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National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

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

File No. NCST/DEV-3102/TS/1/2024-APCR/(RU-III)

Dated: August 26, 2025

To

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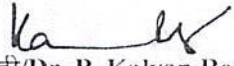
Sub: Representation of Shri D. Praveen Kumar, District Mahabubnagar, Telangana regarding complaint of registration of a large number of False police cases in Addakal police station in Mahabubnagar district.

महोदय/महोदया,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sittings held on 05.08.2025 at 02:40 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes at New Delhi on the above mentioned subject.

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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NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES

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 Shri D. Praveen Kumar, District Mahabubnagar, Telangana regarding complaint of registration of a large number of False police cases in Addakal police station in Mahabubnagar district.

NCST/DEV-3102/TS/1/2024-APCR (RU-III)

Date of the Sitting: 5/08/2025, 2:40 PM

Participants in the Sitting: As per Annexure

Shri D. Praveen Kumar, President, Nenu Saitham Society, Mahabubnagar District vide his petition dated 25-05-2024, has alleged that Addakal Police Station in Mahabubnagar District (Telangana) has been registering numerous false cases against members of the Scheduled Tribes from 2014 to 2024, particularly targeting those raising their voices against the sand mafia. He cited a specific incident dated 21-02-2021, wherein Yerukula Venkateshwarlu, an ST individual was attacked by around 200 persons allegedly connected with the mafia, yet the police registered a case against the victim. The petitioner claims that the Addakal Police openly sided with upper caste individuals who bribe them and that they are working against the interests of SC/ST communities. Citing his role as a social worker and advocate fighting against corruption, the petitioner has sought intervention and a detailed enquiry into the conduct of the Addakal Police, alleging bias, corruption and misuse of authority.

2. The Commission issued notice to the Superintendent of Police, Mahabubnagar on 08.08.2024 seeking facts and comments within 15 days from receipt of the Notice. Superintendent of Police, Mahabubnagar, vide letter no. 94/C3-DCRB/MBNR-2024 dated 28-08-2024 has informed that an enquiry was conducted into the allegations made by Shri D. Praveen Kumar, who had alleged that Addakal Police were registering false cases against Scheduled Tribe victims and supporting upper caste individuals involved in illegal sand mining. The enquiry conducted by the SDPO Mahabubnagar, revealed that a case was indeed registered on 22-02-2021 on the complaint of A. Venkateshwarlu, an ST resident of Baleedpally village, against 11 accused for criminal trespass, caste abuse and threats related to illegal sand transportation. The charge sheet has been filed and the case is pending trial in Special SC No.36/2021. The SP stated that the petitioner did not provide specific instances of false cases and termed him a habitual petitioner, who files baseless complaints. Thus, the allegations were found to be false and baseless.

This was sent to the petitioner for information on 20.09.2024. The petitioner vide his rejoinder dated 16-10-2024 has strongly contested the enquiry report submitted by the SP and SDPO, Mahabubnagar regarding his earlier petition alleging police harassment of SC/ST individuals. He claims that the SDPO never conducted a proper or personal enquiry, nor did he take any statement from the victim A. Venkateshwarlu, and instead submitted a casual and misleading report aimed at prematurely closing the matter. Hence, requested for the justice.

3. Therefore, NCST has decided to discuss the issue with the authority and the petitioner on 05.08.2025 for resolving the case. Accordingly, a Sitting Notice was sent on 28.07.2025 to all concerned. The SP, Mahabubnagar vide letter dated 4.8.2025 has sought exemption and deputed Addl. SP, Mahabubnagar to attend the sitting.

4. In the sitting, the Addl. SP, Mahabubnagar was present and petitioner joined through phone. The petitioner reiterated his submission, as submitted to NCST vide letter dated 16.10.24. The Addl. SP, Mahabubnagar reiterated the facts submitted by Police Department vide letter dated 28.8.2024 and stated that the petitioner is habitual to file the baseless complaints and stated that the case is pending for trial before the Hon'ble Court. The authority has presented the year wise number of cases registered in the mandal since 2014 and the status of these cases.

5. It was observed that the current case is pending before the Court. Hence, no action is warranted on part of NCST.

6. After discussion with the authority and petitioner, the following recommendations were made and action taken thereon may be submitted within 30 days from receipt of the minutes.

a. A detailed enquiry may be made on the alleged sand mafia by the District Mining Officer and a report may be submitted to NCST.

b. The petitioner is adviced to produce necessary evidences and cooperate with the Police and avoid filing generic complaints without any corroborative evidences.



(Jatothu Hussain)

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List of participants of the sitting held on 5.8.2025 at 2-4/10... under the chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST at New Delhi.

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III	<u>Petitioner</u>		
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