

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Industries & Commerce Department – National Logistics Policy –  
Constitute State Logistics Coordination Committee (SLCC) to improve the  
countries logistics performance – Orders – Issued.

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INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE (P&I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 51

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Read:-

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1353228) of Director of Industries, Vijayawada.

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ORDER:

As a part of India's vision to become a self-reliant USD 5 trillion economy by 2025, Government of India is formulating **Logistics Policy** to improve India's ranking in Logistics Performance Index to 25 and to reduce cost of logistics from 13% to 8% of GDP to drive economic growth and business competitiveness of the country through an integrated, seamless, efficient, reliable, green, sustainable and cost effective **logistics** network.

2. Accordingly, the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India has setup the Logistics Division with a mandate to develop "National Logistics Policy", for the integrated development of the logistics sector in the country, by way of policy changes, improvement in existing procedures, identification of bottlenecks and gaps and introduction of technology in this sector. The main objectives of the Policy include:

1. Improve performance and the efficiency of the logistics sector with focus on reducing logistics cost and dwell time.
2. Ensure multi-modal cargo movement for optimal use of all transport modes, by developing multi-modal transport infrastructure, including MMLPs.
3. Ensure predictability, visibility and tracking and tracing regarding cargo movement, and improve in-transit warehousing leveraging digital initiatives.
4. Support modern trade and e-commerce, and create resilient supply chain for effective emergency response through modernization of the logistics sector.

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5. Promote professionalization and excellence in logistics services and create employment opportunities, to improve quality of life of workforce.
6. Democratize logistics services to benefit all sections of society, in particular the farmers and micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs).

3. In order to coordinate with multiple and fragmented stake holders across Union Government and States, a National Logistics Council (NLC) and a Central Advisory Committee on Logistics (CACL) besides an Empowered Group of Secretaries (eGoS) were set-up at Central Level and at state level the framework includes a State Logistics Coordination Committee (SLCC).

4. The Director of Industries, Vijayawada sent a proposal in the reference read above informing that in line with the objectives of the National Logistic Policy, the Government of Andhra Pradesh decided to formulate State Logistics Policy brining all the logistics related stake holders viz TR&B, Agriculture and Cooperation, Investment and Infrastructure, Fisheries and Animal Husbandry, Food Processing, AP Maritime Board, MA & UD, PR & RD and Industries and Commerce Department, Skill Development and Training, Revenue (CT, Excise, R&S), Water Resource Department etc on one platform for effective implementation of the policy, the **State Logistics Coordination Committee** (SLCC) has been proposed under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary to Government with Secretaries of concerned Departments as members along with the Terms of Reference for approval. Further, VC& MD, APIIC is proposed as a State Nodal Officer.

5. Government after careful examination of the proposal of the DOI, hereby constitute the State Logistics Coordination Committee (SLCC) in order to ensure key decision-making, co-ordination amongst key stake holders, implementation/project delivery, monitoring of progress, and interacting with private sector and sector experts for effective implementation of the national logistics policy.

### **State Logistics Coordination Committee (SLCC)**

The function of the State Co-ordination Committee shall be to serve as the state focal point on the matters related to logistics and for overseeing the development of logistics industry in Andhra Pradesh. The terms of reference include:

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1. SLCC responsible for preparation of Master Plan for State / City Logistics, providing actionable program strategies to align the State with National Logistics Policy.
2. SLCC shall discuss ways to improve logistical efficiency based on the following thrust areas of GoI and prepare action plans in consultation with the Departments concerned.
  - a. City Logistics
  - b. Simplification of approvals for warehouses
  - c. Facilitation for warehouse development
  - d. Reducing the burden on truck movement
  - e. Addressing the shortage of truck drivers
3. SLCC shall ensure implementation of the decisions of the Central Advisory Committee on Logistic (CACL), Empowered Group of Secretaries (eGoS) etc by the concerned Departments and report compliance.
4. SLCC shall review, coordinate and monitor the activities of all the Departments dealing with matters relating to logistics.
5. To identify the gaps and advise the Government on the formulation of policies, Programmes, legislations etc.
6. To deliberate on the Best Practices followed by other States and countries and recommend on ways to reduce compliance burden and improve logistics efficiency etc.
7. SLCC shall take such other steps to ensure integrated, seamless, efficient, reliable, green, sustainable and cost effective logistics network in the State.
8. To perform such other functions as may be prescribed by the Government.

Meeting Frequency: The committee shall convene once every month.

**Members:**

S.No	Official Designation	
1	Chief Secretary to Government	Chairman
2	Principal Secretary to Govt., Finance	Member
3	Special Chief Secretary to Govt. Agriculture & Cooperation	Member
4	Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Revenue (CT, Excise, R&S)	Member
5	Principal Secretary to Govt., Transport, Roads & Building	Member

6	Principal Secretary to Govt., MA & UD	Member
7	Principal Secretary to Govt., Skill Development & Training	Member
8	Secretary, Food Processing & Sugar	Member
9	VC & MD, APIIC Ltd.	Member
10	Secretary to Govt., Water Resources	Member
10	Spl. Chief Secretary, Industries & Commerce, Infrastructure and Investment	Member - Convener
11	Concerned Spl. Chief Secretary/ Prl.Secretary /Secretary to Govt., whenever required.	Special Invitee

7. The Director of Industries, Vijayawada and VC & MD, APIIC Ltd., Mangalagiri shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYANATH DAS  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Chief Secretary to Govt.  
The Spl. Chief Secretary, Industries & Commerce dept.  
The Director of Industries, Vijayawada.  
The Principal Secretary, Finance dept.  
The Principal Secretary, Transport, Roads & Building dept.  
The Principal Secretary, Home dept.  
The Principal Secretary, MAUD dept.  
The Principal Secretary, Skill Development dept.  
The Secretary, Food Processing & Sugar dept.  
The Principal Secretary, Energy dept.  
The VC & MD, AP Warehousing Corporation, Vijayawada  
The MD & CEO, AP Skill Development Corporation, Vijayawada  
The CEO, AP Maritime Board  
The Chief Engineer (National Highways & CRF)  
The VC & MD, APIIC, Mangalagiri  
The Member Secretary, APPCB

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