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NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

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Dear Shri Ray,

The National Commission for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes is extremely concerned about the educational facilities being provided to the school children belonging to the SCs and STs. The Commission is of the view that all out efforts have to be made to increase their enrolment and retention rates and reduce the dropout rates. In this connection the hostel facilities, scholarships, residential schools and other incentives play a key role. The Commission would therefore like to know the position of such facilities being provided in your State/UT. The desired information may be collected from the concerned Departments and furnished to the Commission in the enclosed proforma, within a month's time.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Meenakshi Hooja)

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Copy with a copy of enclosure for information and necessary follow-up action forwarded to Assistant Director State Office National Commission for SCs and STs, Mayukh Bhawan, Salt Lake City, Calcutta-700064.

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