

Press Release

Dr. Rakesh Sarwal, IAS (Tripura Cadre, 1988), Managing Director, NAWADCO, has taken over the additional charge of Chairman-cum-Managing Director of National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation (NMDFC). He has joined NMDFC w.e.f. 31st May, 2022 (A.N.). His extensive experience as an Indian Administrative Services (IAS) Officer spans 32 years.

He started his career as SDM in Dharmanagar, Sub Division of Tripura in 1990 where he took active interest in resolving disputes related to WAQF properties.

He joined Government of India as Director, Cabinet Secretariat in 1999. He has a diversified experience of handling multiple portfolios ranging from policy advice on health, nutrition and energy sector in NITI Aayog and Planning Commission, streamlining of MoU system of PSUs as Joint Secretary, Department of Public Enterprises, and in overseeing higher technical education of IITs in MHRD.

He is a Medical Doctor by training and has a Doctorate in Public Health from John Hopkins, USA. He has published extensively on health and nutrition.

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