



राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

(भारत के संविधान के अनुच्छेद 338क के अंतर्गत एक संवैधानिक निकाय)
(A constitutional body under Article 338A of the Constitution of India)

F.No NCST/SER-1391/TS/2/2024-SSW

Dated: 29.11.2024

To,

Shri M. Raghunandan Rao
APC and Secretary
Agriculture & Cooperation (Horti & Seri.) Department
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Sub:- Delaying and denial of promotion and non-implementation of roster points for seniority restoration in Horticulture Depart, Govt. of Telangana- a representation dated 24.04.2024 by Shri B. Babu, Joint Director of Horticulture, O/o Directorate of Horticulture, Hyderabad.

महोदय,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sitting held on 17.10.2024 at 2:20 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi 110003 on the above mentioned subject.

It is requested that the action taken/ to be taken in the matter may be intimated to NCST within stipulated time from receipt of the letter for placing it before the Commission.

Yours faithfully,

(एच. आर. मीना /H.R Meena)
अनुसंधान अधिकारी / Research Officer
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Copy for information:-

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2. PS to Hon'ble Member (J.H), NCST.
3. NIC, NCST for uploading on the website of the Commission.

National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

Minutes of the sitting held under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes at Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi, regarding discrepancies and delay in his promotion of Shri B. Babu, Joint Director of Horticulture, O/o Directorate of Horticulture, Hyderabad.

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Date of the sitting: 17/10/2024, 02:20 PM

Participants in the Sitting - As per Annexure

Shri B. Babu, Joint Director of Horticulture, O/o Directorate of Horticulture, Hyderabad vide his representation dated 24.04.2024 has alleged that management of Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana is not following the reservation and promotion rules properly. The petitioner's name was included in the 2010-11 panels for promotion under the ST carry-forward vacancy (Roster Point 25), but the vacancy was filled with a general category candidate, violating the rules for ST representation. The petitioner argues that G.O.Ms. No. 2 (2004) mandates filling ST carry-forward vacancies with eligible ST candidates, which was not followed in this case, leading to a loss of opportunity and morale for ST Officers.

2. NCST vide notice dated 30.05.2024 had referred the matter to APC and Principal Secretary (Horticulture), Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana, Public Garden, Nampally, Hyderabad, (Telangana) for submitting facts and information within 30 days.

3. The Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana vide their reply dated 10.07.2024 informed that the Rule of Reservation (R.o.R.) is being followed as per G.O. and court orders in the Department and no discrimination has been done with the petitioner.

4. The Commission decided to discuss the issue with the APC and Principal Secretary (Horticulture), Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana and the petitioner on 17.10.2024. Accordingly, a Sitting Notice was sent on 07.10.2024 to concerned officers and petitioner.

5. The APC and Principal Secretary (Horticulture), Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana vide his letter dated 15.10.2024 requested exemption from personal appearance and deputed Director of Horticulture, Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana to appear on his behalf. The petitioner was present.



जाटोतु हुसेन / Jatothu Hussain

सदस्य / Member

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6. In the sitting, the Director reiterated the earlier comments of the Department and stated that rules have been applied uniformly to all and no discrimination had been done with the petitioner. The petitioner however claimed that he should have been promoted in 2010-11 panel and claimed retrospective promotion.

7. After hearing both the sides, the following was recommended and suggested to submit the Action Taken Report within 30 days from the receipt of the minutes –

- The Department of Horticulture, Govt. of Telangana to re-examine the case of the petitioner, as per rules.

(Jatothu Hussain)
Member
Government of India

National Commission for Scheduled Tribes
New Delhi

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List of participants of the sitting held on 17.10.2024 at 2:20 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the case of Shri B. Babu, Joint Director, of Horticulture, O/o Directorate of Horticulture, Hyderabad regarding delaying and denial of promotion and Non-Implementation of Roster points for seniority restoration in Horticulture Depart, Govt. of Telangana

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2.	Dr. P. Kalyan Reddy Director		
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4.	Shri Akash Tripathy Sr. Investigator		
5.	Shri Mukesh Investigator		
6.	Shri Noelmani Thakur Consultant - Legal		
7.	Shri Ajay Andley, Consultant		
II Agriculture & Cooperation (Horti & Seri.) Department			
Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Address & Phone No.	Signature
1.	S. Yameen Basha Director of Horticulture & Sericulture	IAS O/o Director of Horticulture & Sericulture	8917714488 SMB 15-10-24
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III Petitioner			
1.	B. Babu	JTO H	[Signature]
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