

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

This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati/Kumari\* \_\_\_\_\_ son/daughter\* of \_\_\_\_\_ of village/Town\* \_\_\_\_\_ in District/ Division\* Shri \_\_\_\_\_ of 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 Recognition Act, 1960, the Punjab Recognition Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970 and the North Eastern Areas (Recognition) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders, (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

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The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Orders, 1964\*

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

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

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The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970\*

The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978\*

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2. Shri/Shrimati/Kumari\* \_\_\_\_\_ and/or his/her\* family, reside(s) in village/town\* \_\_\_\_\_ of\* \_\_\_\_\_ District/Division\* of the State/Union Territory\* of \_\_\_\_\_.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\*\* Designation \_\_\_\_\_

(with seal of Office)

State/Union Territory\*\*



Place \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please delete the words which are 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.

\*\*Officers competent to issue Caste/Tribe certificates :

- i. District Magistrate/ Additional District Magistrate/ Collector/ Deputy Commission/ Additional Deputy Commissioner/ Deputy Collector/ 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate/ City Magistrate/ Sub-Divisional Magistrate/ Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/ Extra Assistant Commissioner.

\* (not below the rank of 1st class Stipendiary Magistrate)

- ii. Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/ Presidency Magistrate.
- iii. Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar.
- iv. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/ or his family normally reside(s).
- v. Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (Lakshdweep).