

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES

(A Constitutional Commission set up under Art. 338A of the Constitution to investigate and monitor all matters relating to violation of rights and safeguards provided for STs.)

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Monitoring of implementation status of service safeguards and development programmes/schemes for Scheduled Tribes.

Sir.

The National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) has been constituted under Article 338A of the Constitution of India. The duties assigned to the Commission under Clause (5) of this Article includes monitoring of all matters relating to the safeguards provided for the Scheduled Tribes under the Constitution or under any other law in force or under any order of the Government, to evaluate working of these safeguards and, to inquire into specific complaints with respect to deprivation of rights and safeguards of Scheduled Tribes. This Article further enjoins upon the Commission to participate and advice on the planning process of the socio-economic development of the Scheduled Tribes and to evaluate the progress of their development under the Union or any State.

- In pursuance of the duties assigned to the Commission, the Commission has decided to monitor the implementation of the various safeguards and the schemes/programmes for socio-economic development of Scheduled Tribes in respect of Delhi Police. In this connection, a Questionnaire, which is required to be filled in the matter is enclosed.
 - It is requested that the Questionnaire at Annexure duly filled in, may be forwarded to this Commission by 10th June, 2016. Thereafter, a detailed review of the service safeguards and development programmes! schemes being implemented in respect of the Scheduled Tribes by your Ministry will be undertaken tentatively by last week June 2016. It is also advised that during the monitoring, the officials of the Commission may examine any record related to various safeguards to the STs. Therefore, such records may please be kept updated.