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National Commission for Scheduled Tribes6<sup>th</sup> floor, 'B' Wing, Loknaya Bhawan  
Khan Market, New Delhi-110 003.

File No. LGL/6/2018/STGDN/DELAAL/RU-I

Dated: 06/1/2020

To,

1. The Administrator,  
U.T. of Dadra & Nagar Haveli,  
Secretariat,  
Silvassa – 396230.  
(Dadra & Nagar Haveli).  
Tel: 0260-2642777 (O),  
(Fax): 2642702  
Email: [administrator-dd-dnh@nic.in](mailto:administrator-dd-dnh@nic.in)
2. The District Collector,  
Dadra & Nagar Haveli,  
Silvassa,  
(Dadra & Nagar Haveli).

Sub: Representation dated nil of Shri Luxibhai Govind Lotda, R/o Village – Amlı, Dokmardi, Silvassa (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) regarding grabbing of land of Scheduled Tribes.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to enclose a copy of the minutes of Sitting held in the Headquarters of National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on 10/12/2019 at 01:00 P.M. under the Chairmanship of Shri H. C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes in the matter.

It is, requested that action taken on the suggestions / recommendations of the Commission may please be sent to the NCST at the earliest.

Encl: As above.

Yours faithfully,

(S.P. Meena/एस.पी.मीना)

Assistant Director/सहायकनिदेशक

Tel: 011-24641640.

Copy to:

Shri Vinod Laxibhai Lotda,  
Dakmardi Falia, Amlı,  
Silvassa,  
(Dadra & Nagar Haveli).  
(Mob: 9904556510).

Copy for information to:

1. PS to Hon'ble Member (HCV), NCST
2. NIC (for hosting on Commission's website).

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(LGL/6/2018/STGDN/DELAAL/RU-I)

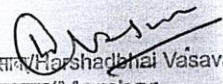
Minutes of sitting held in NCST's Headquarters on 10/12/2019 at 01:00 P.M under the chairmanship of Shri H. C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the case of Shri Luxibhai Govind Lotda, R/o Village – Amlı, Dokmardi, Silvassa (Dadra & Nagar Havelı) regarding grabbing of land of Scheduled Tribes.

List of participants is annexed.

Shri Luxibhai Govind Lotda, R/o Village – Amlı, Dokmardi, Silvassa (Dadra & Nagar Havelı) regarding grabbing of land of Scheduled Tribes. The NCST vide letter dated 23/05/2018 referred the issue to the Administrator, U.T. of Dadra & Nagar Havelı, Silvassa for furnishing facts and comments. The NCST convened the sitting on the issue raised in the petition on 24.05.2018, 28.08.2018, 26.10.2018, 28.11.2018, 22.01.2019 at Hqrs of NCST and meeting was convened on 06.03.2019 at Silvassa.

Further, a sitting was convened on 08.8.2019. In the sitting on 08.8.2019, after discussions with the Resident Deputy Collector (S), Silvassa and the petitioner, the Hon'ble Member recommended that the Collector, DNH should re-examined the case within a month from the date of sitting. The action taken/ to be taken in the matter may be submitted to the Commission at the earliest. The minutes of sitting was sent to the concerned authorities for submission of action taken report on the recommendations/suggestions on 28.8.2019.

The Resident Dy. Collector(s), D&NH, Silvassa vide letter No. D&NH/Coll/law/Minc/2/2019/Coll dated 20.9.2019 had intimated that the Appeal in the matter is scheduled on 30.9.2019 at 04:30 P.M before the Collector in his chamber. There after action taken report was not received from District Administration Silvassa. The petitioner requested for justice. The Hon'ble Member decided to discuss the matter with the Administrator, UT of D&NH and Collector District Silvassa and the petitioner on 10.12.2019. The notice for sitting was issued on 27.11.2019.

  
हरषदभाई वसावा/Harshadhbhai Vasava  
सदस्य/Member  
राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग  
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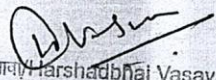
The Resident Dy. Collector (S), D&NH Silvassa vide letter No. RD/RTS-II/Varsai-Case/05/2015/5391 dated 09.12.2019 had intimated that due to important and urgent issue of merger of UTs of Daman & Diu and Dadra & Nagar Haveli, the administration is engaged in the preparation for the said merger. Thus, exemption may kindly be granted from appearing personally in the sitting. A copy of the brief of the case was enclosed with the letter. The petitioner was present in the sitting on 10.12.2019 at 01:00 P.M.

The Hon'ble Member asked the petitioner to explain the problem and comments on the information furnished by the Revenue Department of District Silvassa. The petitioner requested that the Revenue Department may be asked to settle the case within stipulated time, as mentioned in their report.

Hon'ble Member observed that the District Administration Silvassa is not taking action in case of STs as per their commitment. The District Administration is the custodian of innocent STs, hence, it is the duty of District Administration to redress their grievance with prompt action.

The Hon'ble Member recommends that Revenue Department of District Silvassa should take suitable action within stipulated time, as mentioned the report attached with the letter dated 09.12.2019 of the Resident Dy. Collector(s), Silvassa. A copy of the same may also be provided to NCST for further action.

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List of participants of the sitting held on 10/12/2019 at 01:00 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri H.C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the case of Shri Luxibhai Govind Lotda, R/o Village – Amla, Dokmardi, Silvassa (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) regarding grabbing of land of Scheduled Tribes.

**I National Commission for Scheduled Tribes**

- 1 Shri H.C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member
- 2 Dr. Lalit Latta, Director
- 3 Shri Rajeshwar Kumar, Assistant Director
- 4 Shri R.S. Misra, Senior Investigator
- 5 Shri Manoj Mishra, PS to Hon'ble Member (HCV)

In Chair

**II Administrator, D&NH**

Nil

**III District Collector, Silvassa**

Nil

**IV Petitioner**

Shri Luxibhai Govind Lotda