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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT WRITERS' BUILDINGS

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NOTIFICATION

No. 820–BCW/3C(MC)-8/96.—the 6th March, 2012.— In exercise of the power conferred by sub-paragraph (3) of 4 of the Fifth Schedule to the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased hereby to make the following amendments in the West Bengal Tribes Advisory Council Rules, 1953, published with this Department notification No. 1282 TW, dated the 25th August, 1953, as subsequently amended (hereinafter referred to as the said rules):—

Amendments

In the said rules,—

- (1) in rule 4,
 - (i) for clause (a), substitute the following clause:-
 - "(a) The West Bengal Tribes Advisory Council (hereinafter referred to as the said Council) shall consist of not more than twenty members to be selected in the following manner:-
 - The Minister-in-charge of the Backward Classes Welfare Department, West Bengal, who shall be the ex-officio Chairman of the Council;
 - (ii) Not more than fifteen Scheduled Tribes representatives of the Legislative Assembly of West Bengal to be nominated by the State Government;
 - (iii) Not more than three members to be nominated by the Governor in accordance with the provisions of sub-rule (d) and
 - (iv) One member of Parliament from a Scheduled Tribe constituency in West Bengal to be nominated by the State Government";

- (ii) for clause (b), substitute the following clause:—
 - "(b) The Commissioner of Backward Classes Welfare Directorate and *ex-officio* Special Secretary, Backward Classes Welfare Department, shall be the Secretary of the Council;";
- (iii) for clause (d), substitute the following clause :-
 - "(d) The members to be nominated by the Governor under clause (iii) of sub-ruie(a), shall be members of the Scheduled Tribes and shall have special knowledge and experience of the needs and the problems of the Scheduled Tribes.";
- (2) For clause (b) of rule 9, substitute the following :-
 - "(b) Non-official members other than MLA will be entitled to draw mileage allowance at highest rates admissible to a Group-A Officer and daily allowance @ Rs. 260/- per diem for the days of meeting held in Kolkata or elsewhere and also for the days intervening the dates of meetings provided they are required to stay in Kolkata or other place for attending the meetings of the said Council:

Provided further that for attending a meeting in Kolkata during a session of the West Bengal Legislature such of the non-official members as are also members of the Legislature and draw the allowance admissible to them as such, shall not be entitled to any travelling allowances under these rules;"

(3) in rule 11, for the words "Six members", substitute the words "One-third of the members".

By order of the Governor,

S. K. THADE, Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.