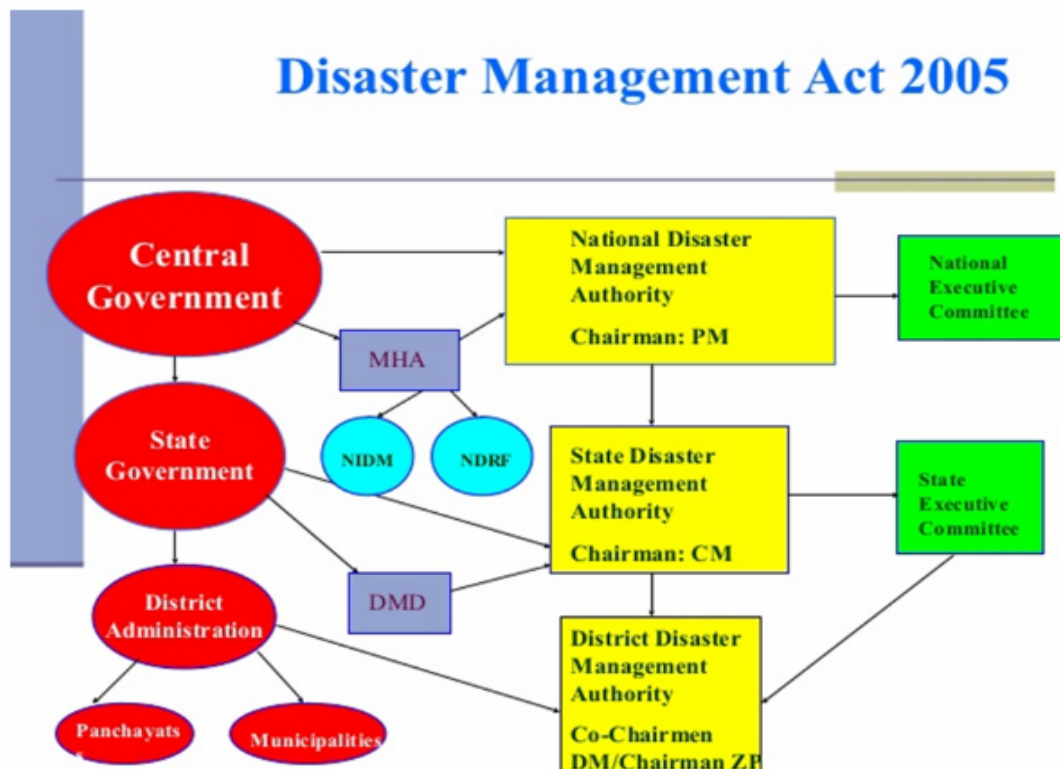


Organisations and Policies related to Disaster Management Framework at National level

National Disaster Management Authority of India (NDMA)

- It was established in 2005, under the Disaster Management Act 2005.
- The objective of NDMA is, to build a safer and disaster resilient India by a holistic, proactive, technology driven and sustainable development strategy.
- The NDMA is chaired by the Prime Minister of India and has a vice chairman with the status of Cabinet Minister and eight members with the status of Ministers of State.
- The NDMA Secretariat is headed by a Secretary and deals with mitigation, preparedness, plans, reconstruction, community awareness and financial and administrative aspects.
- It works under the Ministry of Home Affairs.



National Disaster Management Plan (NDMP)

- It was released in 2016, it is the first ever national plan prepared in the country for disaster management.
- With National Disaster Management Plan (2016) India has aligned its National plan with the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030, to which India is a signatory.
- **The objective of the plan is**
 - To make India disaster resilient, achieve substantial disaster risk reduction.
 - To significantly decrease the losses of life, livelihoods, and assets in terms of economic, physical, social, cultural, and environmental.
 - To maximize the ability to cope with disasters at all levels of administration as well as among communities.

State Disaster Management Authority (SDMA)

- At State level, State Disaster Management Authority was established under Disaster Management Act 2005.
- SDMA is chaired by the Chief Minister of the State and has not more than eight members who are appointed by the Chief Minister.
- The SDMA prepares the state disaster management plan and implements the National Disaster Management Plan.

Organisational Set up

- The State Government envisages management of such disasters through following institutions /organisations.
1. The State Disaster Management Authority headed by the Hon'ble Chief Minister shall be the Governing Council.
 2. Revenue Administration Disaster Management and Mitigation Department headed by the State Relief Commissioner
 3. District administration headed by the Collector
 4. Sub Divisional Officers (RDOs) assisted by the taluk Tahsildars and other revenue officials.
 5. Local bodies like Corporations, Municipalities, Panchayat Unions, etc.
 6. Non-Governmental Organisations.
 7. Public Sector/Private Sector
 8. Community.