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Ch4- The State Government (Civics)

The Governor is the constitutional head of the state but works CM for the state. The Union territories are administered by the president. The president appoints a suitable officer for this purpose.

Eligibility for appointing Governor

- A citizen of India
- Not less than 35 years of age
- Not a member of parliament or state legislature, and
- Not holding any office of profit under the Government.

The governor is appointed for a period of 5 years, but may be removed or shifted to other states during this period. He is accountable to the president of India. So, he acts not only as the constitutional head but also an agent of Central government in the state.

The power & Function of Governor

- Executive Powers
- Legislative Power
- Judicial Power
- Discretionary Power

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