## <u>FAX MESSAGE</u> (Fax No. 011-3384918)

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Shri Dharmindra Deo, Joint Secretary, GOI,

Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment,

New Delhi.

From:

Secretary (TW),

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No. 1-360/95-TW (PF)/224

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KRYL No. 16012/17/96-SCD.I dated 12.2.99 regarding assurance in respect of LSUSQ No. 3469 dated 29.8.98 asked by Shri Rajesh Ranjan and others about no. of students belonging to SCs, STs, OBCs & Monitories who received coaching for different competitive examinations during the last 3 years (.) Our reply as follows (.) The required information in respect of part 'D' of the question had already been sent to the Joint Secretary, GOI, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment by fax vide Administration's message no. 13-103/81-PC (H&R) dated 5.3.97 (.) However, the same is reproduced below (.) Quote (.) No pre-examination coaching centre for providing coaching to SCs, STs, OBCs & Minorities has yet been set up in this U.T (.) Therefore, the required information is Nil (.) Unquote (.) However, there is a proposal to start coaching centre for the STs for the clerical grade examination under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of coaching and allied scheme for which the GOI has released an amount of Rs.66,250/- as grant-in-aid in the month of March 1999 (:) Coaching centre will start functioning during the next year, i.e., 1999-2000 (.)

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