

STATE GOVERNMENT'S ORDERS ON RESERVATION MATTERS FOR OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES OF PEOPLE

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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Scheduled Castes & Tribes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings

No. 347-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 13th July, 1994.

ORDER*

WHEREAS by this department notification No. 346-TW/EC dated the 13th July, 1994, backward classes as defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), have been specified in the list as defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act;

AND WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Governor, the said backward classes of citizens are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal, the local and statutory authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to Universities, primary, secondary and higher secondary schools and also in other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government and establishments in public sector;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act, the Governor is pleased hereby to make provision for the reservation in services and posts under the Government of West Bengal, the local and statutory authorities constituted under any state Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, primary, secondary and higher secondary schools, other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government and public sector in favour of the said backward classes of citizens as follows:

- (a) 5% of the vacancies in services and posts under the Government of West Bengal, the local and statutory authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, primary, secondary and higher secondary schools, other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government and public sector to be filled up by direct recruitment shall be reserved for the backward classes of citizens;

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(b) the reservation under clause (a) shall not apply to the persons referred to in column 3, in respect of the categories referred to in column 2, of the Schedule below:

SCHEDULE

	Description of category	Persons to whom reservation shall not apply
I.	CONSTITUTIONAL POSTS	Son(s) and daughters(s) of (a) President of India; (b) Vice President of India; (c) Judges of the Supreme Court and of the High Court; (d) Chairman & Members of Union Public Service Commission and of the State Public Service Commission; Chief Election Commissioner; Comptroller & Auditor General of India; (e) Persons holding Constitutional positions of like nature;
II.	SERVICE CATEGORY A. Group A/Class I posts included in the All India Services and Central Services and borne on the establishment of the State Government, and State Services (Direct Recruitment).	Son(s) and daughter(s) of— (a) parents, both of whom are Class I officers; (b) parents, either of whom is a Class I officer; (c) parents, both of whom are Class I officers, but one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation. (d) Parents, either of whom is a Class I officer and such parent dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years. (e) Parents, both of whom are Class I officers die or suffer permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation of the both, either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years.

	<p>B. Group B/Class II posts included the Central Services and borne on the establishment of the State Government, and State Services (Direct Recruitment)</p>	<p>Provided that the exclusion as aforesaid shall not apply in the following cases:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Sons and daughters of parents either of whom or both of whom are Class I officers and such parent(s) dies/die or suffer permanent incapacitation. (ii) A lady belonging to OBC category has got married to a Class I officer, and may herself like to apply for a job. <p>Son(s) and daughter(s) of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Parents both of whom are Class II officers. (b) Parents of whom only the husband is a Class II officer and he gets into Class I at the age of 40 or earlier. (c) Parents, both of whom are Class II officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and either one of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less Than 5 years before such death or permanent incapacitation; (d) parents of whom the husband is a Class I officer (direct recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the wife is a Class II officer and the wife dies; or suffers permanent incapacitation; and (e) parents, of whom the wife is a Class I officer (Direct Recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the husband is a Class II officer and the husband dies or suffers permanent incapacitation: <p>Provided that the exclusion as aforesaid shall not apply in the following cases:</p>
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III.	<p>C. Public Sector <i>Undertakings etc.</i></p> <p>ARMED FORCES INCLUDING PARA-MILITARY FORCES <i>(persons holding civil posts are not included)</i></p>	<p>Sons and daughters of--</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Parents both of whom are Class II officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation, (ii) Parents, both of whom are Class II officers and both of Them die or suffer permanent incapacitation, even though either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years before their death or permanent incapacitation <p>The criteria enumerated in A & B above in this Category will apply <i>mutatis mutandis</i> to officers holding equivalent or comparable posts in PSUs, Banks, Insurance Organisations, Universities, etc and also to equivalent or comparable posts and positions under private employment, pending the evaluation of the posts on equivalent or comparable basis in these institutions, the criteria specified in Category VI below will apply to the officers in these institutions.</p> <p>Son(s) and daughter(s) of parents either or both of whom is or are in the rank of Colonel and above in the Army and to equivalent posts in the Navy and the Air Force and the Para Military Forces;</p> <p>Provided that:--</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) if the wife of an Armed Forces officer is herself in the Armed Forces (i.e. the category under consideration) the exclusion as aforesaid will apply only when she herself has reached the rank of Colonel; (ii) the service ranks below Colonel of husband and wife shall not be clubbed together:
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<p>IV.</p>	<p>POSTS OF PROFESSIONAL CLASS AND POSTS IN TRADE AND INDUSTRY</p> <p>A. <i>Persons engaged in profession as a doctor, lawyer, chartered Accountant, Income Tax Consultant, financial or management consultant, dental surgeon, engineer, architect, computer specialist, film artists, and other film professional, author, playwright, sports person, sports professional, media professional or any other vocations of like status.</i></p> <p>B. <i>Persons engaged in trade, business and industry</i></p>	<p>(iii) if the wife of an officer in the Armed Forces is in civil employment, this will not be taken into account for applying the rule of exclusion unless she falls in the service category under item No. II in which case the criteria and conditions enumerated therein will apply to her independently,</p> <p>Criteria specified against Category VI will apply:</p> <p>Criteria specified against Category VI will apply: <i>Explanation:</i></p> <p>(i) Where the husband is in some profession and the wife is in a Class II or lower grade employment, the income/wealth test will apply only on the basis of the husband's income.</p> <p>(ii) If the wife is in any profession and the husband is in employment in a Class II or lower rank post, then the income/wealth criterion will apply only on the basis of the wife's income and the husband's income will not be clubbed with it.</p>
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<p>V.</p>	<p>PROPERTY OWNERS A. Agricultural holdings</p> <p>B. Plantations</p> <p>(i) Coffee, tea, rubber etc.</p> <p>(ii) Mango, citrus, apple plantations etc.</p> <p>C. Vacant land and/or buildings in urban areas or urban agglomerations</p>	<p>Son(s) and daughter(s) of persons belonging to a family (father, mother and minor children) which owns</p> <p>(a) only irrigated land which is equal to or more than 85% of the statutory ceiling area, or</p> <p>(b) both irrigated and unirrigated land, as follows:</p> <p>(i) the exclusion as aforesaid will apply where the pre-condition exists that the irrigated area (having been brought to a single type under a common denominator) 40% or more of the statutory ceiling limit for irrigated land (this being calculated by excluding the unirrigated portion). If this pre-condition of not less than 40% exists, then only the area of unirrigated land will be taken into account. This will be done by converting the unirrigated land on the basis of the conversion formula existing, into the irrigated type. The irrigated area so computed from unirrigated land shall be added to the actual area of irrigated land and if after such clubbing together the total area in terms of irrigated land is 80% or more of the statutory ceiling limit for irrigated land, then the rule of exclusion will apply and disentitlement will occur.</p> <p>(ii) The exclusion as aforesaid will not apply if the land holding of a family is exclusively unirrigated.</p> <p>Criteria of income/wealth specified in Category VI below will apply.</p> <p>Deemed as agricultural holding and hence criteria at A above under this category will apply.</p> <p>Criteria specified in Category VI below will apply.</p> <p><i>Explanation:</i> Building may be used for residential, industrial or commercial purpose and the like two or more such purposes.</p>
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VI	INCOME/WEALTH TEST	<p>Son(s) and daughter(s) of</p> <p>(a) Persons having gross annual income of Rupees 2.5 lakh* or above or possessing wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act, 1957 (27 of 1957), for a period of three consecutive years.</p> <p>(b) Persons in Categories I, II, III and VA who are not disentitled to the benefit of reservation but have income from other sources of wealth which will bring them within the income/wealth criteria mentioned in (a) above.</p> <p><i>Explanation:</i></p> <p>(i) Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed;</p> <p>(ii) The income criteria in terms of rupee will be modified taking into account the change in its value every three years. If the situation, however, so demands, the interregnum may be less.</p>
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Note: Wherever the expression “permanent incapacitation” occurs in this Schedule, it will mean incapacitation which results in putting an officer out of service.

* Vide Memo No.36033/3/2004-Estt.(Res) dated 9th March, 2004, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and pensions, Department of Personnel and Training.

2. This order shall come into force at once

Provided that nothing in this order shall apply to any vacancy for the filling up of which the process of recruitment has already started before the coming into force of this order.

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY
Secy to the Govt. of West Bengal

2.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES & TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 346—TW/EC

Calcutta, the 13th July, 1994.

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS “backward classes” has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS “lists” has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal, local and statutory authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, primary, secondary and higher secondary schools and also other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government and also establishments in public sector;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act,

LIST

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Kapali. | 8. Teli |
| 2. Baishya Kapali | 9. Napit |
| 3. Kurmi | 10. Yogi-Nath |
| 4. Sutradhar | 11. Goala-Gope |
| 5. Karmakar | 12. Moira-Modak (Halwai) |
| 6. Kumbhakar | 13. Barujibi |
| 7. Swarnakar | 14. Satchasi |

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY

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Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

3.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES & TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 374(71)-TW/EC /MR—103/94

Calcutta, the 27th July, 1994

To: 1). The District Magistrate, (ALL)
2). The Sub-Divisional Officer, (ALL)

Subject: Notification declaring Backward Classes and
Order for implementation of reservation for Backward
Classes in Services and Posts in all establishments within the
district—Instructions for issue of Backward Classes
Certificates and competent authorities to issue certificates,
reg.

The undersigned is directed to send herewith 50 (fifty) copies of the Notification No. 346-TW/EC , dt. 13.7.1994 and 50 (fifty) copies of the Order No. 347-TW/EC, dt. 13.7.1994 on the above subject and to say that all establishments as specified in Order No. 347-TW/EC dt. 13.7.1994 on the above subject and to say that all establishments as specified in Order No. 347-TW/EC, d. 13-07-1994 shall maintain reservation for the 'Backward Classes' in services and posts in direct recruitment.

For the purpose of issuing certificates to Backward Classes in the prescribed proforma, the SDO of the Sub-division concerned shall be the competent authority. As regards the town of Calcutta as defined in Section 3 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866, the D. M. South 24-parganas or such A. D. M., South 24-Parganas as may be authorised by the DM, South 24-Parganas shall act as competent authority to issue Backward Classes Certificate to the petitioner of the concerned area. **The existing procedure for issue of caste/tribe certificate to the members of the SC/ST community shall be applicable, mutatis mutandis, in cases of issue of certificates to the members of the Backward Classes.** He shall issue necessary "Backward Classes" certificates in the proforma prescribed for this purpose after he is satisfied that the petitioner belongs to a member of the Backward Classes in West Bengal.

A copy of the proforma of application form for obtaining a certificate meant for Backward Classes and a copy of the proforma for issuing a Backward Classes Certificate by the competent authority are enclosed.

Necessary arrangement for supply of the application forms to the applicants claiming to be a member of the "Backward Classes" as mentioned in the Notification No. 346-TW/EC, dated 13.7.1994 may be made from his end.

Sd/ U. K. ROY
Secretary

APPLICATION FORM FOR A CERTIFICATE FOR BACKWARD CLASSES

To

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Sir,

I request that a certificate be granted to me, as a person belonging to Backward Class.
I give below the necessary particulars :-

1. Full name of the applicant :
(in block letters)
 2. Date of birth :
 3. Complete Residential Address—
 - a. Present :
 - b. Permanent :
 4. Religion :
 5. Caste :
 6. Sub-caste :
 7. Occupational Group :
 8. Name of Father :
 9. Name of Mother :
 10. Name of Husband :
 11. Status of Parent(s)/Husband :

Father	Mother	Husband
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- (A) Constitutional Posts
- (I) Designation :
- (B) Government Services :
- i. Service (Central/State) :
 - ii. Designation :
 - iii. Scales of pay including classification, if any :
 - iv. Date of appointment to the post :
 - v. Age at the time of promotion to Class I post (if applicable) :
- II. Employment in International organisation

- e.g. UN, UNICEF, WHO
- i. Name of Organisation :
 - ii. Designation :
 - iii. Period of service :
(indicate date from....to.....)

- III. Death/Permanent incapacitation (Omit if not applicable)
- (i) Date of death/permanent incapacitation putting an officer out of service :
Father Mother Husband
 - (ii) Details of permanent incapacitation :

(C) Employment in Public Sector Undertakings under Govt. of India/ under Govt. of West Bengal

- i. Name of Organisation :
- ii. Designation :
- iii. Date of appointment to the post :

(D) Armed Forces including Para-military forces (this will not include persons holding Civil posts)

- i. Designation :
- ii. Scale of pay :

(E) Professional Class (other than those covered in item Nos. B & C and those engaged in trade, business and industry)

- i. Occupation/Profession :

(F) Property Owners

I. Agricultural Land Holding : Owned by mother, father and minor children

- i. Location
- ii. Size of holding
- iii. (a) Irrigated

- (Type of irrigated land)
- (i)
 - (ii)
 - (iii)
- (b) Unirrigated
- (iv) Percentage of irrigated land holding to statutory ceiling limit under State Land Ceiling Laws
 - (v) If land holding is both irrigated/ unirrigated, total irrigated land holdings on the basis of conversion formula in State Land Ceiling Law.
 - (vi) Percentage of total irrigated land holding to statutory ceiling limit as per (iv)
- To be certified by District Revenue Officer not lower than rank of BL & LRO

II. Plantation

- (i) Crops/ Fruits
- (ii) Location
- (iii) Area of Plantation.

III Vacant land and/or buildings in urban areas or urban agglomeration.

- (i) Location of property
- (ii) Details of property
- (iii) Use to which it is put

(G) Income/Wealth

- (i) Annual family income from all sources (excluding salaries and income from agricultural land)
- (ii) Whether Tax Payer (Yes/No)
(If yes, a copy of the last three years' return be furnished)
- (iii) Whether covered in Wealth Tax (Yes/No)

(If yes, furnish details)

(H) Any other remarks.

(I) I certify that the above said particulars are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and that I do not belong to the categories of persons to whom reservation shall not apply as per provisions contained in the schedule mentioned in the Order No. 347-TW/EC dated 13.7.1994 of the SC and TW Department, Government of West Bengal and am eligible to be considered for posts reserved for OBCs. In the event of any information being found false or incorrect, or ineligibility being detected before or after the selection, I undertake that my candidature/appointment is liable to be cancelled and I shall be liable to such further action as may be provided under the law and/or Rules.

Yours faithfully,

Place:

Date :

Signature of the candidate

FORM OF CERTIFICATE FOR BACKWARD CLASSES

This is to certify that.....s/o.....
.....of village.....District/Division.....
.....in theState.....
belonging to.....Community..... which is
recognised as a Backward Class under the Government of West Bengal Notification No. 346-TW/EC, dated 13.7.1994 published in the Calcutta Gazette of Extra Ordinary issue.

Shri.....and/or his family ordinarily reside(s) in the
State of West Bengal. This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the categories of persons
to whom reservation shall not apply as per provisions contained in the Schedule mentioned in Order
No. 347-TW/EC, dated 13.7.1994 of the Scheduled Castes and Tribes Welfare Department,
Government of West Bengal.

Dated :

DM/ADM/SDO

Seal

N. B. : The term ‘Ordinarily’ used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

4.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Writers' Buildings

No. 705-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 13th December, 1994

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 346-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 13th July, 1994, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act,

LIST

1. Malakar
2. Tanti
3. Kansari
4. Shankhakar
5. Keori/Koiri
6. Raju
7. Tamboli/Tamali
8. Nagar
9. Karani
10. Dhanuk
11. Sarak
12. Jolah (Ansari-Momin)

By order of the Governor
U. K. RAY
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

5.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Scheduled Castes & Tribes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta

No. 261-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 6th April, 1995

ORDER*

WHEREAS by Notification No. 346-TW/EC /M-6/82(I), dated the 13th July, 1994, the Governor has been pleased to specify in the list below the said notification the backward classes for the purpose of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993):

AND WHEREAS by Order No. 347-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 13th July, 1994 (hereinafter referred to as the said order), the Governor has been pleased to reserve 5% of vacancies in services and posts under the Govt of West Bengal and statutory authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which 51% of the paid-up share capitals is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, primary, secondary and higher secondary schools, other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government, and public sector undertakings, to be filled by direct recruitment, for the backward classes citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governor is pleased hereby to direct that for the purpose of implementation of 5% reservation quota for the backward classes of citizens in direct recruitment in pursuance of the provisions of the said order, a separate 100-point roster (as per the model 100-point roster annexed hereto) (in which 9th, 29th, 49th, 69th and 89th points shall be reserved for the citizens belonging to backward classes of this state) shall be maintained.

The citizens claiming the benefit of reservation of vacancies in services and posts, as admissible for the members belonging to backward classes in this State, shall produce a certificate for his being a member of backward classes from the competent authority as specified below:--

- (a) in the district, the Sub-divisional Officer of the sub-division concerned, and
- (b) in Calcutta, the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, or such Additional District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, as may be authorised by the District Magistrate, South 24-Parganas, in this behalf.

Explanation.—“Calcutta” shall mean the town of Calcutta as defined in section 3 of the Calcutta police Act, 1866 (Ben. Act IV of 1866)

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MODEL 100-POINT ROSTER

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| 1. S.C. | 52. General | 44. General |
| 2. General | 53. General | 45. B.C. |
| 3. General | 54. General | 46. S.C. |
| 4. S.T. | 55. S.C. | 47. General |
| 5. General | 56. General | 48. General |
| 6. General | 57. B.C. | 49. S.T. |
| 7. S.C. | 58. General | 50. General |
| 8. General | 59. S.C. | 51. General |
| 9. B.C. | 60. General | 96. General |
| 10. General | 61. General | 97. S.C. |
| 11. S.C. | 62. S.T. | 98. General |
| 12. General | 63. General | 99. General |
| 13. General | 64. General | 100. General |
| 14. General | 65. S.C. | |
| 15. S.C. | 66. General | |
| 16. General | 67. General | |
| 17. General | 68. General | |
| 18. S.C. | 69. S.C. | |
| 19. General | 70. General | |
| 20. General | 71. General | |
| 21. S.C. | 72. General | |
| 22. General | 73. S.C. | |
| 23. General | 74. General | |
| 24. S.T. | 75. General | |
| 25. General | 76. S.C. | |
| 26. General | 77. B.C. | |
| 27. General | 78. General | |
| 28. S.C. | 79. S.C. | |
| 29. B.C. | 80. General | |
| 30. General | 81. General | |
| 31. General | 82. S.T. | |
| 32. S.C. | 83. General | |
| 33. General | 84. General | |
| 34. General | 85. General | |
| 35. General | 86. S.C. | |
| 36. S.C. | 87. General | |
| 37. General | 88. General | |
| 38. General | 89. General | |
| 39. General | 90. S.C. | |
| 40. S.C. | 91. General | |
| 41. General | 92. General | |
| 42. General | 93. General | |
| 43. S.T. | 94. S.C. | |
| | 95. General | |

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY.
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

6.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Writers' Buildings

No. 370-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 12th May, 1995

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 705-TW/EC /M-6/82(I), dated the 13th December, 1994, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act,

LIST

1. Roniwar
2. Kosta/Kostha
3. Christians converted from Scheduled Castes.

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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7.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES & TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 559(71)-TW/EC/MR—166/93

Dated Calcutta, the 26th June, 1995.

To: 1) The District Magistrate,

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2) The Sub-Divisional Officer,

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Sub: *Certificate for Backward Classes in West Bengal*

The undersigned is directed to send herewith a proforma meant for the “Certificate for Backward Classes” and to say that the certificates issued by the SDOs in different districts to the Backward Classes in West Bengal are being refused by different establishments under the Govt. of India in the matter of employment to Backward Classes against vacancies reserved for them in consideration of the fact that the certificates are not in the proper form as prescribed by the Govt. of India.

The employers under the Govt. of India demand that the certificate should contain the Govt. of India's appropriate circular No., and date and only in that case, the certificates issued to the Backward Classes of West Bengal by the concerned issuing authorities, may be acceptable to them.

In view of the circumstances stated above, this Deptt. prescribes a fresh form of certificate to be issued to the Backward Classes of West Bengal so that the same can be acceptable to all.

It is, therefore, requested that the certificates to the persons belonging to Backward Classes should be issued in the revised form as sent herewith.

Sd/ S. Mardi
Joint Commissioner for Reservation
& ex-officio Joint Secretary

CERTIFICATE FOR BACKWARD CLASSES

No.....

Date.....

This is to certify that Sri/Srimati..... son/daughter of Shri/Late.....of village/townin the District/Division.....of the State of West Bengal belongs to thecommunity which is recognised as a Backward Class under:

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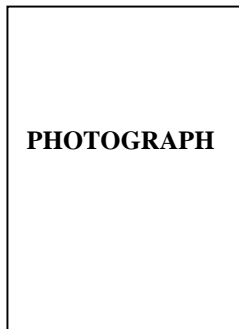
Sri/Srimati.....and/or/his/her family ordinarily* reside(s) in the district ofin the State of West Bengal.

This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the category of persons/sections (Creamy Layer) to whom reservation shall not apply as per provision contained in the Schedule mentioned in Order No. 347-TW/EC dt. 13.7.1994 of the Scheduled Castes & Tribes Welfare Department or in column 3 of the Schedule to the Govt. of India, Deptt. of Personnel & Training O. M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt(SCT) dated 8.9.93.

Date:

S. D. O.

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* Please note the specific Notification

* NB. (a) The term 'ordinarily' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representations of the Peoples Act, 1950.

8.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No.1179-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 1st December, 1995

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 370-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 12th May, 1995, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act,

LIST

- | | |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| 1. Bhujel | 6. Bungchheng |
| 2. Newar | 7. Thami |
| 3. Mangar (Thapa, Rana) | 8. Jogi |
| 4. Nembang | 9. Dhimal |
| 5. Sampang | |

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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9.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Writers' Buildings

No. 183-TW/EC
M-6/82(I)

Calcutta, the 8th March, 1996

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 1179-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 1st December, 1995, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act,

LIST

- | | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Lakhera/Laahera | 4. Tamang |
| 2. Fakir, Sain | 5. Betkar (Bentkar) |
| 3. Kahar | 6. Chitrakar |

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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10.

**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
FINANCE DEPARTMENT
Audit Branch**

No. 378-F

Calcutta, the 10th January, 1997

MEMORANDUM

The question of granting relaxation of upper age limit to the candidates belonging to Backward Classes for recruitment to all post and services under the Government or in Semi Government Organisations has been under consideration of the Government for some time past.

2. After careful consideration of the matter in all its aspects, the Governor is pleased to decide that the candidates belonging to the Backward Classes as specified for the purpose of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 by issuing notification in that behalf shall be entitled to relaxation of three years over the prescribed upper age-limit for direct recruitment to any service or post under the Government of West Bengal, the Local and Statutory Authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, Primary, Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools and other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government and in the establishments in Public Sector.

3. This order will take immediate effect.

Sd/- Asok Gupta,
Principal Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

11.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
SCHEDULED CASTES & TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta

No. 92-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 11th February, 1997

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS by this department's notification No. 346-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 13th July, 1994 (hereinafter referred to as the said notification), the backward classes for the purposes of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) were specified in the list below the said notification;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, the Governor is pleased hereby to make the following amendment in the said notification:--

Amendment

In the list below the said notification, for serial number 11 and the entries relating thereto, *substitute* the following serial number and entries:--

“11. Goala-Gope (Pallav Gope, Ballav Gope, Yadav Gope, Gope, Ahir and Yadav)”.

By order of the Governor,
U. K. RAY
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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12.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL SCHEDULED CASTES AND TRIBES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Writers' Buildings

No. 93-TW/EC

Calcutta, the 11th February, 1997

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 183-TW/EC, dated the 8th March, 1996, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purposes of the said Act,

LIST

1. Hawari
2. Turha
3. Bhar
4. Dhunia
5. Khandait
6. Patidar
7. Gangot
8. Kasai

By order of the Governor,

U. K. RAY

Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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13.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Scheduled Castes & Tribes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings

No. 421(35)-TW/EC

Dated Calcutta, the 9th July, 1997

From: S. Mardi
Joint Commissioner for Reservation & ex-officio Jt. Secretary,

To: 1. The District Magistrate,
.....
2. The Sub-divisional Officer,
.....

The undersigned is directed to send herewith a copy of the Resolution No. 12011/44/96-BCC dt. 6.12.96 issued by the Ministry of Welfare, Govt. of India and to say that the Govt. of India has accepted the 6 (six) classes of people as belonging to the backward classes of West Bengal for such benefit admissible to them, particularly for the benefit of reservation to them in the services and posts under the Govt. of India. The State Govt in the SC & TW department has already declared them as belonging to Backward Classes of West Bengal vide Notification No(s) 705-TW/EC dated 13.12.1994 and 370-TW/EC dated 12.05.95,

It is therefore, requested that at the time of issuing Certificates to these 6 (six) Communities, both the numbers of Notifications of Govt. of India and the Govt. of West Bengal may be put in the appropriate place of the certificate.

A specimen form of Certificates is enclosed.

Sd/ S. Mardi
Joint Commissioner for Reservation &
Ex-officio Joint Secretary

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WELFARE
RESOLUTION
New Delhi, the 6th December, 1996.

No. 12011/44/96-BCC—The Govt of India, vide the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension (Department of Personnel and Training) O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT), dated the 8th September, 1993, have reserved 27% of vacancies in civil posts and services under the Central Government, to be filled through direct recruitment, in favour of the other Backward Classes (OBCs). In this regard the common list in respect of 25 States/UTs have been notified. Ministry of Welfare Resolution No. 12011/68/93-BCC(C) dated the 10th September, 1993, No. 12011/9/94-BCC dated the 19th October, 1994 and No. 12011/7/95-BCC dated the 24th May, 1995 and No. 12011/96/94-BCC dated the 9th March, 1996

2. The National Commission for Backward Classes was set up under the provision of the National Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993, to entertain, examine and recommend upon the requests for inclusion and complaints of over-inclusion and under-inclusion in the Central list of other Backward Classes.

3. The National Commission for Backward Classes have now recommended name of castes/communities (including sub-castes/synonyms) for inclusion/amendment in the Central Lists of OBCs in respect of the following States :-

- | | |
|------------|------------------|
| 1. Bihar | 5. Orissa |
| 2. Goa | 6. Uttar Pradesh |
| 3. Gujarat | 7. West Bengal |
| 4. Haryana | |

The Government have accepted the recommendations of the Commission And have decided to notify annexed additions/amendments in the Central lists of OBCs in respect of aforesaid States. These inclusions/amendments shall take effect from the date of issue of this Resolution.

Sd/ MS AHMAD
Joint Secretary to Govt. of India

State: WEST BENGAL : Central List of OBCs

Names of Castes/Communities (including sub-castes/synonyms) in the Central List of OBCs

Sl. No.	Old Entry	New Entry
1.	Nil	15. Nagar (This does not include immigrant Maithily Brahmins and immigrant Nagars from other states who are Brahmins and Baniyas)
2.	Nil	16. Karani.
3.	Nil	17. Raju
4.	Nil	18. Keori/Koiri
5.	Nil	19. Sarak
6.	Nil	20. Kosta/Kostha

SPECIMEN CERTIFICATE FORM

**Government of West Bengal
Office of the District Magistrate/Sub-divisional Officer**

CERTIFICATE FOR OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES

Certificate No.....

Date.....

This is to certify that Sri/Srimati..... son/daughter
of Shri/Late.....of village/town.....
.....in the District/Division.....of the State of West Bengal
belongs to thecommunity which is recognised as a Backward Class
under Govt. of West Bengal;

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1. Notification No.....Date.....
2. Notification No.....Date.....
3. Notification No.....Date.....
4. Notification No.....Date.....

And under resolution and notification of Govt. of India;

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1. Resolution No.....Date.....
Notification No.....Date.....
2. Resolution No.....Date.....
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3. Resolution No.....Date.....
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4. Resolution No.....Date.....
Notification No.....Date.....

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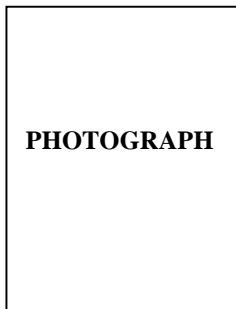
Sri/Srimati.....and/or/his/her family ordinarily*
reside(s) in the district ofin the State of West Bengal.

This is also to certify that he/she does not belong to the category of persons/sections (Creamy Layer) to whom reservation shall not apply as per provision contained in the Schedule mentioned in Order No. 347-TW/EC dt. 13.7.1994 of the Scheduled Castes & Tribes Welfare Department or in column 3 of the Schedule to the Govt. of India, Deptt. of Personnel & Training O. M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt(SCT) dated 8.9.93.

Date:

D. M./S. D. O.

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* NB. (a) The term 'ordinarily' used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representations of the Peoples Act, 1950.

14.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta

No. 1056-BCW/EC/MR—302/97

Calcutta, the 6th November, 1997

ORDER*

WHEREAS by this department Order No. 347-TW/EC/M-6/82(I), dated the 13th July, 1994, published in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette, Extraordinary*, dated the 13th July, 1994 (hereinafter referred to as the said order), provision was made for the reservation in services and posts under the Government of West Bengal, the local and statutory authorities constituted under any State Act, Corporations in which not less than 51% of the paid up share capital is held by the State Government, Universities, Colleges affiliated to the Universities, Primary, Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools, other educational institutions which are owned or aided by the State Government, and public sector in favour of the Backward Classes of Citizens, as specified in the list in this department Notification No. 346-TW/EC, dated the 13th July, 1994, in the manner appearing in the said notification;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provision of clause (c) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Bengal Act I of 1993), the Governor is pleased hereby to make the following amendment in the said notification:--

Amendment

In the said notification, in the enabling paragraph, in clause (a), for the figure "5%", substitute the figure "7%"

By order of the Governor,
K. JHALA,
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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15.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta

No. 1054-BCW/EC/MR-302/97

Calcutta, the 6th November, 1997

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of the Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 93-TW/EC, dated the 11th February, 1997, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purposes of the said Act.

LIST

1. Hele/Halia/Chasi-Kaibbartta

By order of the Governor,
K. JHALA
Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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16.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 84-BCW/RC/MR-302/97

Calcutta, the 1st March, 1999

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 1054-TW/EC, dated the 6.11.1997, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purpose of the said Act.

LIST

- | | |
|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. Banshi Barman | 5. Sukli |
| 2. Nashya Sekh | 6. Sunuwar |
| 3. Pahadia Muslim | 7. Bhar Bhuja |
| 4. Khen | |

By order of the Governor,
K. JHALA
Pr. Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal

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17.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Reservation Cell
Writers' Buildings

No. 134-BCW/RC
MR-103/94

Calcutta, the 25th March, 1999.

ORDER*

(1) In exercise of the power conferred by section 10, read with section 11, of the West Bengal Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Reservation of Vacancies in Services and Posts) Act, 1976 (West Bengal Act XXVII of 1976), and in supersession of all previous orders on the subject, the Governor is pleased hereby to direct that with a view to giving effect to the reservation of vacancies for the Scheduled Castes, and the Scheduled Tribes under the said Act, the following model roster shall henceforth be maintained for direct recruitment to vacancies in services and posts in an establishment as defined in the said Act:-

Model 100-Point Roster

1 st Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
2 nd Vacancy	General
3 rd Vacancy	General
4 th Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
5 th Vacancy	General
6 th Vacancy	General
7 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
8 th Vacancy	General
9 th Vacancy	General
10 th Vacancy	General
11 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
12 th Vacancy	General
13 th Vacancy	General
14 th Vacancy	General
15 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
16 th Vacancy	General
17 th Vacancy	General
18 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
19 th Vacancy	General
20 th Vacancy	General

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21 st Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
22 nd Vacancy	General
23 rd Vacancy	General
24 th Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
25 th Vacancy	General
26 th Vacancy	General
27 th Vacancy	General
28 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
29 th Vacancy	General
30 th Vacancy	General
31 st Vacancy	General
32 nd Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
33 rd Vacancy	General
34 th Vacancy	General
35 th Vacancy	General
36 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
37 th Vacancy	General
38 th Vacancy	General
39 th Vacancy	General
40 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
41 st Vacancy	General
42 nd Vacancy	General
43 rd Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
44 th Vacancy	General
45 th Vacancy	General
46 th Vacancy	General
47 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
48 th Vacancy	General
49 th Vacancy	General
50 th Vacancy	General
51 st Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
52 nd Vacancy	General
53 rd Vacancy	General
54 th Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
55 th Vacancy	General
56 th Vacancy	General
57 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
58 th Vacancy	General
59 th Vacancy	General
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61 st Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
62 nd Vacancy	General
63 rd Vacancy	General
64 th Vacancy	General
65 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
66 th Vacancy	General

67 th Vacancy	General
68 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
69 th Vacancy	General
70 th Vacancy	General
71 st Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
72 nd Vacancy	General
73 rd Vacancy	General
74 th Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
75 th Vacancy	General
76 th Vacancy	General
77 th Vacancy	General
78 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
79 th Vacancy	General
80 th Vacancy	General
81 st Vacancy	General
82 nd Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
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84 th Vacancy	General
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86 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
87 th Vacancy	General
88 th Vacancy	General
89 th Vacancy	General
90 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
91 st Vacancy	General
92 nd Vacancy	General
93 rd Vacancy	Scheduled Tribe
94 th Vacancy	General
95 th Vacancy	General
96 th Vacancy	General
97 th Vacancy	Scheduled Caste
98 th Vacancy	General
99 th Vacancy	General
100 th Vacancy	General

(2) The Governor is further pleased to direct that the 9th, 19th, 29th, 49th, 59th, 69th and 89th vacancies in the model roster in paragraph (1) shown as 'General' shall be reserved for backward classes of citizens included in the lists as defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Bengal Act I of 1993).

(3) This order shall come into force at once.

By order of the Governor,
K. JHALA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

18.
GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 1228-BCW
MR-369/98 (Pt.-I)

Calcutta, the 27th May, 1999.

MEMORANDUM

It has been observed from references received by this Department that a lot of confusion amongst the certificate issuing authorities in the matter of determining permanent residence of persons belonging to Backward Classes other than S.C. and S.T. has been persisting.

After careful consideration of all aspects it has been decided that 15.03.1993 i.e. the date on which the Notification setting up the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes was issued shall be considered as the reference date for determining permanent residential status of a person belonging to notified Backward Classes of citizens other than S.C. & S.T. Any person not being an S.C. or S.T. residing in this State permanently on * [or before] that date shall be eligible for an Other Backward Classes certificate, provided that he/she belongs to notified Backward Classes and fulfils other criteria for issuance of such certificate.

All certificate issuing authorities may act accordingly.

Sd/- K. Jhala,
Principal Secretary,
B.C.W. Department.

* Subs. for the words 'and from' vide Memo. No. 944-BCW dated 28th February, 2000.

19.

**GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta--1**

No. 2004-BCW/MRD-238/98

Dated, Calcutta, the 27th July, 1999

NOTIFICATION[#]

WHEREAS, for adequate representations in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other authority within the territory of West Bengal, 5% reservation in the vacancies and posts for candidates belonging to backward classes (other than Scheduled Caste /Scheduled Tribe) was introduced vide this department's G.O. No. 347-TW/EC dated 13.07.1994;

WHEREAS, the said percentage of the reservation was raised to 7% vide this Department's order No. 1056-BCW/EC dated 06.11.1997;

WHEREAS, representations are now being received from various quarters that due to non-availability of qualified candidates against reserved vacancies, such vacancies are remaining unfilled causing serious inconvenience to the appointing authorities in properly running their establishment;

WHEREAS, representations/applications are being received for de-reservation of vacancies for filling them up by candidates other than those belonging to Backward Classes in such cases of non-availability of suitable candidates of the prescribed community;

AND WHEREAS, the State Government, after careful consideration of all aspects is of the view that it is necessary to provide for procedure for dealing with cases, where suitable candidates from Backward Classes (other than Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe) are not available for filling up vacancies reserved for them;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Governor is pleased to prescribe the following procedure for dealing with cases where suitable candidates of requisite qualifications from Backward Classes would not be available:-

- (i) There shall be no de-reservation of any vacancy reserved for Backward Classes of citizens by any appointing authority in any post in an establishment which is required to be filled up by direct recruitment. In the absence of qualified candidates from Other Backward Classes to fill up such vacancy, such vacancy shall ordinarily remain unfilled.

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In the absence of qualified candidates from Other Backward Classes to fill up such vacancy, such vacancy shall ordinarily remain unfilled.

(ii) If, however, in the public interest, it is necessary to fill up any vacancy as aforesaid remaining unfilled on account of non-availability of a qualified candidate from Backward Classes, the appointing authority shall refer the vacancy to the State Government for de-reservation.

Upon such reference, the State Government may, if it is satisfied that it is necessary or expedient so to do, by order de-reserve the vacancy subject to the condition that the reservation against the vacancy so de-reserved shall be carried forward to the subsequent un-reserved vacancy.

By order of the Governor,
K. JHALA,
Principal Secretary to the Government
of West Bengal.

20.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings.

No. 944-BCW
MR--369/98 (Pt. I)

Dated, Calcutta, the 28th February, 2000

CORRIGENDUM

This is for general for information that the words "on or before" after the word 'permanently' and before the words 'that date' should be read in place of the words "on and from" in the fourth line from the end of paragraph 2 in this Department's Memo No. 1228-BCW, dated 27th May, 1999 fixing reference date for determining permanent residential status of persons belonging to identified Backward Classes of citizens.

Sd/ **K. JHALA**
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

21.

GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta--1

No. 1134-BCW/MR-105/95

Dated, Calcutta, the 3rd March, 2000

MEMORANDUM

The Government have been receiving references from various Certificate issuing authorities, as to whether there should be any restriction on age for issue of Caste Identification Certificates to the people belonging to Other Backward Classes. The matter has been under active consideration of the Government for quite sometimes.

In view of the fact that the purpose of issuing a Caste/Tribe identification Certificate is to enable the holder of such Certificate to avail of the concessions available to persons of such Caste or Tribes under various schemes and in consideration of the fact that such concessions so far extended to people belonging to Other Backward Classes is restricted to reservation in jobs in direct recruitment, Government considers it expedient to prescribe age limit for issue of such certificates.

The undersigned is now directed to say that after careful consideration of all aspects, it has been decided that Caste identification Certificates shall not be issued to 'minors' i.e. persons aged below 18 years and those who have crossed the maximum prescribed age limit for direct recruitment in any kind of job.

This order shall take immediate effect and shall remain valid until further orders.

By order of the Governor,
Sd/ **H. Goswami**
Assistant Commissioner for Reservation &
Ex-officio Assistant Secretary

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GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta--1

No. 2171(17)-BCW/MR-105/95

Dated, Calcutta, the 15th May, 2000

From: Sri H. Goswami, Assistant Commissioner for Reservation &
Ex-officio Assistant Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To: District Magistrates (All)

FAX MESSAGE

Sub : Restriction of age-limit for issuance of Certificates to applicants from OBC Community.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to this Deptt's Memo No. 1134-BCW/MR—105/95 dt. 3rd March, 2000, and references received from the zone of SDOs in this regard, I am directed to say that the restriction on age for issue of caste identification certificate applies only to applicants from Other Backward Classes (OBC) as clearly stated at para '1' and '2' of the cited memo. The date of effect of this order has also clearly been indicated in the last para of the stated Memo. It is re-iterated that the said order does not apply to issuance of certificates to S.C. and S. T. candidates.

I am now to request you to communicate this to all the SDOs under your jurisdiction.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/ H. Goswami
*Assistant Commissioner for Reservation &
Ex-officio Assistant Secretary*

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GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Calcutta--1

No. 2880-BCW/MR-105/95

Dated, Calcutta, the 7th July, 2000

MEMORANDUM

The undersigned is directed to say that subsequent to issue of this Department's Order No 1134-BCW, dt. 3rd March, 2000 laying down the upper and lower age limit for the purpose of issuance of Other Backward Classes Certificates, representation was being received from various quarters for increasing the upper age limit as Other Backward Classes candidates were eligible for some benefits like loan from Government agencies etc. at age higher than what has been prescribed for issue of such Other Backward Classes Certificates.

After careful consideration of all aspects Governor has now been pleased to direct that the following proviso be added after para 3 of this Department's Memo. 1134-BCW, dt. 03.03.2000.

“Provided that Other Backward Classes Certificates may be issued to the applicants above the age of 40 years, in case such applicants satisfy the certificate issuing authorities that the certificate is required for availing of benefits under any specific scheme of the State or Central Government”.

Necessary action may be taken accordingly.

By order of the Governor,
Sd/- **A. Pramanick**,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of
West Bengal.

GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings.

No. 1632-BCW/MR-105/95

Dated, Kolkata, the 12th April, 2001.

MEMORANDUM

State Government have been receiving representations from various quarters for lowering further the minimum age limit for the purpose of issuing Other Backward Classes certificates in this State. It has also been brought to the knowledge of the Government that Medical Council of India has amended the Regulation on Graduate Medical Education, 1997, allowing concession in qualifying marks to other Backward Classes candidates along with the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes candidates and prescribing the minimum age for admission to the M.B.B.S. Course as 17 years on or before 31st December of the year of admission.

2. In the above context and after careful consideration of all aspects, the Governor is now pleased, in partial modification of this Department's Memo No. 1134-BCW, dated, the 3rd March, 2000, to lower the minimum age limit for issue of Other Backward Classes certificates in this State from 18 to 16 years in all cases.

3. This Order shall be deemed to have taken effect from 3rd January, 2001 and shall remain in force until further orders.

Sd/- **N. Bhattacharyya,**
Assistant Commissioner for Reservation &
ex-officio Assistant secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings, Block—I, 2nd Floor
Kolkata--700001

No. 2489-BCW/MR-389/99

Dated, Kolkata, the 21st June, 2001

ORDER[♦]

Whereas for adequate representation in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other authority within the territory of West Bengal, 5% reservation in the vacancies and posts for candidates belonging to Backward Classes as defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), was introduced under this Department order No. 347-TW/EC, dated the 13th July, 1994;

And whereas the said percentage of representation was raised to 7% under this department order No. 1056-BCW/EC, dated the 6th November, 1997;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act, the Governor is pleased hereby to direct that while computing the total number of vacancies to be available as reserved to the persons belonging to the said Backward Classes and for satisfying the requisite conditions of direct recruitment, the number of the candidates belonging to the said Backward Classes qualifying on merit for appointment to unreserved vacancy in a service or post in any establishment to be filled up by direct recruitment, shall not be deducted from the reserved quota in such service or post for such candidates.

By order of the Governor,
S. BARMA,
*Principal Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.*

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BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT
Writers' Buildings

No. 2927-BCW/MR-436/99

Kolkata, the 10th July, 2001

NOTIFICATION*

WHEREAS "backward classes" has been defined in clause (a) of section 2 of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), for the purposes of the said Act, to mean such backward classes of citizens other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes as may be specified by the State Government in the lists;

AND WHEREAS "lists" has been defined in clause (c) of section 2 of the said Act to mean lists prepared by the Government of West Bengal from time to time for the purposes of making provision for the reservation of appointments or posts in favour of backward classes of citizens which, in the opinion of that Government, are not adequately represented in the services under the Government of West Bengal and any local or other statutory authority within the territory of West Bengal or under the control of the Government of West Bengal;

Now, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, and in continuation of notification No. 84-BCW/RC, dated 1st March, 1999, the Governor is pleased hereby to specify further in the list below the backward classes for the purposes of the said Act.

LIST

1. DEWAN
2. RAI (including Chamling)

By order of the Governor,
S. BARMA,
*Principal Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.*

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GOVERNEMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Backward Classes Welfare Department
Writers' Buildings.

No. 2928-BCW/MR-436/99

Dated, Kolkata, the 10th July, 2001

NOTIFICATION[▼]

Whereas by this department notification No. 1179-TW/EC, dated the 1st day of December, 1995 (hereinafter referred to as the said notification), 9 (nine) more backward classes for the purposes of the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993 (West Ben. Act I of 1993) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) were specified;

And whereas the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes (hereinafter referred to as the said Commission) was set up under the said Act to examine requests for inclusion of any class of citizens as a backward class in the lists and hear complaints of over-inclusion or under-inclusion of any class in such lists and tender such advice to State Government as it deems appropriate;

And whereas the said Commission has now recommended that the names of two sub-classes 'Rana' and 'Thapa' shown in brackets against the existing entry of 'Mangar' at serial 3 of the said notification should be omitted so that the 'Mangar' class as a whole is treated as a backward class;

And whereas the State Government have accepted the said recommendation of the Commission;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of clause (a), read with clause (c), of section 2, and sub-section (2) of section 9, of the said Act, the Governor is pleased hereby to make the following amendment in the said notification:-

Amendment

In the list to the said notification, in serial number 3, after the word "Mangar" *omit* the brackets and words "(Thapa, Rana)".

By order of the Governor,
S. BARMA,
Principal Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal.

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