

No. 18/18/80-I.T.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Irrigation

New Delhi, 17 August 1982

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Standing Committee to review the existing and to evolve unified procedure of dam safety for all the dams in India.

The practices of safety inspection of dams presently adopted varies from State to State. In order to evolve a uniform simplified procedure based on the latest 'State-of-the Art'. The Government of India is pleased to constitute a Standing Committee to review the existing practices of inspection/maintenance of dams and allied structures in various States and to evolve standard guidelines for the same.

The Standing Committee shall consist of the following: -

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| 1. Chairman, Central Water Commission  | Chairman         |
| 2. Member (D&R)), Central Water Commission                                   | Member           |
| 3. Member (WR), Central Water Commission                                     | Member           |
| 4. Commissioner for Indus Water, Ministry of Irrigation.                     | Member           |
| 5. Director General, Geological Survey of India (or his representative)      | Member           |
| 6. Director General, India Meteorological Department (or his representative) | Member           |
| 7. Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board, Chandigarh.            | Member           |
| 8. J.F.Mistry, Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Government of Gujarat. | Member           |
| 9. Chief Engineer, (DSO), Central Water Commission                           | Member Secretary |

The terms of reference to the Committee are as under:

- a) Review practices of various agencies in the country responsible for or involved with site selection, design, construction, regulation, inspection, maintenance and operation, repairs and ultimate disposition of dams which could effect the safety and integrity of the structure.
- b) To suggest means of improving the effectiveness to each agency, engaged in its dam safety efforts.

The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned controlling authorities. Expenditure on non-official members, if any, would be borne by the Central Government.

Sd/-  
(C.S. HUKMANI)  
Joint Secretary to Govt. of India

No. 17/11/86-I.T.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Water Resources  
CGO Complex, Block 11  
8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Lodhi Road,

New Delhi, the 19<sup>th</sup> October, 1987

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject : National Committee on Dam Safety

The Government of India is pleased to reconstitute the Standing Committee set up vide Ministry of Irrigation Office Memorandum No. 18/18/80-IT, dated 17<sup>th</sup> August, 1982, as the National Committee on Dam Safety.

2. The Committee shall now consist of the following:

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| 1. Chairman, Central Water Commission   | Chairman         |
| 2. Member (Design and Research), CWC  | Member           |
| 3. Member (Water Planning), CWC   | -do-             |
| 4. Commissioner (Indus and Floods) Ministry of Water Resources  | -do-             |
| 5. Director General, Geological Survey of India (or his representative)                                   | -do-             |
| 6. Director General, India Meteorological Department (or his representative)                              | -do-             |
| 7. Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board, Chandigarh.   | -do-             |
| 8. Secretary, Irrigation, Government of Gujarat   | -do-             |
| 9. Chief Engineer (Central Designs) Irrigation Department, Government of Bihar, Patna                     | -do-             |
| 10. Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad                     | -do-             |
| 11. Chief Engineer, Central Designs Organisation, Government of Maharashtra, Nasik                        | -do-             |
| 12. Chief Engineer, Dam Designs and Research Irrigation Department, Uttar Pradesh, Roorkee                | -do-             |
| 13. Chief Engineer, PIDO, Irrigation Department, Government of Kerala, Trivandrum.                        | -do-             |
| 14. Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Government of Tamil Nadu, Madras  | -do-             |
| 15. Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs, Central Designs Organisation, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal | -do-             |
| 16. Chief Engineer, Karnataka Engineering Research Station, Krishnarajsagar, Karnataka.                   | -do-             |
| 17. Chief Engineer (Designs), Irrigation Department, Bhubaneswar, Orissa.                                 | -do-             |
| 18. Chief Engineer (DSO), Central Water Commission  | Member Secretary |

3. The terms of reference to the Committee are as under:
- a) To monitor the follow-up action on the report on Dam Safety Procedures both at the Centre and at the State level.
  - b) To oversee dam Safety activities in various States and suggest improvements to bring dams safety practices in line with the latest state-of-art consistently with Indian conditions.
  - c) To act as a forum of exchange of views on techniques adopted for remedial measures to relieve distress.
4. The National Committee, in consultation with the concerned State Government and the Ministry of Water Resources, may set up sub-committees to monitor the safety aspect of selected inter-state dams. The sub-committee will submit its report to the National Committee who will forward it to the Ministry of Water Resources for appropriate decision and communication to the concerned State Governments for the necessary follow up action.
5. The committee will meet at least twice a year. The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned controlling authorities.
6. The composition of the committee will be reviewed after two years with a view to rotating the representation from amongst the various State Government, which have themselves set up Dam Safety Cells.

sd/-

( A. SEKHAR )  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

No. 17/11/86-I.T.  
Government of India  
Ministry of Water Resources  
CGO Complex, Block 11  
8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Lodhi Road,

New Delhi, the 18<sup>th</sup> December 1989

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject : National Committee on Dam Safety

The Government of India is pleased to modify the constitution of the National Committee on Dam Safety, reconstituted earlier vide this Office Memorandum of even number dated 19.10.1987.

2. The Committee shall now consist of the following:

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|---|------------------|
| 1. Chairman, Central Water Commission   | Chairman         |
| 2. Member (Design and Research), CWC  | Member           |
| 3. Director General, GSI (or his representative)  | -do-             |
| 4. Director General, IMD (or his representative)  | -do-             |
| 5. Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board  | -do-             |
| 6. Chief Engineer and Director, GERI, Government of Gujarat   | -do-             |
| 7. Chief Engineer (Central Designs) Irrigation Department, Government of Bihar                        | -do-             |
| 8. Chief Engineer, Dam Designs and Research Irrigation Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh        | -do-             |
| 9. Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh                             | -do-             |
| 10. Chief Engineer & Joint Secretary, Irrigation Department, Government of Maharashtra                | -do-             |
| 11. Chief Engineer, PIDO, Irrigation Department, Government of Kerala, Trivandrum                     | -do-             |
| 12. Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Government of Tamil Nadu  | -do-             |
| 13. Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs (BODHI), Government of Madhya Pradesh                           | -do-             |
| 14. Chief Engineer, Karnataka Engineering Research Station, Krishnarajsagar, Government of Karnataka. | -do-             |
| 15. Chief Engineer (Designs), Irrigation Department, Bhubaneswar, Orissa.                             | -do-             |
| 16. Chief Engineer (Designs & Research), I&W Department, Government of West Bengal                    | -do-             |
| 17. Chief Engineer-cum-Addl. Secretary, Department of Irrigation, Government of Rajasthan             | -do-             |
| 18. President, Indian Association of Hydrologists (or his representative)                             | -do-             |
| 19. President, Indian Society of Engineering Geology (or his representative)                          | -do-             |
| 20. Chief Engineer (DSO), Central Water Commission  | Member Secretary |

3. The terms of reference to the Committee are as under:

- a) To oversee dam safety activities in various States and suggest improvements to bring these in line with the latest state-of-art consistent with Indian conditions.
- b) To act as a forum of exchange of views on techniques adopted for remedial measures to relieve distress.
- c) To monitor the follow-up action on the report on Dam Safety Procedures.
- d) To recommend any other measures connected with dam safety.

4. The National Committee, in consultation with the concerned State Governments may set up Sub-Committees to monitor the safety aspects of selected inter-State dams. The sub-committee will submit its report to the National Committee who will forward it to the Ministry of Water Resources for appropriate decision and communication to the concerned State Governments for the necessary follow up action.

5. The Committee will meet at least twice a year. The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned controlling authorities.

6. The terms of honorarium, TA/DA for non-official members will remain the same as conveyed in the O.M. dated 13.9.1988.

sd/-

( A. SEKHAR )  
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India

Copy to:

- (i) Chairman, CWC
- (ii) Secretary to Government (Irrigation Department), All State Governments.
- (iii) All members of the National Committee.
- (iv) Director, DSO, CWC

No. 17/11/86-I.T/P.I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Water Resources

Shram Shakti Bhavan,  
Rafi Marg, New Delhi

Dated 7<sup>th</sup> July 1993

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject : National Committee on Dam Safety

In continuation of this Ministry's O.M. No.17/11/86-IT/P.I dated 18.12.89 modifying the constitution of the National Committee on Dam Safety, the undersigned is directed to say that in addition to the existing members, General Manager, NHPC will also be a member of the National Committee on Dam Safety.

2. The Committee shall now consist of the following:

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|-----|---|------------------|
| 1.  | Chairman, Central Water Commission  | Chairman         |
| 2.  | Member (Design and Research), CWC   | Member           |
| 3.  | Director General, GSI (or his representative)   | -do-             |
| 4.  | Director General, IMD (or his representative)   | -do-             |
| 5.  | Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board   | -do-             |
| 6.  | Chief Engineer and Director, GERI, Government of Gujarat  | -do-             |
| 7.  | Chief Engineer (Central Designs) Irrigation Department, Government of Bihar                       | -do-             |
| 8.  | Chief Engineer, Dam Designs and Research Irrigation Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh       | -do-             |
| 9.  | Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh                            | -do-             |
| 10. | Chief Engineer & Joint Secretary, Irrigation Department, Government of Maharashtra                | -do-             |
| 11. | Chief Engineer, PIDO, Irrigation Department, Government of Kerala, Trivandrum                     | -do-             |
| 12. | Chief Engineer (Irrigation) Government of Tamil Nadu  | -do-             |
| 13. | Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs (BODHI), Government of Madhya Pradesh                           | -do-             |
| 14. | Chief Engineer, Karnataka Engineering Research Station, Krishnarajsagar, Government of Karnataka. | -do-             |
| 15. | Chief Engineer (Designs), Irrigation Department, Bhubaneswar, Orissa.                             | -do-             |
| 16. | Chief Engineer (Designs & Research), I&W Department, Government of West Bengal                    | -do-             |
| 17. | Chief Engineer-cum-Addl. Secretary, Department of Irrigation, Government of Rajasthan             | -do-             |
| 18. | President, Indian Association of Hydrologists (or his representative)                             | -do-             |
| 19. | President, Indian Society of Engineering Geology (or his representative)                          | -do-             |
| 20. | General Manager, NHPC   | -do-             |
| 21. | Chief Engineer (DSO), Central Water Commission  | Member Secretary |

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5. The Committee will meet at least twice a year. The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned controlling authorities.
6. The terms of honorarium, TA/DA for non-official members will remain the same as conveyed in the O.M. dated 13.9.1988.

sd/-

(S.K.Agrawal)  
Joint Commissioner (Projects)

Copy to:

- (i) Chairman, CWC
- (ii) Secretary to Government (Irrigation Department), All State Governments.
- (iii) All members of the National Committee.
- (iv) Director, DSO, CWC

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject : National Committee on Dam Safety

In continuation of this Ministry's O.M. No.17/11/86-IT/P.I dated 7<sup>th</sup> July 1993 modifying the constitution of the National Committee on Dam Safety (NCDS), the undersigned is directed to say that in addition to the existing members, Chief Engineer (Civil), Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram and Chief Engineer-I (Civil), Damodar River Valley Corporation, Maithon will also be members of the National Committee on Dam Safety.

The Committee shall now consist of the following :-

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|-----|---|---------------|
| 1.  | Chairman, Central Water Commission  | Chairman      |
| 2.  | Member (Design and Research), CWC   | Vice Chairman |
| 3.  | Director General, Geological Survey of India (or his representative)                        | Member        |
| 4.  | Director General, India Meteorological Department (or his representative)                   | Member        |
| 5.  | Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board, Chandigarh.                              | Member        |
| 6.  | Chief Engineer and Director, GERI, Government of Gujarat                                    | Member        |
| 7.  | Chief Engineer (Central Designs) Irrigation Department, Government of Bihar, Patna          | Member        |
| 8.  | Chief Engineer, Dam Designs & Research, Irrigation Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh. | Member        |
| 9.  | Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation Department, Government of Andhara Pradesh.                    | Member        |
| 10. | Chief Engineer & Joint Secretary, Irrigation Department, Government of Maharashtra.         | Member        |
| 11. | Chief Engineer, PIDO, Irrigation Department, Government of Kerela.                          | Member        |
| 12. | Chief Engineer (Irrigation), Government of Tamil Nadu.                                      | Member        |
| 13. | Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs, (BODHI), Government of Madhya Pradesh.                   | Member        |
| 14. | Chief Engineer, K.E.R.S., Government of Karnataka.  | Member        |
| 15. | Chief Engineer (Designs), Irrigation Department, Government of Orissa.                      | Member        |
| 16. | Chief Engineer (Design & Research) I&W Department, Government of West Bengal.               | Member        |
| 17. | Chief Engineer cum Additional Secretary, Department of Irrigation, Rajasthan.               | Member        |
| 18. | President, Indian Association of Hydrologists (or his representative).                      | Member        |
| 19. | President, Indian Society of Engineering Geology (or his representative).                   | Member        |
| 20. | General Manager, NHPC   | Member        |
| 21. | Chief Engineer (Civil), Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram.                 | Member        |



22.	Chief Engineer-I (Civil), Damodar River Valley Corporation, Maithon.	Member
23.	Commissioner (Project), MOWR / Jr. Commissioner (Project) MOWR.	Member
24.	Chief Engineer (DSO), Central Water Commission	Member-Secretary

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6. The terms of honorarium, TA/DA for non-official members will remain the same as conveyed in the O.M. dated 13.09.1988.

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(S.M.Sood )  
SR. JOINT COMMISSIONER (PR)

Copy to :-

- 1 Chairman, Central Water Commission, Sewa Bhawan, R.K.Puram, New Delhi.
- 2 Secretary to Government (Irrigation Department), All State Governments.
- 3 All Members of the National Committee.
- 4 Director, DSO, Central Water Commission, Sewa Bhawan, R.K.Puram, New Delhi.

Subject : National Committee on Dam Safety.

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| i)    | Chairman, Central Water Commission   | Chairman      |
| ii)   | Member (Design & Research), CWC  | Vice-Chiarman |
| iii)  | Director General, Geological Survey of India (or his representative).                      | Member        |
| iv)   | Director General, India Motoorological Deptt. (or his representative).                     | Member        |
| v)    | Member (Irrigation), Bhakra Beas Management Board.   | Member        |
| vi)   | Chief Engineer and Director, GERI, Government of Gujarat                                   | Member        |
| vii)  | Chief Engineer (Control Designs), Irrigation Deptt., Govt. of Bihar                        | Member        |
| viii) | Chief Engineer, Dam Designs & Research, Irrigation Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh | Member        |
| ix)   | Engineer-in-Chief, Irrigation Deptt., Government of Andhra Pradesh.                        | Member        |
| x)    | Chief Engineer & Joint Secretary, Irrigation Deptt., Government of Maharashtra.            | Member        |
| xi)   | Chief Engineer, PIDC (Irrigation Deptt.,)  | Member        |

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xii)	Chief Engineer(Irrigation), Government of Tamil Nadu.	Member
xiii)	Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs(BODH), Govt. of Madhya Pradesh.	Member
xiv)	Chief Engineer, KERS, Government of Karnataka	Member
xv)	Chief Engineer (Designs), Irrigation Deptt., Government of Orissa.	Member
xvi)	Chief Engineer (Designs & Research), I&W Deptt., Government of West Bengal.	Member
xvii)	Chief Engineer-cum-Addl. Secretary, Deptt., of Irrigation, Govt. of Rajasthan.	Member
xviii)	President, Indian Association of Hydrologists ( or his representative).	Member
xix)	President, Indian society of Engineering Geology ( or his representative).	Member
xx)	General Manager, N.H.P.C.	Member
xxi)	Chief Engineer (Civil), Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram.	Member
xxii)	Chief Engineer-I (Civil), Damodar River Valley Corporation, Maithon.	Member
xxiii)	Commissioner(Project), MOWR/ Jt. Commissioner (Projects), MOWR.	Member
xxiv)	Chief Engineer, DSO, CWC	Member-Secretary
xxv)	Chief Engineer (Design, Master Planning & Hydrology), Water Resources Department, Ranchi.	Member
xxvi)	Chief Engineer, Mahanadi Reservoir Project, Water Resources Department, Raipur.	Member
xxvii)	Chief Engineer(North), Irrigation Department, Haldwani.	Member
xxviii)	Chief Engineer, Kandi Area Development, Irrigation Works, Chandigarh.	Member



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5. The Committee will meet atleast twice a year. The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned controlling authorities.
6. The terms of honorarium, TA/DA for non-official members will remain the same as conveyed in the O.M., dated 13.9.1988.

*A.D. Bhardwaj*

( A.D. BHARDWAJ )

SR. JOINT COMMISSIONER(PR)

Copy to :-

- i) Chairman, Central Water Commission, Sewa Bhavan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.
- ii) Secretary to Government (Irrigation Department), All State Governments.
- iii) All Members of the National Committee.
- iv) ✓ Director, DSO, Central Water Commission, Sewa Bhavan, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.

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River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation

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Room No. 353-C, Krishi Bhawan,  
New Delhi 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2015

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Reconstitution of National Committee on Dam Safety- reg.**

In continuation of this Ministry's OM No. 29/1/93-P-I dated 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2002 modifying the constitution of the National Committee on Dam Safety (NCDS), it has been decided by the Competent Authority to include three new members namely Chief Engineer, Irrigation and CAD Department, Central Design Organization, Telangana, Chief Engineer (Head of the Authority), Director of Energy, Himachal Pradesh and Chief Engineer (Civil), Maintenance and Small Hydro, Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited (MePGCL), Meghalaya as Members of the existing National Committee on Dam Safety :-

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| x. Chief Engineer & Joint Secretary, Irrigation Deptt. Govt. of Maharashtra            | Member        |
| xi. Chief Engineer, PIDC, Irrigation Deptt., Govt. of Kerala                           | Member        |
| xii. Chief Engineer (Irrigation), Govt. of Tamil Nadu                                  | Member        |
| xiii. Chief Engineer, Bureau of Designs, (BODHI) Govt. of Madhya Pradesh               | Member        |
| xiv. Chief Engineer, K.E.R.S., Govt. of Karnataka                                      | Member        |
| xv. Chief Engineer, (Design), Irrigation Deptt., Govt. of Odisha                       | Member        |

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xvi.	Chief Engineer, (Design and Research), I&W Deptt., Govt. of West Bengal	Member
xvii.	Chief Engineer cum Additional Secretary, Deptt. of Irrigation, Govt. of Rajasthan	Member
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xx.	General Manager, NHPC	Member
xxi.	Chief Engineer (Civil), Kerala State Electricity Board, Thiruvananthapuram	Member
xxii.	Chief Engineer - I (Civil), Damodar River Valley Corporation, Maithon	Member
xxiii.	Commissioner (Pen. River), MoWR, RD & GR	Member
xxiv.	Chief Engineer (DSO), Central Water Commission	Member
xxv.	Chief Engineer (Design, Master Planning & Hydrology) Water Resources Department, Ranchi	Secretary Member
xxvi.	Chief Engineer, Mahanadi Reservoir Project, Water Resources Department, Raipur	Member
xxvii.	Chief Engineer, (North), Irrigation Deptt. Haldwani	Member
xxviii.	Chief Engineer, Kandi Area Development, Irrigation Works, Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh	Member
xxix.	Chief Engineer, Irrigation and CAD Department, Central Design Organization, Telangana	Member
xxx.	Chief Engineer (Head of Authority), Director of Energy, Himachal Pradesh	Member
xxxi.	Chief Engineer (Civil), Maintenance and Small Hydro, Meghalaya Power Generation Corporation Limited (MePGCL), Meghalaya	Member

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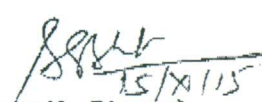
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5. The Committee will meet at least twice a year. The expenditure involved on TA/DA and other incidentals of the official members would be borne by the concerned Controlling Authorities.

6. The non-official members of the Committee will be paid TA/DA at the rate admissible to an official drawing grade pay of Rs. 6600 and with the approval of Secretary of the Department. As regards to payment of any sitting Fee or Honorarium to non-official Member or facilitating TA/DA at any higher rate, specific approval of Dept. of Expenditure as to relaxation of these directions may be obtained.

  
(Sanjeet Kr. Bhagat)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
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**Copy to:-**

1. Chairman (CWC), Sewa Bhawan, R. K. Puram, New Delhi.
2. Principal Secretary (WRD), All concerned State Governments.
3. All Members of the National Committee on Dam Safety.

**Copy also to:-**

1. Sr. PPS to Secretary (WR, RD & GR)
2. PS to Special Secretary (WR, RD & GR)
3. PS to JS (PR)