



1. The National Bureau of Statistics (NBS) is a government agency responsible for collecting, analyzing, and disseminating statistical data in India. It is a part of the Ministry of Statistics and Public Relations.

2. The NBS is established under the National Bureau of Statistics Act, 1953. It is a statutory body and is headed by the Director General of Statistics.

3. The NBS is responsible for the collection and dissemination of statistical data on various aspects of the Indian economy, including agriculture, industry, services, and population. It also provides technical assistance to state governments in the field of statistics.

4. The NBS is a member of the International Statistical Institute (ISI) and the International Bureau of Statistics (IBS). It is also a member of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the World Bank.

5. The NBS is a key institution in the Indian statistical system. It provides the official statistics of India and is a source of reliable and accurate data for policy-making and research.