

(The format of the certificate to be produced by Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes candidates applying for appointment to posts under Government of India)

This is to certify that Shri/Smt./Kumari* son/daughter of of village/town* in District/Division* of the State/Union Territory* belongs to the Caste/Tribes which is recognized as a Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes* 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 Reorganization Act, 1960 & the Punjab Reorganization Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act 1970, the North-Eastern Area (Reorganization) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment) Act, 1976.

- The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order, 1956
- The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes 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 (Scheduled Tribes) (Uttar Pradesh) 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 (SC) orders (Amendment) Act, 1990@
 - The Constitution (ST) orders (Amendment) Ordinance 1991 @
 - The Constitution (ST) orders (Second Amendment) Act, 1991@
 - The Constitution (ST) orders (Amendment) Ordinance 1996
 - The Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Orders (Amendment) Act 2002.
 - The Constitution (Scheduled Caste) Orders (Amendment) Act 2002.
 - The Constitution (Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe) Orders (Amendment) Act 2002.
 - The Constitution (Scheduled Caste) Order (Amendment) Act 2007.
- %2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes persons who have migrated from one Union Territory Administration.

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes / Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/Smt./Kum.* father/mother of Shri/ Smt. /Kum. of village/town..... in 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 dated

%3 Shri/Smt./Kum. and or his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town of District/Division of the State/Union Territory of

Place

Date.....

Signature.....
Designation.....
(with seal of office)
State/Union Territory

P.T.O.

* Please delete the words which are not applicable

@ Please quote specific presidential order

% Delete the paragraph which is not applicable.

NOTE: The term ordinarily reside(s) used here will have the same meaning as in section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

**** List of authorities empowered to issue Caste/Tribe Certificates:**

(i) District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner/Dy. Collector/Ist Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Extra-Assistant Commissioner/Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate.

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

(iii) Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar.

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

NOTE: ST candidates belonging to Tamil Nadu state should submit caste certificate ONLY FROM THE REVENUE DIVISIONAL OFFICER