To

Ms. Jaya Das Gupta,
Principal Secretary,
Backward Classes Welfare Department,
Government of West Bengal,
Writers Building,
Kolkata-700001.

Subject:- Clarification of Creamy layer amongst OBCs- regarding.

Madam,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. SBCW-85(MISC)/2006 dated 2.8.2006 on the subject mentioned above and to say that clarification contained in the DOP & T’s letter No. 36033/5/2004-Estt.(Res) dated 14.10.2004 have no ambiguity as stated by you. Para 9 of the aforesaid letter clarifies the procedure of applying the Income/Wealth Test in case of sons and daughters of parent(s) employed in PSUs etc. in which equivalence or comparability of posts has not been established vis a vis posts in Government. The para 10 of the OM clarifies the scope of the explanation, ‘Income form salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed’ given in the Schedule to O.M. No. 36012/22/93-SCT dated 8.9.93. Careful reading of the two paragraphs will show that two paragraphs are in consonance with each other.

Yours faithfully,

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