

Government of Andhra Pradesh

The **Government of Andhra Pradesh**, abbreviated as **GoAP**, is the <u>state government</u> and the administrative body responsible for the <u>governance</u> of the <u>Indian state</u> of <u>Andhra Pradesh</u>. <u>Amaravati</u> is the capital of the state and houses the state executive, legislature and head of judiciary.

Under the Constitution of India, *de jure* executive authority lies with the governor, although this authority is exercised only by, or on the advice of, the <u>chief minister</u>, the <u>de facto</u> authority and the <u>cabinet</u>. Following elections to the <u>Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly</u>, the <u>state's governor</u> usually invites the party (or coalition) with a majority of seats to form the government. The governor appoints the chief minister, whose <u>council of ministers</u> are <u>collectively</u> responsible to the assembly.

It is an elected government with 175 <u>MLAs</u> elected to the <u>Legislative Assembly of Andhra Pradesh</u> for a five-year term. The Government of Andhra Pradesh is a democratically elected body that governs the state of Andhra Pradesh, India.

Governance

Executive

The Government of Andhra Pradesh is a democratically elected body with the <u>governor</u> as the constitutional head. The governor who is appointed for a period of five years appoints the <u>chief minister</u> and his council of ministers. Even though the governor remains the ceremonial head of the

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Capital Amaravati

Legislative branch

Assembly Andhra Pradesh Legislative

Assembly

Speaker Chintakayala Ayyanna

Patrudu

Deputy Speaker Vacant

Members in 175

Assembly

Council Andhra Pradesh Legislative

Council

Chairman Koyye Moshenu Raju

Deputy Chair Zakia Khanam

Members in 58

Council

Executive branch

Governor S. Abdul Nazeer

Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu

(TDP)

Deputy Chief Pawan Kalyan (JSP)

Minister

Chief Secretary Neerabh Kumar Prasad,

IAS

Judiciary

High Court Andhra Pradesh High Court

Chief Justice Dhiraj Singh Thakur

state, the day-to-day running of the government is taken care of by the chief minister and his <u>council of ministers</u> in whom a great deal of legislative powers is vested.



Narendra Modi (Prime Minister of India), Syed Abdul Nazeer (Governor of Andhra Pradesh) and N. Chandrababu Naidu(Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh) along with the council of ministers at the swearing-in ceremony.

Council of Ministers

	Portrait	trait Minister	Portfolio Constit		Т	Tenure	
#				Constituency	Took office	Left office	Party
			Chief Ministe	<u>r</u>			
1		<u>Nara</u> Chandrababu <u>Naidu</u>	 General Administration Law & Order Public Enterprises Other departments not allocated to any Minister 	<u>Kuppam</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
		Public Enterprises Chandrababu Naidu Public Enterprises Other departments not allocated to any Minister					
2			 Rural development & Rural water supply Environment Forest Science & 	Pithapuram	June	Incumbent	JSP
			Cabinet Ministe	ers			
3		Nara Lokesh	 Human Resources Development Information Technology Electronics & Communication Real Time Governance 	Mangalagiri	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP

4	Kinjarapu Atchannaidu	 Agriculture Co-operation Marketing Animal Husbandry Dairy Development & Fisheries 	Tekkali	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
5	Kollu Ravindra	Mines & GeologyExcise	Machilipatnam	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
6	<u>Nadendla</u> <u>Manohar</u>	Food & Civil SuppliesConsumer Affairs	<u>Tenali</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	JSP
7	Ponguru Narayana	 Municipal Administration & Urban Development 	Nellore City	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
8	Vangalapudi Anitha	 Home Affairs & Disaster Management 	Payakaraopet	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
9	Satya Kumar Yadav	HealthFamily Welfare& MedicalEducation	Dharmavaram	12 June 2024	Incumbent	ВЈР
10	Nimmala Rama Naidu	 Water Resources Development 	Palakollu	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
11	N. M. D. Farooq	Law & JusticeMinority Welfare	Nandyal	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP

12	Anam Ramanarayana Reddy	■ Endowments	<u>Atmakur</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
13	Payyavula Keshav	 Finance Planning Commercial Taxes Legislative Affairs 	<u>Uravakonda</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
14	Anagani Satya Prasad	RevenueRegistration & Stamps	<u>Repalle</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
`15	Kolusu Parthasarathy	HousingInformation & Public Relations	<u>Nuzvid</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	<u>TDP</u>
16	Dola Sree Bala Veeranjaneya Swamy	 Social Welfare Disabled & Senior Citizen Welfare Sachivalayam & Village Volunteer 	Kondapi	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
17	Gottipati Ravi Kumar	■ Energy	<u>Addanki</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
18	Kandula Durgesh	TourismCultureCinematography	<u>Nidadavole</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	JSP
19	Gummadi Sandhya Rani	Women & Child WelfareTribal Welfare	Salur	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP

20		B. C. Janardhan Reddy	 Roads & Buildings Infrastructure & Investments. 	Banaganapalle	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
21		T. G. Bharath	Industries & CommerceFood Processing	Kurnool	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
22		S. Savitha	 B. C. Welfare Economically Weaker Sections Welfare Handlooms and Textiles 	<u>Penukonda</u>	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
23		<u>V</u> asamsetti Subhash	 Labour Factories Boilers & Insurance Medical Services 	Ramachandrapuram	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
24	(B) (B)	Kondapalli Srinivas	 Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises Society for Elimination of Rural Poverty NRI Empowerment and Relations 	Gajapathinagaram	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP
25		Mandipalli Ramprasad Reddy	TransportYouth & Sports	Rayachoti	12 June 2024	Incumbent	TDP

Employees

The state has about 8 lakṣa employees. This comprises 5.6 lakṣa regular employees (1.3 lakṣa new employees at village and ward Secretariate) employees), 2 lakṣa contract and outsourcing employees, apart from more than 6 padi vēlu employees working in corporations and public sector undertakings. [1]

Legislature



The Andhra Pradesh Legislature is currently <u>bicameral</u> consisting of:

- Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly: 175 members (MLAs)
- Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council: 58 members (MLCs)

Judiciary



High Court of Judicature at Hyderabad was the highest court of appeal at the state level till 2019. After Andhra Pradesh High Court was inaugurated in Amaravati on 1 January 2019, it became the High Court for the State of Andhra Pradesh. It has subordinate Civil and Criminal Courts in every District. Decisions of the High Court of Andhra Pradesh can be appealed in the Supreme Court of India.

District In-Charge Ministers

S.No	District	In-charge Minister	Party	Teni	Tenure		
1	Srikakulam	Kondapalli Srinivas	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024	Incumbent		
2	Parvathipuram Manyam	Kinjarapu Atchannaidu	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
3	<u>Vizianagaram</u>	Vangalapudi Anitha	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
4	<u>Visakhapatnam</u>	Dr. Dola Sree Bala Veeranjaneya Swamy	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
5	Alluri Sitharama Raju	Gummadi Sandhya Rani	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
6	Anakapalli	Kollu Ravindra	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
7	<u>Kakinada</u>	Ponguru Narayana	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
8	East Godavari	Dr. Nimmala Rama Naidu	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
9	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Konaseema	Kinjarapu Atchannaidu	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
10	Eluru	Nadendla Manohar	Janasena Party	15 October 2024			
11	West Godavari	Gottipati Ravi Kumar	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			
12	NTR	Satya Kumar Yadav	Bharatiya Janata Party	15 October 2024			
13	Krishna	Vasamsetti Subhash	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024			

14	Palnadu	Gottipati Ravi Kumar	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
15	Guntur	Kandula Durgesh	Janasena Party	15 October 2024
16	Bapatla	Kolusu Parthasarathy	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
17	Prakasam	Anam Ramanarayana Reddy	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
18	Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore	N. Md. Farooq	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
19	Kurnool	Dr. Nimmala Rama Naidu	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
20	Nandyal	Payyavula Keshav	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
21	Ananthapuramu	T. G. Bharath	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
22	Sri Sathya Sai	Anagani Satya Prasad	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
23	YSR	S. Savitha	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
24	Annamayya	B. C. Janardhan Reddy	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
25	Tirupati	Anagani Satya Prasad	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024
26	Chittoor	Mandipalli Ramprasad Reddy	Telugu Desam Party	15 October 2024

Emblem



The emblem consists of "Dhamma Chakra" (Wheel of law), decorated with a string of <u>triratnas</u> alternating with pinnate leaves and precious stones. Three circles of decorative beads surround the wheel. "Purna Ghataka" (The vase of plenty) is at the hub of the wheel. <u>The national emblem</u> is at the bottom. The word 'Andhra Pradesh

Prabhutvam' (Government of Andhra Pradesh) in Telugu script is at the top. It is flanked by the word "Andhra Pradesh" written in English and <u>Devanagari lipi</u>. The word 'Satyameva Jayathe' in Telugu scripts appears at the bottom. [3][4]

See also

- List of chief ministers of Andhra Pradesh
- Politics of Andhra Pradesh

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