

**FORM OF CERTIFICATE TO BE PRODUCED BY A CANDIDATE**

**BELONGING TO SCHEDULED CASTE OR SCHEDULED TRIBE**

**IN SUPPORT OF HIS CLAIM**

***FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE***

This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati/Kumari \_\_\_\_\_  
Son/Daughter of \_\_\_\_\_ of village town \_\_\_\_\_ in  
district/ division \_\_\_\_\_ belongs to the \_\_\_\_\_  
Caste/Tribe which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe

Under :

- @ The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) order, 1950
- @ The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) order, 1950
- @ The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) Order 1951

(as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification) order 1956 the Bombay Reorganisation Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganisation Act 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act 1970, the north eastern areas(Reorganisation) Act 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Schedules Tribes Order (Amendment) Act 1976).

- @ The Constitution (Jammu & Kashmir) Scheduled Caste Order, 1956
- @ The Constitution (Andaman & Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Castes Order, 1959 as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment) Act, 1976.
- @ The Constitution (Dadra & Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order 1962.
- @ The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order 1964.
- @ The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Uttar Pradesh) Order 1967
- @ The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Castes, Order 1968
- @ The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970
- @ The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order 1978
- @ The Constitution (Sikki) Scheduled Tribes Order 1978

- # Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes persons who have migrated from one State/Union Territory Administration

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe Certificates issued to Shri/Shrimati+ \_\_\_\_\_ Father/mother of Shri/Shrimati/Kumari\* \_\_\_\_\_ of villag/town\* \_\_\_\_\_ in District / Division \_\_\_\_\_ of the State/Union Territory\* \_\_\_\_\_ who belong to the \_\_\_\_\_ Caste/Tribe\* which is recognized as Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe\* in the State / Union Territory\* \_\_\_\_\_ issued by the \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of prescribed authority) vide their Order No. \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_

\$ Shri/Shrimati\*/Kumari\* \_\_\_\_\_ and/or  
 \*his/her family ordinarily reside(s) in village / town\* \_\_\_\_\_ of  
 \_\_\_\_\_ District/Division\* of the State/Union Territory\* of  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
 Designation \_\_\_\_\_  
 (With seal of office)

Place \_\_\_\_\_ State/Union Territory  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please delete whatever is not applicable  
 @Please quote specific presidential order  
 \$ Delete the paragraph which is not applicable

NOTE: The term "Ordinarily reside (s)\* used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1960.

\*List of authorities empowered to issue Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe Certificate:

1. District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate /Collector/Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendary Magistrate / City Magistrate /Taluka Magistrate Executive Magistrate /Extra Assistant Commissioner  
 \*(Note below the rank of 1<sup>st</sup> Class Stipendary magistrate)
2. Chief Presidency Magistrate /Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate /Presidency Magistrate
3. Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar
4. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides
5. Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (Lakshadweep Islands)