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THE ADMINISTRATION OF
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Subject: Constitution of State Level Apex Committee (SLAC) for planning, coordination and overall supervision of the Integrated Textile Census 2026–27 in the Union Territory of Ladakh.

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In order to ensure effective planning, coordination, monitoring and timely implementation of the Integrated Textile Census 2026–27 in the Union Territory of Ladakh, sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of **State Level Apex Committee (SLAC)** with the following composition:

1.	Chief Secretary, UT Ladakh	Chairperson
2.	Administrative Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department, UT Ladakh	Member
3.	Director, Industries & Commerce, UT Ladakh	Member
4.	Director, Economics & Statistics, Planning, Development & Monitoring Department, UT Ladakh	Member
5.	Representative of the Ministry of Textiles, Government of India/concerned Regional or Field Office	Member
6.	Deputy Commissioners/District Magistrates of Leh and Kargil	Special Invitees
7.	Representatives of relevant industry associations, weavers'/artisans' bodies and other concerned organisations	Special Invitees, as required
8.	Any other officer/representative nominated by the Chairperson	Member/Special Invitee

Terms of Reference (ToR)

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The Committee shall perform the following functions:

1. Review the preparedness of the UT in terms of manpower, field infrastructure, training, digital devices and connectivity, administrative records, existing databases and field logistics.
2. Monitor district-wise progress against approved milestones and identify areas requiring additional support or corrective measures.
3. Address field-level challenges relating to coverage, identification of unregistered/informal units, duplication, seasonal units, migration of artisans/workers, inaccessible locations and non-response.
4. Coordinate with the District Administrations for nomination of District Nodal Officers and establishment of appropriate district-level implementation mechanisms.
5. Facilitate the sharing and validation of relevant administrative databases maintained by the UT for preparation of the Census frame, subject to applicable legal and data-protection provisions.
6. Ensure uniform adoption of the prescribed Census methodology, questionnaire, field manuals, digital application and quality-control protocols across the UT.
7. Recommend appropriate measures to the High-Level Steering Committee for resolution of matters requiring policy-level intervention.
8. Facilitate timely completion of enumeration and submission of validated UT-level Census data.
9. Review progress at major milestones and provide necessary directions for timely completion of the Census, including matters relating to resource requirements and administrative coordination.
10. Review and recommend the final UT-level Census data prior to its submission to the Ministry of Textiles, Government of India.
11. The Committee may co-opt representatives of other Ministries/Departments, District Administrations, industry associations or domain experts, as required, to assist in its deliberations.
12. The Committee shall meet as and when required to review the progress and address issues concerning the implementation of the Integrated Textile Census 2026–27.

Further, the Industries & Commerce Department, UT Ladakh, shall act as the **Nodal Department/Secretariat** of the Committee and shall be responsible for coordinating meetings, communications, administrative support, progress reporting and other related requirements.

The Director, Industries & Commerce, UT Ladakh, shall function as the **State Nodal Officer (SNO)** for coordination with the Ministry of Textiles, Government of India, and the Office of the Textile Commissioner, and for monitoring the overall implementation of the Census in the UT.

By order of Administration of UT Ladakh

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2. Director General of Police, UT of Ladakh.
3. Administrative Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department, UT of Ladakh. The UO file No. P-11014/1/2026-O/o SECY I&C is return herewith.
4. Secretary to Hon'ble Lt Governor, UT of Ladakh for information of Hon'ble Lt. Governor.
5. All Deputy Commissioners.
6. All the Directors / HoD's / Chief Engineers, UT of Ladakh and Registrar, University of Ladakh.
7. Director NIC Ladakh for uploading on the UT website.
8. OSD to the Chief Secretary, UT of Ladakh for information of Chief Secretary.

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