

भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण

(सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)

National Highways Authority of India





NHAI/ Policy Guidelines/ Conciliation Committee/ 2025 Policy Circular No. 2.1.87/2025 dated 22nd September, 2025

{Decision taken on E-Office File No. NHAI/CMD/CCIEExtn./2020-21-Part(1) (Comp. No. 294411)}

Sub: Reconstitution of Conciliation Committee of Independent Experts-3 (CCIE-3)-reg.

NHAI vide Policy Circular No. 2.1.23/2017 dated 02.06.2017, established a Conciliation and Settlement Mechanism for Contractual Disputes arising under Agreements with Contractors/ Concessionaires/ Consultants. Subsequently, an amendment to the said Policy Circular along with Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)/ Methodology for Conciliation was issued vide Policy Circular No. 2.1.23(1)/2017 dated 19.06.2017.

Thereafter, a modified SOP/ Methodology for Conciliation was issued vide Policy Circular No. 2.1.48 dated 09.04.2021, followed by timelines for processing matters for reference to CCIEs vide Policy Circular No. 2.1.50 dated 26.05.2021. Further, a separate SOP for Conciliation of Disputes/Claims decided by DRB was issued vide Policy Circular No.2.1.80/2025 dated 13.02.2025.

To further expedite and digitize the process, a Conciliation Module was introduced on Datalake Portal vide OM dated 29.08.2023. Based on subsequent experience, a revised SOP on Datalake Module for Conciliation through CCIE was issued vide Policy Circular No. 2.1.81/2025 dated 24.02.2025.

2. It has now been decided to re-constitute CCIE-3. Accordingly, the following Conciliation and Settlement Committee is hereby constituted:

| Conciliation Committee of Independent Experts-3 (CCIE-3) | | |
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| SI. No. | Name of the Members | Brief Particulars of the Members |
| 1 | Sh. Mahesh Chand Jain, Justice (Retd.) | Retired Judge, Allahabad High Court; Former Chairman, Debt Recovery Appellate Tribunal |
| 2 | Sh. Sukhdev Singh, IAS (Retd.) | Former Chief Secretary, Govt. of Jharkhand; Ex- State Finance Secretary; Ex- Secretary (Building Construction Department); Ex- MD, Greater Ranchi Development Authority; Ex- Principal Secretary (Water Resources Department) |
| 3 | Sh. Chaman Lal | Former Engineer-in-Chief, PWD, B&R, Haryana |

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- 3. The Broad Terms & Conditions and Terms of Reference of the Committee/ Experts shall be as specified in Annexure-1 of Policy Circular dated 02.06.2017 and amended vide Policy Circular dated 09.04.2021.
- 4. This issue with the approval of Competent Authority.

(CS. Sanjay Kumar Patel)
I/c Chief General Manager (Coord.)

To:

- 1. Hon'ble Members of Re-constituted CCIE -3
- 2. All Officers of NHAI HQ/ ROs/ PIUs/ CMUs/ Site Offices

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