

FORMAT FOR SCHEDULED CASTE/SCHEDULED TRIBE CERTIFICATE

1. This is to certify that Shri/Srimati/Kumari son/daughter of Of Village/Town in the District/Division of the State/Union Territory belongs to the Caste/Tribe which is recognised as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* under

*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950

*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950

*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951

*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951

As amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification) Order, 1956, the Bombay Reorganisation Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganisation Act, 1956, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Act, 1971, and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment) Act, 1976.

*The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Caste Order, 1956

*The Constitution (Anadaman Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Castes Order, 1959, as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment Act), 1976

*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962

*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962

*The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964

*The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1967

*The Constitution (Goa, Daman, Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968

*The Constitution (Goa, Daman, Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968

*The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970

*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978

*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978

*The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989

*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990

*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1991

*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Second Amendment) Act, 1991

*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Amendment) Ordinance, 1996

2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes persons who have migrated from one State/Union Territory:

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe Certificate issued to Sri/Srimati Father/Mother of Sri/Srimati/Kumari District/Division Of the State/Union Territory who belongs to the Caste/ Tribe* which is recognized as Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* in the State/Union Territory issued by the (Name of the prescribed authority vide their No. dated.....)

3. Sri/Srimati/Kumari And/or* his/her* family ordinarily reside(s) in Village/Town* of District/ Division of the State/Union Territory* of

Signature

Designation

(With seal of office).....

Place: State/Union Territory* (With seal of office)

Date:

NOTE: (a) The term "Ordinarily Resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

(b) The authorities competent to issue Caste Certificate are indicated below:-

(i) District Magistrate/Additional Magistrate/Collector/Dy. Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/Deputy Collector/Ist Class Stipendary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate/Extra Assistant Commissioner (not below the rank of Ist Class Stipendary Magistrate).

(ii) Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate.

(iii) Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar

(iv) Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family resides.

*Please delete the words which are not applicable.