

Section 4(1)(b)(viii)

Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority

Boards, Councils, Committees & other bodies consisting of two or more persons constituted as its part or for the purpose of its advice:

- (i) Name of Boards, Council, Committee etc.
 - a. Authority
 - b. Warehousing Advisory Committee(WAC)
- (ii) Composition of Authority: As per Sec 25 of the W(D&R) Act 2007, the Authority shall consist of-
 - (a) A Chairperson; and
 - (b) not more than two other members, to be appointed by the Central Government from amongst persons of ability, integrity and standing who have wide knowledge and experience in inventory management, insurance, preservation, quality control, agriculture banking, finance, economics, law or administration.

<https://wdra.gov.in/web/wdra/structure-of-authority>

Composition of WAC

- i Chairman, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority, Chairman
 - ii Members, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority, Member
 - iii Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor, Department of Food & PD , Member
 - iv Chairman, Forward Market Commission, Member
 - v Joint Secretary (Storage), Department of Food & Public Distribution, Member
 - vi Joint Secretary/Agricultural Marketing Advisor, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Member
 - vii Joint Secretary, (Consumer Affairs), Department of Consumer Affairs, Member
 - viii Managing Director, Central Warehousing Corporation, Member
 - ix Director General, Bureau of Indian Standards, Member
 - x Managing Director, Agriculture Insurance Company of India, Member
 - xi Representative of State Bank of India, Member
 - xii Representative of National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development Not below the rank of General Manager, Member
 - xiii Representative of Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Member
 - xiv Representative of Confederation of Indian Industry, Member
 - xv Representative of Farmer's Association, Member
 - xvi Representative of Cooperatives, Member
 - xvii Director, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority, Member/Secretary
- (iii) Dates from which constituted

- a. The Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority (WDRA) was constituted on 26.10.2010 under the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007 vide Government of India Gazette Notification dated 26th October 2010.
 - b. WAC was constituted vide Gazette Notification dated 13th January 2011
- (v) Powers and functions:
- a. Power and functions of the Authority are given under Sec 35 of the W(D&R) Act, 2007
 - b. Function of WAC:
- As per section 34 (1) of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007, WDRA may constitute a Warehousing Advisory Committee for the following are:-
- (i) To advise the WDRA on the matters of Regulation under Section 51.
 - (ii) To make recommendations for the effective implementation of the provisions of this Act.
 - (iii) To advise the Authority on such matters are may be referred by the Authority

BOARDS, COUNCILS, COMMITTEES AND OTHER BODIES CONSTITUTED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC AUTHORITY

I. Authority [as per Sec.25 and 26 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007]

{Link: <https://wdra.gov.in/web/wdra/w-d-r-act-2007>}

A. The Authority shall consist of:

- (a) a Chairperson; and
- (b) not more than two other members, to be appointed by the Central Government from amongst persons of ability, integrity and standing who have wide knowledge and experience in inventory management, insurance, preservation, quality control, agriculture banking, finance, economics, law or administration

B. Tenure of office of Chairperson and other members:

The Chairperson and every other member shall hold office for a term not exceeding five years from the date on which he enters upon his office and shall be eligible for reappointment. Provided that no person shall hold office as the Chairperson or other member after he has attained the age of sixty-five years.

II. Warehousing Advisory Committee [as per Sec. 34 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007]

{Link: <https://wdra.gov.in/web/wdra/w-d-r-act-2007>}

The Authority may, by notification, constitute a Committee to be known as the Warehousing Advisory Committee to advise the Authority on matters relating to the making of regulations under section 51 of the W(D&R) Act 2007 and make recommendations for effective implementation of the provisions of this Act.

The Warehousing Advisory Committee shall consist of not more than fifteen members excluding the members of the Authority to represent the interests of commerce, industry, engineering, agriculture, consumers, organizations engaged in warehousing, quality control, preservation and research bodies.

III. Selection Committee or Departmental promotion Committee (DPC) [as per Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority (Conditions of service of the Officers and other Employees) Regulations, 2016]

{Link:<https://wdra.gov.in/documents/32110/35829/20160714+21-36+Warehousing+Development+and+Regulatory+Authority+%28Conditions+of+service+of+the+Officers+and+other+Employees%29+Regulations%2C+2016+-English.pdf/0fcbd01d-9543-b52c-9409-8019d23bf51c>}

Sl. No.	Category of Post	Selection Committee
1.	Group 'A'	I. Member of the authority to be nominated by the Chairperson, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority. II. Joint Secretary, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority. III. One Director.
2.	Group 'B' & 'C'	I. Joint Secretary, Warehousing Development and Regulatory Authority. II. Director (Administration and Finance). III. Director (Technical).