

CHAPTER – IV

Administrator R&R

- 4.0 **APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR AND COMMISSIONER FOR RESETTLEMENT AND REHABILITATION AND THEIR POWERS & FUNCTIONS**
- 4.1 Where the appropriate Government is satisfied that acquisition of land for any project involves displacement of families from their lands and or houses as a result of acquisition of land, it shall, by notification, appoint in respect of that project, an officer not below the rank of Joint Collector of the state Government to be the Administrator for R&R in respect of that project.
- Provided that if the appropriate Government in respect of the project is the Central Government, such appointment shall be made in consultation with the Central Government.
- 4.2 The Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation shall be assisted by such officers and employees as the appropriate Government may provide.
- 4.3 Subject to the superintendence, directions and control of the appropriate Government and Commissioner for R&R, the Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation shall take all measures for the Rehabilitation and Resettlement of all Projects Affected Families (PAF's) in respect of that project.
- 4.4 The overall control and superintendence of the formulation of resettlement & rehabilitation plan and execution of the same Shall vest in the Administrator, Resettlement & Rehabilitation.
- 4.5 Subject to any general or special order of the appropriate Government, the Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation shall perform the following functions / duties:-
- (a) Minimize displacement of persons and identify non- displacing or least displacing alternatives in consultation with the requiring body;
 - (b) Hold consultation with the Project Affected Families while preparing a resettlement and rehabilitation scheme/plan;

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- (c) Ensure that interest of the adversely Project Affected Families of Scheduled Tribes and weaker sections are protected.
- (d) Prepare a draft plan/scheme of resettlement and rehabilitations as required under Chapter V and VI of this Policy. Wherever tribal PAPs are involved, the draft plan/scheme shall be prepared in consultation with respective area Project officer ITDA/DTWO.
- (e) Prepare a budget including estimated expenditure of various components of acquisition of Land, Resettlement and Rehabilitation activities or programmes in consultation with representatives of the Project Affected Families and requiring body for whom the land is acquired;
- (f) Acquire adequate land for the Project and also for Resettlement and Rehabilitation of the Project Affected Families;
- (g) Allot Land and sanction benefits to Project Affected Families;
- (h) Perform such other function as the appropriate Government may, from time to time, by order in writing, assign.
- 4.6 Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation may, by order in writing, delegate such of the administrative powers conferred and duties imposed on him by or under this policy to any officer not below the rank of RDO/Sub Collector or equivalent who will be called as R&R officer for the said project.
- 4.7 All officers and staff appointed by the appropriate Government under this policy shall be subordinate to the Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation.
- 4.8 The State Government shall appoint an officer of the rank of Commissioner/ Secretary of that Government for Resettlement and Rehabilitation in respect of such projects to which this Policy applies to be called the Commissioner for Resettlement & Rehabilitation
- 4.9 For the purposes of this Policy, the Administrator for Resettlement & Rehabilitation and other officers and employees appointed for the purposes of Resettlement and Rehabilitation of PAF shall be subordinate to the Commissioner for Resettlement and Rehabilitation.
- 4.10 The Commissioner shall be responsible for supervising the formulation of resettlement and rehabilitation plans/ schemes, proper implementation of such plans/ schemes and redressal of grievances as mentioned in Chapter VII of this Policy. Wherever tribal PAPs are involved, Commissioner, TW shall also be involved in above responsibilities and functions.

Delegation of powers of Administrator R&R

Commissioner for R&R

Functions of Commissioner for R&R