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Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes say of Maharashtra in the instant case, do require protection in the State of Maharashtra, which will have to be in balance to other communities......"

Reliance has also been placed on the following observation in Action Committee case (supra):

"The Constitution Bench has, after referring to the debates in the Constituent Assembly relating to these articles, observed that while it is true that a person does not cease to belong to his caste/tribe by migration he has a better and more socially free and liberal atmosphere and if sufficiently long time is spent in socially advanced areas, the inhibitions and handicaps suffered by belonging to a socially disadvantageous community do not truncate his growth and the natural talents of an individual gets full scope to blossom and flourish. Realising that these are problems of social adjustment it was observed that they must be so balanced in the mosaic of the country's integrity that no section or community should cause detriment or discontentment to the other community. Therefore, said the Constitution Bench, the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes belonging to a particular area of the country must be given protection so long as and to the extent they are entitled to in order to becoming equals with others but those who go to other areas should ensure that they make way for the disadvantaged and disabled of that part of the community who suffer from disabilities in those areas".

Before the Tribunal it was pleaded on behalf of the appellants that the Legislative Assembly of U.T. of Pondicherry has not been rested with powers to make laws in relation to public services of the Union territory and consequently the President of India is the

repository of all powers with regard to public services of the Union territory and with regard to the persons appointed in connection with the affairs of the Union territory. The President has delegated to the Lt. Governor of Pondicherry power to frame rules for regulating the method of recruitment to the civil services and posts in Grade 'A', 'B', 'C' and 'D' under his administrative control in connection with the affairs of the Union 10 territory and also the conditions of service of persons appointed to such services. While making rules for appointment in Grade 'A' and 'B' posts, the Lt. Governor has to act subject to prior consultation with the Union 15 Public Service Commission. The services and posts for U.T. of Pondicherry are treated like Central services and posts, and in the matter of reservation in posts and services for Scheduled Castes, the Government of U.T. 20 of Pondicherry is bound by the policy prescription and the rules and orders of Government of India.

9. The Policy of the Government of India, whereunder all SC/ST candidates get benefit 25 in the matter of appointment and admission in educational institutions controlled/administrated by the Central Government has been reproduced in para 18 of the judgment in Marri Chandra Shekhar Rao (supra) and 30 the relevant part thereof reads as under:

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"Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes are entitled to derive benefits of the all-India Services or admissions in the controlled/ 35 education institutions Central administrated by the. Government, irrespective of the State to which they belong. The reservation in force in favour of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in filling vacancies 40 in posts and services under the Government of Indiagrame in the enclosure (Chapter II of the Brochure on the Reservation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in Bery the session by