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Government of India/भारत सरकार National Commission for Scheduled Tribes राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग

> 6th Floor, B-Wing, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi-110003. 26th February, 2020.

To

- 1. Shri Nand Kumar Sai, Hon'ble Chairperson.
- 2. Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member.

Sub: 124th Meeting of the National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) to be held on 27th February, 2020 at 1200 hours.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that 124th Meeting of the Commission has been scheduled to be held on 27th February, 2020 at 1200 hrs.. under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Chairperson of the Commission.

2. The agenda for discussion is as under:

S.No.	Subject	Letter/O.M. No.	Name of concerned Section and File No. Letter/OM No.
1.	Draft 14 th Annual Report of the Commission for 2018-19.		4/2/2019-Coord.
2.	Draft Reports conducted through Quality Council of India on — (i) Financial Inclusion of Scheduled Tribes. (ii) Alienation/Transfer of Tribal land in Scheduled V Areas. (iii) Development Induced Displacement in Scheduled V Areas.		58/1/NCST/2019-Admn.
3.	Proposal for inclusion of Paudi Bhuyan (PVTG) and Chuktia Bhunjia (PVTG) communities in the list of ST of Odisha.	12026/20/2014- C&LM.I dt.18.2.2020 of M/Tribal Affairs.	Inclusion/1/2020/Odisha/ RU.III.
4.	Any other item with the permission of the Chair.	The Trick Principle	

I am to request you to kindly make it convenient to attend the meeting.

Yours faithfully,

(S.R. Meena) Assistant Director

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- 1. PSO to Secretary, NCST
- 2. PS to Joint Secretary, NCST
- 3. Director (NCST)/Deputy Secretary
- 4. Consultant (KPS)
- 5. AD (RU.II & Coordination)/AD(RU.I)/AD (OL&Estt)/RO(RU.IV))
- 6. AD(Admn.) (with a request to arrange for high tea for all employees of the Commission who would gather to bid farewell to Hon'ble Members).

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Agenda item No. 2

Study Reports of Quality Council of India on important issues concerning the Scheduled Tribes.

National Commission for Scheduled Tribes had mandated the Quality Council of India to conduct studies on following three important issues concerning the Scheduled Tribes:

- 1. Alienation/Transfer of Tribal land in Schedule V Areas.
- 2. Development induced displacement in Schedule V Areas.
- 3. Financial inclusion of Scheduled Tribes.

The total expenditure approved by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs to NCST for conducting these studies was Rupees 1,64,53,920/-(inclusive of GST @ 18%). The Quality Council of India has completed the studies and submitted three reports on the above verticals in which various recommendation have been made for the better implementation of existing programmes and policy changes. Important suggestions/recommendations of these reports can be made a part of recommendations of in the Annual Report of the NCST for the year 2019-20.

The above reports are placed before the Commission for consideration and approval.

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Agenda item No. 3

Proposal for inclusion of 'Paudi Bhuyan(PVTG)' and 'Chuktia Bhunjia(PVTG)' communities in the list of Scheduled Tribes of Odisha.

Ministry of Tribal Affairs, vide their letter No. 12026/20/2014-C&LM-I dated 18.02.2020 has forwarded a Proposal for inclusion of 'Paudi Bhuyan(PVTG)' and 'Chuktia Bhunjia(PVTG)' communities in the list of Scheduled Tribes of Odisha State. Report/Updated proposal and information received from Govt. of Odisha, ST & SC Development Department and comments of the ORGI have also been enclosed with the proposal.

On perusal of the proposal, it is noticed that Govt. of Odisha had submitted report/updated proposal for inclusion in the ST list of Odisha as synonyms (including sections/sub-sets and phonetic variations) of the existing entries and pending with MoTA, Govt. of India which included 16th communities. The present proposal sent to the Ministry partly covers Sl. No. 3 and 5 of the above list of communities.

The ORGI, vide their letter dated July 13,2016 has supported the proposal for inclusion of 'Paudi Bhuyan(PVTG)' and 'Chuktia Bhunjia(PVTG)' communities in the list of Scheduled Tribes of Odisha State.

The proposal received from Ministry of Tribal Affairs is placed before the Commission for consideration.