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New Delhi, the 1st June, 1996.
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The undersigned is directed to say that with effect from the 1st June, 1996, the Ministers assumed their respective offices in the Ministries/Departments as shown against each of them in the Enclosure to this Memo.


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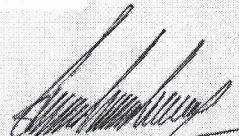

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LIST OF COUNCIL OF MINISTERS
(AS ON THE 1ST JUNE, 1996)

CABINET MINISTERS

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| 1. | Shri H.D. Deve Gowda. | <p>Prime Minister and also in charge of the Ministries/ Departments of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓(1) Agriculture;✓(2) Home Affairs;✓(3) Science and Technology;✓(4) Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions; and✓(5) Atomic Energy; <p>and the other Ministries/ Departments not allocated to any other Cabinet Minister, viz.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓(1) Chemicals and Fertilizers;✓(2) Communications;✓(3) Environment and Forests;✓(4) Food Processing Industries;✓(5) Health and Family Welfare;✓(6) Mines;✓(7) Non-Conventional Energy Sources;✓(8) Petroleum and Natural Gas;✓(9) Planning and Programme Implementation;✓(10) Power;✓(11) Steel;✓(12) Textiles;✓(13) Electronics;✓(14) Jammu and Kashmir Affairs;✓(15) Ocean Development; and✓(16) Space. |
| 2. | Shri Balwant Singh Ramoowalia. | <p>✓ Minister of Welfare; and additional charge of the office of the Minister of ✓ Labour.</p> |
| 3. | Shri C.M. Ibrahim. | <p>✓ Minister of Civil Aviation and Tourism; and additional charge of the office of the Minister of ✓ Information and Broadcasting.</p> |
| 4. | Shri Devendra Prasad Yadav. | <p>✓ Minister of Food and Minister of ✓ Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution; and additional charge of the office of the Minister of ✓ Commerce.</p> |
| 5. | Shri I.K. Gujral. | <p>✓ Minister of ✓ External Affairs; and additional charge of the office of the ✓ Minister of Water Resources.</p> |
| 6. | Shri M. Arunachalam. | <p>✓ Minister of Urban Affairs and Employment.</p> |

7. Shri Mulayam Singh Yadav. ✓ Minister of Defence.
8. Shri Murasoli Maran. ✓ Minister of Industry.
9. Shri P. Chidambaram. ✓ Minister of ✓ Finance; and additional charge of the office of Minister ✓ Law, Justice and Company Affairs.
10. Shri Ram Vilas Paswan. ✓ Minister of ✓ Railways and Minister of ✓ Parliamentary Affairs.
11. Shri S.R. Bommai. Minister of ✓ Human Resource Development; and additional charge of the office of ✓ Minister of Coal.
12. Shri T.G. Venkatraman. ✓ Minister of Surface Transport.
13. Shri Yerran Naidu. ✓ Minister of Rural Areas and Employment.

MINISTERS OF STATE

1. Shri Beni Prasad Varma. ✓ Minister of ✓ State in the Ministry of ✓ Communications and Minister of State in the Ministry of ✓ Parliamentary Affairs.
2. Shri Chandradeo Prasad Varma. ✓ Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Areas and Employment.
3. Capt. Jai Narayan Prasad Nishad. ✓ Minister of ✓ State in the Ministry of ✓ Environment and Forests.
4. Smt. Kanti Singh. ✓ Minister or State in the Ministry of ✓ Human Resource Development.
5. Shri Md. Taslimuddin. ✓ Minister of State in the Ministry of ✓ Home Affairs.
6. Dr. S. Venugopalachari. ✓ Minister of State in the Ministry of Power.
7. Shri Saleem Iqbal Shervani. ✓ Minister of ✓ State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.
8. Dr. U. Venkateswarlu. ✓ Minister of ✓ State in the Ministry of ✓ Agriculture and Minister of State in the Ministry of ✓ Parliamentary Affairs.