

APEDA AUTHORITY MEMBERS AS ON 20.05.2026

| Sr No. | Post | Name & Designation | Tenure | Remarks If any |
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| 1. | Chairman | Shri Abhishek Dev, I.A.S. Chairman, APEDA | | |
| 2. | Agricultural Marketing Adviser to the Government of India, ex officio | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 3. | One member from Planning Commission | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| Three members parliament (Two house of people and one council of states) | | | | |
| 4. | Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) | Shri Darshan Singh Choudhary Opposite Ram Janki Mandir, Choudhary Chowk, Gram Chandon, Tehsil Bank, Khedi Narmadapuram Madhya Pradesh Email: darshanchoudhary77@gmail.com darshan.choudhary@sansad.nic.in (Appointed vide Gazette Notification No. S.O. 857(E) dated 17th February, 2025 for two years) | 17.02.2027 | |
| 5. | Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) | Dr. Mohammad Jawed Goabari, P.O. Azadnagar, Chatargach, Kishanganj Bihar - 855117 Email: drmdjawaid@gmail.com mohammad.jawed@sansad.nic.in (Appointed vide Gazette Notification No. S.O. 857(E) dated 17th February, 2025 for two years) | 17.02.2027 | |
| 6. | Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) | Shri Banshilal Gurjar 58, Patel Nagar Mandsaur, Madhya Pradesh Email: gurjar.banshilal@sansad.nic.in (Appointed vide Gazette Notification No. S.O. 857(E) dated 17th February, 2025 for two years) | 17.02.2027 | |

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| 8 members appointed by Central Government to represent Ministries of Central Government | | | | |
| 7. | Department of Agriculture Cooperation & Farmers Welfare | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 8. | Department of Commerce | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 9. | Department of Finance | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 10. | Department of Industry | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 11. | Department of Food | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 12. | Department of Civil Supplies | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 13. | Department of Civil Aviation | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |

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| 14. | Department of Shipping and Transport | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 5 members to be appointed by Central Govt. by rotation in alphabetical order to represent State or Union Territory | | | | |
| 15. | Government of Assam | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 16. | Government of Goa | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 17. | Government of Gujarat | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 18. | Government of NCT of Delhi | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |

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| 19. | Government of Haryana | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| Seven Members to be appointed by Central Government to represent | | | | |
| 20. | Indian Council of Agricultural Research | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |

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| 21. | National Horticulture Board | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 22. | National Agricultural Co-operative Marketing Federation | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 23. | Central Food Technological Research Institute | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 24. | Indian Institute of Packaging | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 25. | Spices export Promotion Council | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |
| 26. | Cashewnut Export Promotion Council | VACANT | VACANT | VACANT |

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| 12 members to be appointed by Central Government to represent Fruit and vegetable product industries; Meat, poultry and dairy products industries; Other scheduled products or special product industries; Packaging industry | | | | |
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| Two members appointed by Central Government among specialists and scientists in the field of agriculture, economic and marketing of scheduled products | | | | |
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