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Government of India  
Ministry of Mines**

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**ORDER**

It has been decided to constitute a Group on Marble Development (GMD), for a period of four years from the date of issue of this Order, which will work under the overall guidance and supervision of the Granite Development Council (GDC) with the following composition:

(1) <b>Secretary, Ministry of Mines</b> Government of India	<b>Chairman</b>
(2) Joint Secretary (Mineral Policy & Legislation) Ministry of Mines, Government of India	Member
(3) Secretary, Mines Department Government of Rajasthan	Member
(4) Secretary, Mining and Geology Government of Madhya Pradesh	Member
(5) Secretary, Industries & Mines Deptt., Govt. of Gujarat Government of Gujarat	Member
(6) Secretary General, Federation of Indian Mineral Industries	Member
(7) Managing Director, Centre for Development of Stones, Rajasthan, Jaipur	Member
(8) President, All India Granites and Stone Association	Member
(9) Deputy Director General (Western Region) Geological Survey of India	Member
(10) Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines	Member

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| (11) | Director (Mineral Exports)<br>Ministry of Commerce, Government of India             | Member |
| (12) | Udaipur Marble Processors Association   | Member |
| (13) | Kishangarh Marble Association (Raj.)  | Member |
| (14) | Director (Mineral Policy and Legislation)<br>Ministry of Mines, Government of India | Member |

2 The Group may co-opt other member including the representatives of marble exporters and quarry owners.

3 The terms of reference (TOR) of the Group on Marble Development would be as follows:

- (1) To assess and review periodically the status of marble quarries and recommend measures for speedy development of the mineral.
- (2) To assess technology employed in the marble quarries and recommend measures for up gradation of technology and scientific exploitation of the mineral.
- (3) To recommend measures for increasing value addition in marble, marble products and exports.
- (4) Any other matter which the Group deems important in the interest of development of marble mining and industry.
- (5) Any other matter which the Granite Development Council may assign the Group to consider and make recommendations thereon.

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