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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)

**F.No. NCST/DEV-3148/TS/3/2024-ESDW**

**Dated: 25.06.2025**

To,

**1. The Secretary,**

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**2. The Chairman,**

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**3. The Principal Secretary,**

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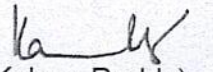
**Sub: Representation dated 04.08.2024 received from Dr. Kalyan Naik, BJP ST Morcha State President Telangana regarding five newly sanctioned private Universities in Telangana to take up admission process only after implementation of reservation policy.**

महोदय/महोदया,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sitting held on 04.06.2025 at 06:20 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi on the above mentioned subject.

2. It is requested that the action taken/to be taken in the matter may be intimated to NCST within stipulated time from receipt of the letter for placing it before the Commission.

Yours faithfully,

  
(डॉ. पी. कल्याण रेड्डी/Dr. P. Kalyan Reddy)  
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2. PS to Hon'ble Member (JH), NCST.
- ✓ 3. NIC, NCST for uploading on the website of the Commission.



**NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES**  
**NCST/DEV-3148/TS/3/2024-ESDW**

Minutes of the Sitting held under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes at Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi in the case of Dr.Kalyan Nayak, BJP ST Morcha State President, Hyderabad regarding extension of reservation to certain universities.

**Date of the Sitting: 04/06/2025,6:20 PM**  
**Participants in the Sitting: As per Annexure**

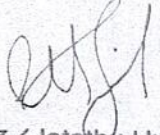
Dr.Kalyan Nayak, BJP ST Morcha State President, Hyderabad vide his representation dated 04.08.2024 has stated that the newly sanctioned five private universities in Telangana should commence their admission process only after implementing reservation policies in accordance with UGC rules. He highlighted that during the previous government's tenure, bills for these universities—Srinidhi, Guru Nanak, MNR, Kaveri, and Nikmar—were passed without specifying reservation provisions, leading to controversy and rejection by the then Governor. Despite this, the current government has reapproved the same bill, allegedly depriving ST and backward communities of educational opportunities. Hence, do the justice.

2. In this matter, a sitting was held on 07.11.2024, in which the following recommendations were made—

- (i) The University Grants Commission (UGC) may direct State Governments to ensure that constitutional safeguards for reservations are implemented in private universities.
- (ii) It is the responsibility of the State Government to uphold the constitutional rights of deprived sections. The Act should be amended at the earliest to facilitate the effective implementation of reservations.
- (iii) The UGC may review the Acts of States concerning private universities, identify private universities that are not adhering to the reservations policy, and issue necessary guidelines to ensure strict compliance with the reservations policy.

3. The Chairman, Telangana Council of Higher Education vide his letter dated 08.02.2025 has informed the Commission that in compliance with NCST's recommendation dated 07.11.2024 regarding amendment of the Act to facilitate ST reservations in private universities, he has requested the Government of Telangana to take necessary action on the matter. He further submitted that TGCHC is only an advisory body and the authority to amend The Telangana State Private Universities (Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2018 lies solely with the State Government.

4. Thereafter, NCST decided to discuss the issue with the authorities and the petitioner 10.2.2025 at New Delhi which was not held. Thereafter a sitting was convened on 24.5.2025 at Hyderabad. The State authority and petitioner were present and there was no communication from UGC, New Delhi. Therefore, a sitting was fixed to discuss the issue with the officers of UGC and petitioner on 4.6.2025, New Delhi.

  
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5 In the sitting, the Joint Secretary alongwith other officers of UGC and petitioner were present. The petitioner has reiterated his earlier submission and requested for justice. The officers of UGC clarified about the State Private University and deemed to be University.

6. After discussion with the officers of UGC and petitioner, it is opined that a policy intervention may be required at the Government level for which a detailed analysis of existing mechanism in the private universities and deemed to be universities may be required. In this context the the following recommendations were made and action taken report there on be submitted to NCST within 15 days from receipt of the Minutes.

A. With regard to the private universities the following details may be furnished to NCST by UGC

a. Data on State wise private universities and total number of students enrolled and SC and ST students among them and the data on the total faculty members and SC and ST staff among them.

b. Data may be obtained from all the private universities about the year of commencement and the perecentage of reservations followed year wise.

c. The mandated land/area requirements for the universities established in the rural and urban categories may be obtained from the States with the guidelines relating to the fee structure.

d. Details on whether any land is leased to the Private Universities in the states and if so the particulars of lease agreement relating to the rate and time period.

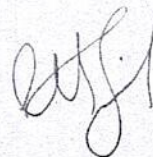
B. With regard to the Deemed to be universities the following details may be furnished to NCST by UGC.

a. Data on Deemed to be universities and total number of students enrolled and SC and ST students among them and the data on the total faculty members and SC and ST staff among them.

b. Data may be obtained from all the Deemed to be universities about the year of commencement and the perecentage of reservations followed year wise.

c. The mandated land/area requirements for the Deemed to be universities established and their off campuses in rural and urban categories may be obtained from the States with the guidelines relating to the fee structure.

d. Details on whether any land is leased to the Trusts/Societies/Deemed to be universities in the states and if so the particulars of lease agreement relating to the rate and time period.



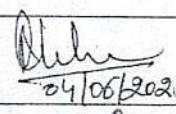
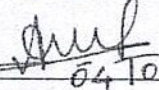
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List of participants of the sitting held on 4.6.2025 at 6.20..... under the chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST

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2.	NCST Officials		
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Sr. No.	Name and Designation	Address & Phone No.	Signature
1.	Dr. G.S Chauhan Joint Secretary	UGC #9989459670	 04/06/2025
2.	Dr. Anmol Anandhore	UGC 8888563169	 04/06/2025
III	<u>Telangana Council of Higher Education</u>		
	<del>Dr. G.</del>		
IV	<u>Higher Education, Govt. of Telangana</u>		
V	<u>Petitioner</u>		
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