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PART I—Orders and Notifications by the Governor of West Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL**

**Backward Classes Welfare Department**

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**NOTIFICATION**

No. 2019–BCW/MR-30/2020, dated the 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2022. – WHEREAS it has been made to appear to the Governor that the West Bengal Commission for Backward Classes has recommended one new class of people, namely, “Chowdhury/Chowdhuri (Muslim)”, as the Other Backward Class of this State included in the list of Other Backward Classes under the Heading “Backward (Category B)”;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the power conferred by section 16 of the West Bengal Backward Classes (Other than Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) (Reservation of Vacancies in Services and Posts) Act, 2012 (West Ben. Act XXXIX of 2012) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Governor is pleased hereby to make, with immediate effect, the following amendment in the Schedule I appended to the said Act: –

*Amendment*

In the said Act, in the Schedule I, in the column under the Heading “Backward (Category B)”, after serial 97, insert the following serial No. and the entry relating thereto:–

“98. “Chowdhury/Chowdhuri (Muslim)”.

By Order of the Governor,

SANJAY BANSAL

*Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.*