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LIST OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS
(as on 07.11.2005)

CABINET MINISTERS

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| 1 | Dr. Manmohan Singh | Prime Minister and also in-charge of the Ministries/ Departments not specifically allocated to the charge of any Minister viz.:

(i) Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions;
(ii) Ministry of Planning;
(iii) Department of Atomic Energy;
(iv) Department of Space;
(v) Ministry of Coal;
(vi) Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports;
(vii) Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs;
(viii) Ministry of Urban Development; and
(ix) Ministry of External Affairs. |
| 2 | Shri Pranab Mukherjee | Minister of Defence. |
| 3 | Shri Arjun Singh | Minister of Human Resource Development. |
| 4 | Shri Sharad Pawar | Minister of Agriculture and Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution. |
| 5 | Shri Lalu Prasad | Minister of Railways. |
| 6 | Shri Shivraj V. Patil | Minister of Home Affairs. |
| 7 | Shri Ram Vilas Paswan | Minister of Chemicals & Fertilizers and Minister of Steel. |
| 8 | Shri S. Jaipal Reddy | Minister of Information & Broadcasting and Minister of Culture. |
| 9 | Shri Sis Ram Ola | Minister of Mines. |
| 10 | Shri P. Chidambaram | Minister of Finance. |
| 11 | Shri Mahavir Prasad | Minister of Small Scale Industries and Minister of Agro & Rural Industries. |
| 12 | Shri P.R. Kyndiah | Minister of Tribal Affairs and Minister of Development of North Eastern Region. |
| 13 | Shri T.R. Baalu | Minister of Shipping, Road Transport & Highways |
| 14 | Shri Shankersinh Vaghela | Minister of Textiles. |
| 15 | Shri K. Natwar Singh | Minister Without Portfolio. |
| 16 | Shri Kamal Nath | Minister of Commerce & Industry. |
| 17 | Shri H.R. Bhardwaj | Minister of Law & Justice. |
| 18 | Shri P.M. Sayeed | Minister of Power. |

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| 19 | Shri Raghuvansh Prasad Singh | Minister of Rural Development. |
| 20 | Shri Priyaranjan Dasmunsi | Minister of Water Resources and Minister of Parliamentary Affairs. |
| 21 | Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar | Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Minister of Panchayati Raj. |
| 22 | Smt. Meira Kumar | Minister of Social Justice & Empowerment. |
| 23 | Shri K. Chandra Sekhar Rao | Minister of Labour & Employment. |
| 24 | Shri A. Raja | Minister of Environment & Forests. |
| 25 | Shri Dayanidhi Maran | Minister of Communications & Information Technology. |
| 26 | Dr. Anbumani Ramdoss | Minister of Health & Family Welfare. |

MINISTERS OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)

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| 1 | Shri Sontosh Mohan Dev | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Heavy Industries & Public Enterprises. |
| 2 | Shri Oscar Fernandes | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation. |
| 3 | Smt. Renuka Chowdhury | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Tourism. |
| 4 | Shri Subodh Kant Sahay | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries. |
| 5 | Shri Kapil Sibal | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Science & Technology and Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Department of Ocean Development. |
| 6 | Shri Vilas Muttemwar | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources. |
| 7 | Kumari Selja | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Urban Employment & Poverty Alleviation. |
| 8 | Shri Praful Patel | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Civil Aviation. |
| 9 | Shri Prem Chand Gupta | Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Company Affairs. |

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| 1 | Shri E. Ahammed | Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs. |
| 2 | Shri Suresh Pachouri | Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs. |
| 3 | Shri B.K. Handique | Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs. |
| 4 | Smt. Panabaka Lakshmi | Minister of State in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare. |
| 5 | Dr. Dasari Narayan Rao | Minister of State in the Ministry of Coal and Minister of State in the Ministry of Mines. |
| 6 | Dr. Shakeel Ahmad | Minister of State in the Ministry of Communications & Information Technology. |
| 7 | Shri Rao Inderjit Singh | Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs. |
| 8 | Shri Naranbhai Rathwa | Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways. |
| 9 | Shri K.H. Muniappa | Minister of State in the Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport & Highways. |
| 10 | Shri M.V. Rajasekharan | Minister of State in the Ministry of Planning. |
| 11 | Shri Kantilal Bhuria | Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution. |
| 12 | Shri Manikrao Gavit | Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs. |
| 13 | Shri Shriprakash Jaiswal | Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs. |
| 14 | Shri Prithviraj Chavan | Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office. |
| 15 | Shri Taslimuddin | Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution. |
| 16 | Smt. Suryakanta Patil | Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs. |

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| 17 | Shri Md. Ali Ashraf Fatmi | Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development. |
| 18 | Shri A. Narendra | Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development. |
| 19 | Shri R. Velu | Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways. |
| 20 | Shri S.S. Palanimanickam | Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance |
| 21 | Shri S. Regupathy | Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs. |
| 22 | Shri K. Venkatapathy | Minister of State in the Ministry of Law & Justice. |
| 23 | Smt. Subbulakshmi Jagadeesan | Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. |
| 24 | Shri E.V.K.S. Elangovan | Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce & Industry. |
| 25 | Smt Kanti Singh | Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development. |
| 26 | Shri Namo Narain Meena | Minister of State in the Ministry of Environment & Forests. |
| 27 | Dr. Akhilesh Prasad Singh | Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution. |

Note: Incorporates changes in the Council of Ministers as on 07.11.2005.