

Form of Certificate to be produced by a candidate belonging to Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe in support of his claim

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

Regn. No. _____

Date _____

A. This is to certify that Shri./Smt./Kum. _____ son / daughter of _____ of village/ town _____ in District/Division _____ of the State/Union Territory _____ belongs to the _____ caste/ tribe which is recognised as Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe under :

Please Tick Mark :

1. The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950
2. The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950
3. The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951
4. 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, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Act, 1971 and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976).
5. The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order, 1956.
6. The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989.
7. The Constitution (Andaman & Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959.
8. The Constitution (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962.
9. The Constitution (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962.
10. The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964.
11. The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes (Uttar Pradesh) Order, 1967.
12. The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968.
13. The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968.
14. The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970.
15. The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978.
16. The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978.
17. The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1989.
18. The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990.
19. The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1991.
20. The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Second Amendment Act, 1991.

B. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe persons who have migrated from the State/U.T. of their origin (delete the paragraph if not applicable) :

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe Certificate issued to Shri./ Smt./Kum. _____ father / mother of Shri./Smt./Kum. _____ of village/ town _____ in District/ Division _____ of the State / Union Territory _____ who belong to the _____ caste / tribe which is recognised as Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe in the State / Union Territory _____ issued by the _____ (name of prescribed authority) vide order No. _____ dated _____.

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

Place : _____
State / Union Territory _____
Date : _____

Signature _____
Name of Issuing Authority _____
Designation _____
(With seal of Office)

Note : 1. The term "ordinarily" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

2. List of authorities empowered to issue Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe Certificates :

- (i) District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector / Ist Class Stipendary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Taluka Magistrate / Executive 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 normally resides.

3. The caste certificate issued by an authority other than the stated above will not be accepted.