> Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110 107 Dated, the July 29, 2009

ORDER

Sub: Constitution of a Working Group to formulate a National Fibre Policy.

The Government of India has decided to constitute a Working Group to formulate a **National Fibre Policy**. The composition of the Working Group is as follows:

1.0 **Composition**:

1.	Secretary (Textiles)	Chairperson		
2.	Joint Secretary (Cotton), Ministry of Textiles	Member		
3.	Joint Secretary (Jute, Wool & Silk), Ministry of Textiles	Member		
4.	Joint Secretary, Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals	Member		
5.	Joint Secretary, Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion	Member		
6.	Joint Secretary, Department of Revenue	Member		
7.	Joint Secretary, Department of Commerce	Member		
8.	Textile Commissioner	Member		
9.	Jute Commissioner	Member		
10.	Member-Secretary, Silk Board	Member		
11.	Director, ATIRA	Member		
12.	Director, BTRA	Member		
13.	Director, SITRA	Member		
14.	Director, NITRA	Member		
15.	Director, MANTRA	Member		
16.	Director, SASMIRA	Member		
17.	Director, WRA	Member		
18.	Director, IJIRA	Member		
19.	Director (Cotton), Ministry of Textiles	Member-Secretary		
Textile Trade Associations				
20.	Chairman, Confederation of Indian Textile Industry	Member		
21.	Secretary-General, Confederation of Indian Textile Industry	Member		
22.	Secretary General, Indian Spinners' Association	Member		
23.	President, AMFII	Member		

24.	Chairman, TEA	Member
25.	Chairman, AEPC	Member
26.	Secretary General, AEPC	Member
27.	Chairman, TEXPROCIL	Member
28.	Executive Director, TEXPROCIL	Member
29.	Chairman, HEPC	Member
30.	Executive Director, HEPC	Member
31.	Chairman, CEPC	Member
32.	Executive Director, CEPC	Member
33.	Chairman, EPCH	Member
34.	Executive Director, EPCH	Member
35.	Chairman, ISEPC	Member
36.	Executive Director, ISEPC	Member
37.	Chairman, SRTEPC	Member
38.	Executive Director, SRTEPC	Member
39.	Chairman, PDEXCIL	Member
40.	Chairman, WWEPC	Member
41.	Executive Director, WWEPC	Member

1.1 Ministry of Textiles will be the nodal Ministry for the Working Group and will process the report/recommendation of the Group for further necessary action.

2.0 Terms of Reference:

- 2.1 The India textile sector is envisaging a major growth trajectory despite the present global slowdown. It is, thus, vitally important to understand the present fibre availability in the country, and the likely demand growth domestically and internationally in the coming year.
- 2.2 The Group would also analyze whether and how India would be in a position to have self-sufficiency in the fibre not only to meet its own demand for internal consumption, but also for exports of fibre as also of the value added finished products.
- 2.3 Unlike global trend India is more dependent on cotton the ratio of cotton to man-made fibre being 60:40 while the reverse is the case worldwide. The issue of promoting all fibres equally and equitably has also to be analyzed in detail so as to ensure balanced growth of the entire sector keeping in mind future trends and the present consumption pattern both domestically and internationally.

- 2.4 The study also needs to elaborate on the concerted interventions in policy areas for augmenting investment, support mechanisms both fiscal and non-fiscal front to the growth and competitiveness of this labour intensive manufacturing sector. The purpose is to make the sector globally competitive.
- 3.0 The Chairman of the Working Group may co-opt experts/ representatives of other agencies, as may be considered necessary.
- 4.0 Non-official members shall be entitled to payment of TA/DA by the Ministry of Textiles as per rules and regulations of TA/DA applicable to Grade-I officers of the Government of India in terms of SR 190(a) and appendix-2 to SR 190. Official members will be entitled to payment of TA/DA by their respective Departments/Organizations, as per the rules of entitlement applicable to them.
- 5.0 The name(s) of the representative(s) of various organizations, as per the above composition may be communicated to Dr. J. N. Singh, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Textiles, Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110107 (Tel: 23062326)].
- 6.0 The Working Group will submit its final report to the Ministry of Textile within three months.

(Dr. J. N. Singh) Joint Secretary to the Government of India Tel: 23062326

- 1. Concerned Officials/Ministries.
- 2. PMO (Shri TKA Nair, Principal Secretary to PM)
- 3. Cabinet Secretary
- 4. Chief, NMCC
- 5. PPS to Secretary (Textiles)
- 6. OSD to MOT
- 7. PS to MOS(T)
- 8. AS & FA
- 9. CCA, MOT
- 10. EA, MOT
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> Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110 107 Dated, the August 11, 2009

ORDER

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In continuation of this Ministry's Order of even number dated 29th July, 2009, the Government of India has decided to expand the composition of the Working Group on "**National Fibre Policy**" by including following members:

42.	Chief (Joint Secretary), NMCC	Member
Textile Trade Associations		
43.	Secretary General, ASFI	Member
44.	Chairman, FIASWI	Member
45.	President, CMAI	Member
46.	President, Cotton Association of India	Member
47.	Chairman, SIMA	Member

2. The order dated 29th July, 2009 may be viewed on this Ministry's website: **texmin.nic.in** - under the heading "Order".

(S.S. Gupta)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 23061826

- 1. Concerned persons.
- 2. PMO (Shri TKA Nair, Principal Secretary to PM)
- 3. Cabinet Secretary
- 4. Chief, NMCC
- 5. PPS to Secretary (Textiles)
- 6. PS to MOT
- 7. PS to MOS(T)
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> Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110 107 Dated, the September 15, 2009

ORDER

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In continuation of this Ministry's Orders of even number dated 29th July & 11th August, 2009, the Government of India has decided to further expand the composition of the Working Group on "**National Fibre Policy**" by including following members:

48.	Shri T. Kannan, MD, Thiagrajar Mills Ltd	Member
49.	Shri Rajendra J. Hinduja, MD, M/s Gokaldas Exports Ltd	Member
50.	Shri Arvind Singhal, Chairman, Technopak Advisers	Member
51.	Prof.(Dr.) M.D. Teli, Institute of Chemical Technology	Member
52.	Shri R.L. Toshniwal, CMD, Banswara Syntex Ltd	Member
53.	Shri Suresh A. Kotak, Chairman, Kotak & Co. Ltd.	Member
54.	Ms Rathi Vinay Jha, Secy-Gen, World Travel & Tourism Council	Member
55.	Dr. V.K. Kothari, Professor, IIT-Delhi	Member
56.	Shri M. Senthil Kumar, CMD, Palladam Hi-Tech Weaving Park	Member
57.	Shri Manikam Ramaswami, CMD, Loyal Textile Mills Limited	Member
58.	Shri Mani Chinnaswamy, Managing Trustee, Appachi Cotton Agronomy & Rural Empowerment Foundation	Member
59.	Dr. B.K. Krishnaraj Vanavarayar, Chairman, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan	Member
60.	Chairman, IJMA	Member
61.	Chairman, WOOLTEXPRO	Member
62.	Thiru Rajendra Mudaliar, Consultant, Kapleo Management Services	Member
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(Dr. J.N. Singh)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 23062326

To

- 1. Concerned persons.
- 2. PMO (Shri TKA Nair, Principal Secretary to PM)
- 3. Cabinet Secretary
- 4. Chief, NMCC
- 5. PPS to Secretary (Textiles)
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> Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110 107 Dated, the September 29, 2009

ORDER

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In continuation of this Ministry's Orders of even number dated 29th July, 11th August & 15th September, 2009, the Government of India has decided to further expand the composition of the Working Group on "**National Fibre Policy**" by including following members:

63.	Shri S.V. Arumugam, MD, Bannari Amman Spinning Mills Ltd	Member
64.	Shri G.S. Madan, Ex-President, Garments Exporters Association	Member
65.	Shri Bulaki Das Mimani, Hony Secretary, Chamber of Textile Trade & Industry, Kolkata	Member
66.	Shri Brijesh Kumar, Director, NTC	Member
67.	Dr. H.C. Gautam, Additional Commissioner (Crops), Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Government of India	Member
68.	Shri Sanjay Agarwal, Development Commissioner (Handicrafts)	Member
69.	Smt. Monika S. Garg, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Textiles	Member
70.	Shri S. S. Gupta, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Textiles	Member
71.	Dr. M.S. Mathivanan, Former Chairman, PDEXCIL, Mumbai	Member
72.	Shri A.L. Ramachandra, MD, Vijayeswari Textiles Ltd, Coimbatore	Member

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(Dr. J.N. Singh)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 23062326

To

- 1. Concerned persons.
- 2. PMO (Shri TKA Nair, Principal Secretary to PM)
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> Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi-110 107 Dated, the January 22, 2010

CORRIGENDUM

Sub: Constitution of a Working Group to formulate a National Fibre Policy.

The following may be inserted in para 4 of Order dated 29th July, 2009:

"However, in terms of the extant instructions, the non-official members may travel only by Air India. For travel to stations not connected by Air India, the members may travel by Air India to the hub/point closest to their eventual destination, beyond which they may utilise the services of another airline which should also preferably be an alliance partner of Air India".

2. The other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

(Dr. J. N. Singh) Joint Secretary to the Government of India Tel: 23062326

- 1. All Members, Working Group
- 2. Conveners, Sub Groups on Fibres (for circulation amongst members)
- 3. PS to MOT
- 4. Sr PPS to Secretary (Textiles)
- 5. DDO, MOT
- 6. PAO, MOT
- 7. B&A/Estt
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