



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.)

File No. 15/12/WCD(ICPC)/2012/RU-III

Dated 20/12/2012

To

The Secretary,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
Room No. F-281, Bhikaji Cama Place,
August Kranti Bhawan,,
New Delhi- 110066

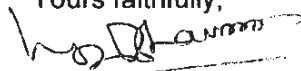
Sub: Draft Note for the Cabinet on the amendments proposed in the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000-Regarding comments/suggestion

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 17011/15/2012-P&M dated 15/10/2012 forwarding a copy of the Draft Cabinet Note on the above subject for seeking comments of NCST on the Draft Cabinet Note and to say that the subject matter was discussed as Agenda Item No-IV in the 40th Meeting of the Commission held on 17/12/2012.

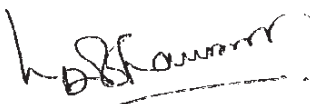
2. Relevant Extracts from the Summary Record of the meeting of the Commission are enclosed for information and further necessary action. It is requested that information about action taken on the views and observations of National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on the subject matter, and the nature and the manner in which those views have been incorporated, may be forwarded to this Commission urgently for including the same in the Annual Report of the Commission.

Yours faithfully,


(K. D. Bhansor) Mrs.
Deputy Director

Copy with enclosure forwarded for information to:-

1. The Secretary Ministry of Women and Child Development, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001, with their letter No 1-3/2012-CW-II dated 10/09/2012 addressed to Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
2. SSA (NIC) for uploading on the Website of NCST
3. Assistant Director (Coordination)


(K. D. Bhansor) Mrs.
Deputy Director

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES

Subject: Summary record of the 40th meeting of the Commission held at 11:30 AM on 17-12-2012

The 40th meeting of the Commission was held at 11:30 AM on 17-12-2012 in the Conference Room of the Commission in Loknayak Bhawan, New Delhi. The meeting was presided over by Dr. Rameshwar Oraon, Hon'ble Chairperson, NCST. List of participants is enclosed at Annexure. There were fourteen Agenda Items for discussion in the meeting. In addition, as desired by the Chairperson, NCST important administrative issues of immediate concern relating to functioning of the Commission were also taken up for discussion as additional Agenda item No. XV.

2. The decisions taken and the action points that emerged out of the discussions held in the meeting are given below:

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Agenda Item IV	Draft Note for the Cabinet on the amendments proposed in the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000
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10. The proposal of the Ministry of Women & Child Development pertains to the Amendment to Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000- to make it more comprehensive and effective.

11. The Commission noted the existing and proposed provisions of the Act as well as the rationale for each amendment as placed at Annex. V of the Draft Cabinet Note and agreed with the proposed amendments.

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