

MANUAL : PUBLIC CONSULTATION 7

Formulation of Policy

Whether there is any provision to seek consultation/participation of public or its representatives for formulation of policies? If there is, please provide details of such policy in following format.

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GSRDC is not formulating any Policy.

Implementation of Policy

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	Subject/Topic	Is it mandatory to ensure public participation (Yes / No)	Arrangements for seeking public participation
•	Land acquisition	Yes	Whenever there is need of acquiring land to Projects Procedure for acquitting of land is taken up as per Annexure - 1

Stage	Section	Process
Preliminary survey usefulness/suitability of land to be acquired	3-A	Acquiring examines
Preliminary notification	4	Preliminary intention to acquire the land is notified in official Gazette and public notice at convenient places in the said locality. After this notification the authorized officer can enter the property for survey or set out the boundaries of the land proposed to be acquired.
Hearing of objection	5-A	Any person interested in any land, which has been notified under section 4, within 30 days, can raise object to the acquisition of land or any part of it. Every objection shall be made to the collector in writing and the Collector shall give the objector an opportunity of being heard.
Declaration that the land is required for public purpose	6	The declaration shall be made in official Gazette and this should state that the purpose for which the land is needed, its approximate area. The said declaration is conclusive evidence that the land is required for a public purpose.
Collector to take order for acquisition	7	The appropriate government shall direct the collector to take acquisition of land
Marking of land, measured and planned	8	Land to be marked unless the job is done under section 4
Notice to persons	9	Landowners or interested persons are given personal hearing for the purpose of claims to compensation for all interest in such land.

Power to require and enforce the making of statements as to names and interest	10	Every person required to make or deliver a statement under this section that the section 9 shall be deemed to be legally bound.
Enquiry and award by the collector	11 (1)	Award for land under acquisition is declared showing rate of compensation payable to the land owners
Consent award	11 (2)	When acquiring body and land owners come to an agreement regarding price to be paid as compensation consent award is declared.
Possession	16	When the award made under section 11, the collector take the possession of the land and handed over to the acquiring body
Reference to court	18	Any person who has not accepted the award may give written application to collector stating the matter be referred to court. However, this is to be done within 6 weeks of declare of award.