

Composition of Committees

A. Project Appraisal and Monitoring Committee (PAMC): The constitution of the PAMC, for Preliminary Scrutiny and subsequent monitoring of the project, is proposed as under:

For Component I & III

1.	Textile Commissioner	Chairman
2.	Representative of R&D Division, Ministry of Textiles	Member
3.	HOD, Department of Textiles, IIT, Delhi	Member
4.	Directors of all the TRAs	Member
5.	Representatives of CITI, FICCI, CII	Member
6.	Representative of Department of Science and Technology/CSIR	Member
7.	A technical expert from a reputed research institute or universities may be co-opted by the committee	Member
8.	Joint Textile Commissioner	Member Secretary

For Component II

1.	Jute Commissioner	Chairman
2.	Representative of R&D Division, Ministry of Textiles	Member
3.	HOD, Department of Textiles, IIT, Delhi	Member
4.	Director of IJIRA	Member
5.	CMD, Jute Corporation of India, Kolkata	Member
6.	Representative of Institute of Jute Technology (IJT), Kolkata	Member
7.	A technical expert from a reputed research institute such as CRIJAF, NIRJFT, etc may be co-opted by the committee	Member
8.	Representative of Department of Science and Technology/CSIR	Member
9.	Secretary, National Jute Board	Member Secretary

In addition to the above, the chairman may co-opt any other Subject Matter Specialist from industry / academics as per requirement.

Terms of reference of these committees:

The basic function of these committees is to apprise the R&D project proposals and recommend to PAC for approval, or otherwise. The PAMCs will also be responsible for project monitoring and reviews from time to time. While appraising a project, PAMC would inter-alia ensure that:-

1. The projects are identified and prioritized based on current thrust areas for research
2. There is no duplication of Projects/Research efforts

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3. The Physical and financial targets are clearly delineated and match each other
4. Progress of project already undertaken by the agency earlier under this scheme

B. Project Approval Committee (PAC): The projects appraised and recommended by PAMCs for various sub-components will be considered for approval by High Level Committees as under:

For Component I & III

1.	Joint Secretary, R&D, Ministry of Textiles	Chairman
2.	Textiles Commissioner	Member
3.	Representative of IFW, Ministry of Textiles	Member
4.	Directors of all the TRAs	Member
5.	Director (R&D), Ministry of Textiles	Member Secretary

For Component II

1.	Joint Secretary, Jute, Ministry of Textiles	Chairman
2.	Jute Commissioner, Kolkata	Member
3.	Representative of IFW, Ministry of Textiles	Member
4.	Director, IJIRA	Member
5.	Secretary, NJB	Member
6.	Director (Jute), Ministry of Textiles	Member
7.	Director (R&D), Ministry of Textiles	Member Secretary

In addition to the above, the chairman may co-opt any other Subject Matter Specialist from industry / academics as per requirement.

Terms of reference of the committee:

The Committee will approve the proposal for undertaking various R&D activities and will monitor the successful completion of targets/ deliverables for each R&D project.

C. Empowered Committee: Overall monitoring and policy direction for implementation of the scheme will rest with the Empowered Committee to be headed by Secretary (Textiles). The composition of the committee shall be as follows:

1.	Secretary (Textile)	Chairman
2.	AS&FA, Ministry of Textiles	Member
3.	JS (R&D), Ministry of Textiles	Member
4.	JS (Jute), Ministry of Textiles	Member
5.	Textile Commissioner	Member
6.	Jute Commissioner	Member

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7.	Secretary, NJB	Member
8.	Director (R&D)	Member Secretary

The Empowered Committee will approve the detailed scheme guidelines and operational modalities and monitor the scheme from time to time. The EC will also have the powers to re-appropriate the cost allocations between individual activities and components within the overall budget approved depending upon the need and progress of implementation of individual component.

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