Vikhe Patil | Minister of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises. |
| 19. Shri Kashiram Rana | Minister of Textiles. |
| 20. Shri Arjun Charan Sethi | Minister of Water Resources. |
| 21. Shri Arun Shourie | Minister of Communications and Information |

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| | Technology and Minister of Disinvestment. |
| 22. Shri Ajit Singh | Minister of Agriculture. |
| 23. Shri Jaswant Singh | Minister of Finance and Company Affairs. |
| 24. Shri Shatrughan Sinha | Minister of Shipping. |
| 25. Shri Yashwant Sinha | Minister of External Affairs. |
| 26. Smt. Sushma Swaraj | Minister of Health and Family Welfare and Minister of Parliamentary Affairs. |
| 27. Dr. C.P. Thakur | Minister of Small Scale Industries and Minister of Development of North Eastern Region. |
| 28. Shri Sahib Singh Verma | Minister of Labour. |
| 29. Shri Vikram Verma | Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports |
| 30. Shri Sharad Yadav | Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution. |

MINISTERS OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

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| 1. Shri Ramesh Bais | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Mines. |
| 2. Shri Sangh Priya Gautam | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Agro and Rural Industries. |
| 3. Shri M. Kannappan | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Non-conventional Energy Sources. |
| 4. Maj. Gen. (Retd.) B.C. Khanduri | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Road Transport & Highways. |
| 5. Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting. |
| 6. Shri N.T. Shanmugam | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries. |
| 7. Shri Braj Kishore Tripathy | Minister of State (Independent charge) of the Ministry of Steel. |

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| 1. Shri Anandrao Vithoba Adsol | Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance and Company Affairs |
| 2. Smt. Bijoya Chakravarty | Minister of State in the Ministry of Water Resources. |
| 3. Smt. Bhavanaben Devrajbhai Chikalia | Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Minister of State in the Ministry of Tourism and Culture. |

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| 4. Shri Bandaru Dattatraya | Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways. |
| 5. Shri Santosh Gangwar | Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas. |
| 6. Shri Vijay Goel | Minister of State in Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Minister of State in the Ministry of Labour. |
| 7. Shri Dilip Kumar Mansukhlal Gandhi | Minister of State in the Ministry of Shipping. |
| 8. Prof. Chaman Lal Gupta | Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence. |
| 9. Shri Dilip Singh Judev | Minister of State in the Ministry of Environment and Forests. |
| 10. Dr. Vallabh Bhai Ramjibhai Kathiria | Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development. |
| 11. Shri Vinod Khanna | Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs. |
| 12. Shri Faggan Singh Kulaste | Minister of State in the Ministry of Tribal Affairs. |
| 13. Shri U.V. Krishnam Raju | Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development. |
| 14. Smt. Sumitra Mahajan | Minister of State in the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology. |
| 15. Shri Subhash Maharia | Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution. |
| 16. Smt. Jas Kaur Meena | Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development. |
| 17. Smt. Jayawanti Mehta | Minister of State in the Ministry of Power. |
| 18. Shri Satyabrata Mookherjee | Minister of State in the Ministry of Planning, Minister of State in the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation and Minister of State in the Department of Atomic Energy and Department of Space. |
| 19. Shri A.K. Moorthy | Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways. |
| 20. Shri Shripad Yesso Naik | Minister of State in the Ministry of Civil Aviation. |
| 21. Dr. Sanjay Paswan | Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. |
| 22. Shri Harin Pathak | Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs and Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions. |
| 23. Shri Annasaheb M.K. Patil | Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development. |
| 24. Shri Basangouda R. Patil | Minister of State in the Ministry of Textiles. |

25. Shri Ashok Pradhan Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development.

26. Shri P. Radhakrishnan Minister of State in the Ministry of Urban Development and Poverty Alleviation.

27. Shri A. Raja Minister of State in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

28. Shri O. Rajagopal Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

29. Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance and Company Affairs.

30. Shri Chennamaneni Vidya Sagar Rao Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

31. Shri Bachi Singh Rawat Minister of State in the Department of Science & Technology in the Ministry of Science & Technology.

32. Shri Rajiv Pratap Rudy Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

33. Shri Tapan Sikdar Minister of State in the Ministry of Small Scale Industries and Minister of State in the Department of Development of North Eastern Region.

34. Shri Chhatrapal Singh Minister of State in the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers.

35. Shri Digvijay Singh Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs.

36. Shri V. Sreenivasa Prasad Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution.

37. Shri I.D. Swami Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs.

38. Shri Su. Thirunavukkarasar Minister of State in the Ministry of Communications and Information Technology.

39. Shri Hukumdeo Narayan Yadav Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture.

Note

Incorporates changes in the Council of Ministers as on 06.04.2003.