

BY FAXPARLIAMENT QUESTION

To Dr.R.K.Shrivastava, Director, Govt.of India,  
Ministry of Welfare, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

From Andamans, Port Blair

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KRYL No.16012/2/92/SCB.V. dated 14th February, 1996 regarding Lok Sabha USQ No.6777 for 11.9.1991 by Shri.Bhagey Gobhardhan, MP about SCs/STs in technical posts. Reply in respect of this Union Territory as follows. (A) There are no Scheduled Castes in relation to this Union Territory. However, the position is true in the case of Scheduled Tribes. (B) Recruitment to Group 'A' and 'B' posts in this Union Territory is made through the UPSC while recruitment to Group 'C' and 'D' posts is made by Administration by way of notification of the vacancies to the local Employment Exchange. Besides, the Administration is providing reserved seats to ST candidates for higher education/ professional/technical courses in the mainland as well as in the ITI and Govt.Polytechnic, Port Blair, so that ST candidates are available for various technical posts in due course of time. (C) Facilities exist in the Fishermen Training Centre, ANM Training School, Govt.Polytechnic and ITI, Port Blair, to enable the ST candidates to acquire the requisite qualification for technical posts as per Recruitment Rules. (D) Does not arise.

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