

**F.No.NH-11014/103/2025-LA(CN.252692)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Road Transport & Highways**  
**(Ropeway Cell)**  
Transport Bhawan, 1, Parliament Street, New Delhi-110001  
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**Dated: 04.09.2025**

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject:** Regarding nomination of member for Empowered Committee for Ropeway Technical Evaluation Certification and safety (EC-Rope-TECS)

Undersigned is directed to refer to OM.No.NH-11014/103/2025-LA dated 19.06.2025 regarding Constitution of Empowered Committee for Ropeway Technical Evaluation, Certification and safety (EC-Rope-TECS) and to convey that the Ministry has nominated following members for categories at Sl. (iv), (v) & (vi) of OM dated 19.06.2025:

Category	Position	Proposed Names
iv.	Technical Representatives from <b>three States or Union Territories</b> having significant experience in implementation of ropeways systems to be nominated by the Central Government	1. Lt. Commander Deepak Khanduri Director Infrastructure, Uttarakhand Tourism Development Board (UTDB) Utddbplanning@gmail.com
		2. Sh.Ajay Sharma, Director, Ropeways & Rapid Transport System Development Corporation Himachal Pradesh Ltd.
		3. Sh. P. Guruprasad Principal Secretary, Housing & Urban Planning Department, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh
v.	<b>Three experts</b> from institutions of national importance with knowledge of ropeways systems to be nominated by the Central Government	1. Prof. S.P. Harsha Professor, IIT Roorkee s.harsha@me.iitr.ca.in
		2. Prof. Rajeev Kumar Professor, IIT Mandi rajeev@iitmandi.ac.in
		3. Dr. Dipti Ranjan Sahoo Professor, IIT Delhi drsahoo@civil.iitd.ac.in
vi.	<b>Four experts</b> from industry with significant experience in implementation of ropeways systems to be nominated by the Central Government	Sh. N.C. Srivastava (Assisted by Sh. Prashant Jain , VP Ropeway) Advisor (Ropeways), NHLML ncrites@rediffmail.com
		Sh. Manoj Pawar President, Usha Breco Limited manoj@ushabreco.com

		Sh. Partha Dutta Senior General Manager, Usha Martin Limited parthadutta@ushamartin.co.in
		Smt. Rachna Mukherjee Director, CRSPL rachna_mukherjee@yahoo.com

**Encl:** OM dated 19.06.2025

**(Ganesh Shelar)**  
**Executive Engineer**

**To:**

- i. CEO, NHLML;
- ii. All the nominated members as per above list.

**Copy for information to:** Other Members of EC-Rope-TECS with reference to OM.No.NH-11014/103/2025-LA dated 19.06.2025

- i. DG(RD) &SS, Ministry of Road Transport & Highways
- ii. Chief Engineer (Ropeways /BP&SP)
- iii. Director General, BIS (Kind Attention: Head of the Department of the Bureau of Indian Standards, MED, dealing with the issue of Ropeways Standards)
- iv. Commissioner of Metro Railway Safety

**Copy to:**

- i. PS to Hon'ble Minister(RT&H)
- ii. PS to Hon'ble MoS (RT&H)
- iii. Secretary(RT&H)
- iv. DG(RD) &SS
- v. NIC for uploading on Ministry's website.