



ABSTRACT

Reconstitution of Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission – Orders – Issued.

Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare (BCC) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.92

Dated:17.11.2022

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Read :

1. G.O (Ms) No.9, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dated 15.3.1993.
2. G.O (Ms) No.40, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dated 6.7.1993.
3. G.O (Ms) No.81, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dated 25.09.1997.
4. G.O (Ms) No.35, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 21.03.2012.
5. G.O (Ms) No.71, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 28.12.2015.
6. G.O (Ms) No.52, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 8.7.2020.
7. G.O (Ms) No.83, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 01.12.2021.
8. From the then Chairman and Members of the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission resignation letters received during September 2022.

ORDER:

In pursuance of the direction of the Supreme Court in Writ Petition Nos.930/1990 etc., known as Mandal Commission cases, the Government have constituted, in the Government Order first read above, a permanent Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission under Article 16(4) read with Article 340 of the Constitution of India under the Chairmanship of a retired High Court judge for examining requests of inclusion and

complaints of over-inclusion or non-inclusion in the list of other Backward Classes and advise the Government.

2. In the Government order sixth read above the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission was reconstituted by appointing Chairman and Members for a period of three years.

3. In the letters eighth read above, Justice Thiru M. Thanikachalam, former Judge of the High Court of Madras, the Chairman of the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission has submitted his resignation letter. Also, Members, Thiru T. Pitchandi, IAS (retd.), Thiru T.N. Ramanathan, IAS (retd.), Thiru V.Chandrasekaran, IAS (retd.), Dr A. Alagumalai, Dr M. Sivakumar and Thiru M. Alagiriswamy had submitted their resignation.

4. After careful consideration, the Government accepted the resignation of the Chairman and Members and reconstitute Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission with Chairman and Members as detailed below for a period of three years with effect from 17.11.2022.

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| 1. | Hon'ble Mr Justice Bharathidasan (Retired Judge of High Court of Madras) | Chairman |
| 2. | Dr S.Karuthiah Pandian, IAS (retd.), | Member |
| 3. | Dr M.Jayaraman, IAS (retd.), | Member |
| 4. | Thiru R. Sudalaikannan, IAS (retd.), | Member |
| 5. | ThiruK.Megraj, IAS (retd.,) | Member |
| 6. | Dr P. Mathiazhagan, Former Registrar, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai. | Member |
| 7. | Dr S.P. Saravanan, Principal, Karuppanan Mariyappan College, Muthur, Tiruppur District. PIN 638 105. | Member |
| Ex-Officio Members | | |
| 8. | Commissioner of Backward Classes Welfare | Member- Secretary |
| 9. | Commissioner of Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities Welfare | Member |

5. The Government prescribe the terms of reference of Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission as follows:-

- i) The Commission shall entertain, examine and recommend upon requests for inclusion and complaints of over-inclusion and under-inclusion in the lists of Backward Classes / Most Backward Classes.
- ii) Periodic revision of list of Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes in this State as and when decided.
- iii) The Commission shall make recommendations on improved reservation for Christians, Muslims and other Minorities based on their social and educational backwardness.
- iv) The Commission shall submit reports for classification and sub-classification of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities in light of the provisions of the Constitution of India and various decisions of the Supreme Court bearing on the subject.
- v) The Commission shall undertake suitable exercise through independent studies and assessment for collecting pertinent, contemporaneous data relating to the Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities, currently notified by the State, for the purpose of examination of demands of various communities and make its recommendation to the Government.
- vi) The Commission shall examine and make recommendations on any other matter relating to Backward Classes that may be referred to it by Government from time to time.

6. The status, salary, allowances etc., of the Chairman and Members of the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission will be as prescribed in the Government orders third and seventh read above.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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