

Resettlement and Rehabilitation in India: Issues, Methodologies, and Lessons Learned

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Abstract: Resettlement and rehabilitation (R&R) in India has received much attention due to the country's fast growth and infrastructure developments, which frequently necessitate the relocation of populations. This research study presents a thorough examination of the resettlement and rehabilitation procedures in India, concentrating on the obstacles encountered, the measures taken, and the lessons gained. It investigates the legal and policy framework for R&R, the social and economic repercussions on impacted communities, and the attempts to promote sustainable livelihoods and community well-being. In addition, the role of stakeholders, such as the government, project proponents, and civil society groups in defining R&R processes is examined. This research article attempts to improve the efficacy and equity of resettlement and rehabilitation in India by providing insights and recommendations derived from a critical examination.

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