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राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग  
**National Commission for Scheduled Tribes**

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(A Constitutional body under Article 338A of the Constitution of India)

Case File No. NCST/ATY-732/DL/2/2022-APCR

Dated: 13.03.2023

To,

**Shri Sanjay Arora,**  
Commissioner of Police,  
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**Subject:** सवर्णों द्वारा मार पीट करने, जातिसूचक शब्दों का इस्तेमाल करने व पुलिस द्वारा कार्यवाही न करने के सम्बन्ध में - श्रीमती शिखा मीना पुत्री - श्री बी.एस. मीना, 8/14 हॉस्पिटल रोड, जंगपुरा, थाना- हज़रत निज़ामुद्दीन, नई दिल्ली, दिनांक- 18.10.2022 का अभ्यावेदन।

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Minutes of the Sitting held on 06.02.2023 under the Chairmanship of Shri Ananta Nayak, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on the above mentioned subject for necessary action. It is requested that compliance report may be submitted to this Commission within 15 days positively for placing the same before the Hon'ble Commission.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully,

(अंकित कुमार सेन / Ankit Kumar Sen)  
अनुसंधान अधिकारी / Research Officer

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**National Commission for Scheduled Tribes**

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**No. NCST/ATY-732/DL/2/2022 - APCR**

**Minutes of the Sitting held under the Chairmanship of Shri Ananta Nayak, Hon'ble Member, NCST, in the matter of caste based abuse, physical assault and outraging the modesty of the petitioner Ms. Shikha Meena.**

**Date of the Sitting:** 06.02.2023; 03.00 PM

**Officials present in the sitting:** Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi

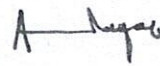
The petitioner through her complaint brought before the Commission that she resides at Jangpura, New Delhi and was abused with caste based remarks, assaulted and beaten by the accused. She also stated that she was harassed and her modesty was outraged by the accused. Even the police delayed to take action and did not insert the provisions of Section. 354 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and the provisions of SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989.

The Commission issued Notice to the Commissioner of Police, Delhi dated 15.11.2022. Since no reply was received, the Commission issued Summons to the Commissioner of Police, Delhi. The Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi appeared before the Commission with replies.

The Commission sought to know from the Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi why there is so much delay in submission of replies and why the provisions of SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989 were not inserted along with Section 354 IPC Act, 1860.

The Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi informed that they inserted the provisions of SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989 after receiving the copy of Summons. The Police did not find cause of caste indicative discrimination. She also stated that they will add Section 354 IPC Act, 1860.

The petitioner further stated that the incident was circulated on WhatsApp groups and participants of the group used caste indicative remarks and threatening words against the petitioner and her family.



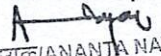
अनंत नायक/ANANTA NAYAK  
सदस्य/Member  
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The Commission asked the DCP, South East, Delhi whether the petitioner has been paid any compensation under SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989 and whether relevant provisions of the Information Technology Act, 2008 can be inserted. The Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi replied affirmatively.

After hearing both the sides, the Commission recommended the following:-

The Deputy Commissioner of Police, South East, Delhi

- i) to ensure relevant provisions of SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989; Section. 354 of IPC, 1860 and relevant provisions of Information Technology Act, 2008 to be inserted in the FIR.
- ii) to expedite the investigation in an independent and impartial manner and ensure payment of compensation under SC/ST (POA) Act, 1989 and send a comprehensive report with compliance of the recommendation within 15 days.

  
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सदस्य/Member  
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