

Setting up of (1) State Logistics Co-ordination Committee (2) State Logistics Cell and (3) City Logistics Co-ordination Committee for monitoring and implementing Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Park Policy 2021

GOVERNMENT OF GUJARAT

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Logistics sector is considered as the backbone of economic growth. Even the growth of other sectors, amongst other factors, depends heavily on the efficiency of the logistics network. For competitiveness of business and economy, improvements in logistics are essential. With a view to ensuring the integrated development of the logistics sector, the Government of India has established the Logistics Division under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry. Given that several important areas in the logistics sector fall within the domain of the State Government. At the national level, Ministry of Commerce and Industry (MoCI) ranks states based on their performance in the logistics sector as per the Logistics Ease Across Different States (LEADS) index based on LEADS annual survey. It aims to serve as an indicator of logistics efficiency including services needed to promote exports in particular and economic growth in general. Some parameters of the LEADS index 2019 included availability and quality of logistics infrastructure ease of track and trace, quality of logistics services, timeliness of cargo delivery, state facilitation and coordination, efficiency of regulatory processes, etc. **Gujarat ranked 1st in the LEADS index in the years 2018 and 2019.**

In order to maintain and strengthen this competitive advantage, Gujarat Government has in-principally approved Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Park Policy, 2021. This policy endeavors to broaden and strengthen the network of logistics facilities by creating new facilities and enhancing the utilization of existing infrastructure, encourage private players to adopt new technologies, create a base for innovation and upskill professionals in logistics. This Policy is in synchronization with the guidelines of the Logistics Division, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India as stated in the draft National Logistics Policy (NLP) vide resolution no. 63/Logistics/2018 dated 05-Feb-2019. Towards this ambition of the state government, this policy proposes preparation of a state logistics masterplan for a unified and integrated development.

It was under consideration of State Government to set up (1) State Logistics Co-ordination Committee (2) State Logistics Cell and (3) City Logistics Co-ordination Committee to coordinate with various stakeholders to support development/ enhancement/ upgradation of logistics facilities in conjunction with the masterplan and to monitor and implement Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Park Policy 2021



Resolution:

The State Government is pleased to constitute (1) State Logistics Co-ordination Committee (2) State Logistics Cell and (3) City Logistics Co-ordination Committee to oversee integrated and efficient development of the Logistic sector in the State of Gujarat with the detailed composition and functions as below:

1) State Logistics Co-ordination Committee

The composition of State Logistics Co-ordination Committee shall be as under:

Sl. No	Members	Designation
1.	Chief Secretary	Chairman
2.	Additional Chief Secretary, Home Department	Member
3.	Additional Chief Secretary, Industries & Mines Department	Member
4.	Additional Chief Secretary, Urban Development & Urban Housing Department	Member
5.	Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department	Member
6.	Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue Department	Member
7.	Additional Chief Secretary, Ports & Transport Department	Member
8.	Principal Secretary, Energy & Petrochemicals Department	Member
9.	Secretary, Civil Aviation Department	Member
10.	Secretary, Agriculture, Farmers Welfare & Co-operation Department	Member
11.	Secretary, Roads & Building Department	Member
12.	Chairman, Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Member
13.	Managing Director, G-RIDE	Member
14.	Chief Executive Officer, GIDB	Member
15.	Managing Director, Industrial Extension Bureau (IndextB)	Member Secretary



The State Logistics Co-ordination Committee shall be the approval authority for all tasks related to development of logistics sector of the state, including but not limited to:

- i) Approval of State Integrated Logistics Master Plan or any other guidelines, schemes for the promotion of Logistics Sector in the State;
- ii) Review various logistics related infrastructure projects in Road, Rail, Ports, Air, warehouses, cold storages, etc. to provide integrated logistics network in the state for enhancing Ease of Doing Business and give appropriate directions;
- iii) Review various measures of enhancing Ease of Doing Business in the state for logistics sector.
- iv) Review the performance of departments and agencies in availing and utilization of grants from Central Government and State Government under various schemes for logistics development and resolve difficulties if any.
- v) Review and monitor the performance of State Logistics Cell.
- vi) Provide suitable directions to State Logistics Cell or any other concerned departments for implementation of Integrated State Logistics Master Plan and Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Parks Policy.
- vii) The State Logistics Co-ordination Committee may co-opt any private/ official/ expert members as required for the overall development of logistics sector.

2) State Logistics Cell

The composition of State Logistics Cell shall be as under:

Sl. No	Members	Designation
1.	Additional Chief Secretary, Industries & Mines Department	Chairman
2.	Chief Executive Officer, GIDB	Member
3.	Secretary, Roads & Buildings Department	Member
4.	Commissioner, Commissionerate of Commercial Tax	Member
5.	VC & CEO, Gujarat Maritime Board	Member
6.	Chief Executive Officer, Gujarat Ports & Logistics Company Limited	Member
7.	Managing Director, G-RIDE	Member
8.	Industries Commissioner	Member



9.	Managing Director, GIDC	Member
10.	Superintendent of Stamps	Member
11.	Member Secretary, Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Member
12.	Chief Town Planner, Town Planning & Valuation Department	Member
13.	Chief Executive Officer, GUJSAIL	Member
14.	Managing Director – Gujarat Agro Industries Corporation Limited	Member
15	Managing Director- iNDEXT-B	Member
16.	D.S. (Petro & Renewable Energy), Energy & Petrochemicals Department	Member
17	General Manager, GIDB	Member Secretary
18	Senior Manager (Projects), GIDB	Member
19	Representatives from City Logistics Co-ordination Committees	Member

The State Logistics Cell shall perform the all activities related to overall development of logistics sector, including but not limited to:

- i) Mapping of existing logistics related public and private assets in the State;
- ii) Implement Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Parks Policy and to prepare strategies and action plans to reducing the logistics cost of the State.
- iii) Undertake necessary actions for integrating and enhancing the efficient utilization of available assets.
- iv) Prepare and implement Integrated Logistics Master Plan for the State;
- v) Provide assistance to State Logistics Co-ordination Committee;
- vi) Implement decisions/ orders given by State Logistics Co-ordination Committee.
- vii) Coordinate with the City Logistics Co-ordination Committee for integration of City Logistics Plans with the State Integrated Logistics Master Plan.
- viii) Monitor the progress of City Logistics Co-ordination Committee and other development according to State Integrated Logistics Master Plan.



- ix) Propose various infrastructure projects for improving the logistics network, measures for enhancing Ease of Doing Business and requirement of grants under various schemes for logistics to State Logistics Co-ordination Committee.
- x) Facilitate the investors in obtaining regulatory clearances from concern departments of GOG and GOI.
- xi) Develop feedback and grievance mechanism and monitor investor's dispute resolutions from concern departments of GOG and GOI.
- xii) Coordinate with concern allied departments for the overall development of logistics sector in the state.
- xiii) Setup logistics data center and maintain data across logistics value chain for enabling data driven decision making for future infrastructure projects, maintain logistics performance dashboards and logistics data analytics.
- xiv) Monitor the overall disbursement under various schemes of Gujarat integrated logistics and logistics parks policy.
- xv) Liaise with multi-lateral agencies for projects requiring support.
- xvi) Provide suitable directions to Gujarat Ports & Logistics Company Limited (GPLCL) for implementing Gujarat Integrated Logistics and Logistics Parks Policy and State Integrated Logistics Master Plan;
- xvii) Implement any other tasks/ directions issued by the State Logistics coordination committee for integrated development of logistics sector in the State.

The State Logistics Cell may co-opt any private/ official/ expert members from Logistics, Freight Forwarder and Warehouse providers' associations, Logistics Professional Association like Chattered Institute of Logistics & Transport (CILT) as required for the overall development of logistics sector.

3) City Logistics Co-ordination Committee

To ease the freight traffic movement, the City Logistics Co-ordination Committee shall be formed for 08 cities having Municipal Corporations viz (1) Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation, (2) Surat Municipal Corporation, (3) Rajkot Municipal Corporation, (4) Vadodara Municipal Corporation, (5) Gandhinagar Municipal Corporation, (6) Bhavnagar Municipal Corporation, (7) Jamnagar Municipal Corporation and (8) Junagadh Municipal Corporation. There shall be one City Logistics Co-ordination Committee at each Municipal Corporation. The composition of City Logistics Co-ordination Committee shall be as under:



Sl. No	Members	Designation
1.	Municipal Commissioner	Chairman
2.	Chief Executive Authority, Development Authority	Member
3.	City Engineer (Traffic & Transport)	Member Secretary
4.	ARTO, Regional Transport Office, Ahmedabad	Member
5.	DCP, Traffic Police	Member
6.	Representative from Gujarat Pollution Control Board	Member
7.	Representative from State Logistics Cell	Member

The City Logistics Co-ordination Committee shall perform all tasks related to overall development of logistics at city level, including but not limited to:

- i) Setting a vision and targets for the city's freight performance.
- ii) Preparing City Logistics Plan in line with Integrated State Logistics Master Plan.
- iii) Identifying and supporting key actions and projects (such as pilots) that can be undertaken for improved freight performance.
- iv) Reviewing and recommending proposals for improving logistics planning for the city from different stakeholders.
- v) Ensuring alignment of city's freight efficiency objectives with existing or proposed transport, vehicle, zoning, and land use planning for the city.
- vi) Providing inputs during preparation of Integrated State Logistics Master Plan for efficiency freight management in the city.
- vii) Represent the city on City's freight performance at state Logistics Cell.
- viii) Engaging with stakeholders across the ecosystem for preparing implementable action plans as part of City Logistics Plan.
- ix) Provide adequate and efficient green, sustainable and environment friendly logistics infrastructure for reducing carbon footprint.
- x) Monitoring and regularly evaluating the implementation of measures outlined in the City Logistics Plan.
- xi) The City Logistics Co-ordination Committee may co-opt any private/ official/ expert members from Logistics, Freight Forwarder and Warehouse providers' associations,



Freight Transport Associations, Logistics Professional Association like Chattered Institute of Logistics & Transport (CILT) as required for the overall development of logistics sector.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

By order and in the name of Governor of Gujarat,



(Manish Shah)
Deputy Secretary
Industries and Mines Department

To,

1. The Principle Secretary to Hon'ble Governorshri, Raj Bhavan, Gandhinagar.
2. The Additional Chief Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Gujarat.
3. The Commerce Secretary, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India, New Delhi.
4. The Special Secretary (Logistics), Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India, New Delhi.
5. The Chief Secretary, Gujarat.
6. All the Additional Chief Secretaries/ Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries, Gujarat.
7. Chief Executive Officer, Gujarat Infrastructure Development Board, Gandhinagar.
8. All Members of the State Logistics Co-ordination Committee.
9. All Members of State Logistics Cell.
10. All Members of All City Logistics Co-ordination Committee.
11. The Account General (A&E) Gujarat, Rajkot.
12. The Account General (A&E) Gujarat, Ahmadabad.
13. Computer cell, Industries & Mines Department.
14. Select file.