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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/DEV-4283/AP/170/2025-RO-BHUV/RU-III

Dated: - 09.4.2025

To,

The Executive Officer,
Srisailam Devasthanam
District-Nandyal (Andhra Pradesh)-518101


Sub:- Representation dated 25.1.2025 received from Shri K. Seetharam Naik, President, SBMS, Devasthanam, Srisailam regarding allotment shops in Sri Lalitambica Shopping Complex to the Banjara communities.

महोदय/महोदया,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sitting held on 27.3.2025 under the Chairmanship of Shri J. Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) at NCST HQ, New Delhi on the above mentioned subject.

It is requested that the action taken/ to be taken in the matter may be submitted to NCST within stipulated time from receipt of the letter, for taking appropriate action.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. P. Kalyan Reddy)
Director
Tel No. - 24641640

Copy for information to:-

1. Shri K. Seetharam Naik
President, YSR Girijana Scheduled Tribes Development
ST Banjara Sangam, ST Banjara Colony
District - Kurnool - 518001 (Andhra Pradesh)
2. PS to Hon'ble Member (JH), NCST
3. NIC, NCST for uploading on the website of the Commission.

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES
NCST/DEV-4283/AP/170/2025-RO-BHUV/RU-III

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 in the case of Shri K. Seetharam Naik, SBMS, Devasthanam, Srisailam regarding allotment of shops in Sri Lalitambica Shopping Complex.

Date of the Sitting: 27/03/2025, 04:20 PM
Participants in the Sitting: As per Annexure

Shri K. Seetharam Naik, SBMS, Devasthanam, Srisailam, vide his petition dated 25.01.2025 has stated that nearly 30 families belonging to the ST Banjara Community have been residing in Srisailam Devasthanam Township for the past 40 years and are facing severe livelihood challenges due to their dependence on the collection and sale of wild products and labour work. To improve their economic conditions, they have been requesting the allotment of at least 10 shops in Sri Lalitambica Shopping Complex, similar to the 30 shops allotted to the ST Chenchus at a rate of Rs. 3,000/- per month. Despite multiple references from various departments, no action has been taken. The petitioner urges the Commission to intervene and issue necessary directions to the Executive Officer, SBMS Devasthanam, Srisailam, for the allotment of shops on humanitarian grounds.

2. NCST vide notice dated 06.02.2025 has referred the matter to the Executive Officer, Srisailam Devasthanam for facts and comments within 30 days from receipt of the Notice. The reply was not received, hence, Commission decided to discuss the issue with the authority and the petitioner on 27.03.2025. Accordingly, a Sitting Notice was sent on 13.03.2025.

3. The EO, Srisailam Devasthanam vide letter dated 21.3.2025 has sought exemption and deputed Asstt. Commissioner of Srisailam Devasthanam to attend the sitting.

4. In the sitting, the Asstt. Commissioner of Srisailam Devasthanam was present. It was informed that due to a court judgement in 2021 the shops were auctioned. The petitioners have informed that they were requesting since 2011.

5. After discussion with the Asstt. Commissioner of Srisailam Devasthanam, the following recommendations were made and action taken thereon may be submitted to NCST within 30 days from receipt of the minutes.

a. The petitioners may be allocated shops at other place if it is not possible to allocate at SBMS Devasthanam due to Court judgement.

b. The E.O Srisailam may consider the request of the petitioners solely dependent on salke of Forest products and mionor handicrafts and take necessary action of identification of suitable place for allotment of shops for the livelihood of ST Banjaras.

(Jatothu Hussain)

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सदस्य / Member
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List of participants of the sitting held on 27.3.2025 at 4:20 PM under the chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST

Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Address & Phone No.	Signature
I	<u>National Commission for Scheduled Tribes</u>		
1.	Dr. P.K Reddy Director		
2.	NCST Officials		
II	<u>Govt. of Andhra Pradesh</u>		
Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Address & Phone No.	Signature
	<i>P. Chandrasekhara</i>	<i>Srisaellam</i>	<i>(Signature)</i>
	<i>Deputy Secy. to Govt.</i>	<i>8801192939</i>	
III	<u>Petitioner</u>		