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(SERVICES DEPARTMENT – BRANCH IV)  
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To

1. The Chairman  
Delhi Subordinate Services Selection Board  
Government of NCT of Delhi  
UTCS Building, Shahdara, Delhi
2. All Head of Departments/Local/Autonomous Bodies/PSUs,  
Government of NCT of Delhi.

Sub: Reservation for SCs/STs in the jobs under the Government of NCT of Delhi.

Ref: Letter No.14011/23/2005-Delhi-I dated 01.06.2005 of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.

Sir/Madam,

I am to inform you that the matter regarding grant of reservation to SCs/STs in jobs under the Government of NCT of Delhi has been examined by the Ministry of Home Affairs in consultation with the Ministry of Law and Justice (Department of Legal Affairs), Government of India in light of the Judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 11.02.2005 in Civil Appeal No.6-7 of 1998 in the matter of S. Pushpa & Ors. Vs Sivachanmugavelu & Ors.

It has been stated by the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India vide their letter cited above that the Ministry of Law & Justice (Department of Legal Affairs) has opined that the law declared by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its Judgment dated 11.02.2005 applies to the National Capital Territory of Delhi also and shall be binding on all Courts within the territory of India under Article 141 of the constitution of India.

In light of the above, all the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates irrespective of their nativity are eligible for reservation to the civil posts under Government of NCT of Delhi, which are reserved for SC/ST candidates and appropriate action for recruitment may be taken accordingly.

Yours sincerely,



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JOINT SECRETARY (SERVICES)

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