## Dr. Shailja Sharma

Shailja Sharma assumed the office of Member Secretary of the Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP) on **23rd January, 2014**. She has a vast experience in the field of Agriculture having worked in the Ministry of Agriculture and Water Resources for almost 15 years of the 29 years she has served in Government. She has also worked in important Ministries like Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs



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