

राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

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F.No NCST/ATY-2831/TS/633/2025-RO-BHUV/RU-III

10.11.2025

- The Registrar
 Indian Institute Of Information Technology,
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 Allahabad (Uttar Pradesh)- 211015
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- The Police Commissioner Prayagraj
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 Police Commissionerate, Prayagraj,
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Sub: Representation received from Shri Katravath Raju, Katrabath Thanda, Madgul Mandal, Rangareddy District, Telangana regarding non-payment of compensation due to death of his son Late Katravath Akhil, who was pursuing his studies at IIIT, Allahabad.

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I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sitting held on 27.10.2025 under the chairmanship of Shri Jathothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) at New Delhi on the above mentioned subject.

It is requested that the action taken/ to be taken in the matter may be submitted to NCST within stipulated time from receipt of the letter, for placing it before Hon'ble Commission.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. P. Kalyan Reddy)

Director

Ph No. 011-20819841

Copy for information:-

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2. PS to Hon'ble Member (JH), NCST.

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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 Dilkhusha Guest House, Hyderabad, in the case of Shri Katravath Raju, Katrabath Thanda, Madgul Mandal, Rangareddy District, Telangana regarding non-payment of compensation due to death of his son Late Katravath Akhil, who was pursuing his studies at IIIT, Allahabad.

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Date of the Sitting: 27.10.2025 at 12:35 PM
Participants in the Sitting: As per Annexure

Shri Katravath Raju, Katrabath Thanda, Madgul Mandal, Rangareddy District, Telangana, father of Late Katravath Akhil, an ST student of IIIT Allahabad, has represented that on 18.03.2025, his son sustained critical injuries during an event at Gwalior. Despite repeated requests, the university authorities allegedly failed to provide timely medical attention. Akhil was later admitted to Medcity Hospital, Prayagraj on 29.03.2025, where he passed away the same day. Following his death, students and parents protested at IIIT Allahabad, during which the Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, and Director assured in writing and verbally that ₹1 crore compensation and an insurance claim would be processed. However, even after three months, no compensation or insurance relief has been provided. The petitioner has requested the Commission to initiate an inquiry into the violation of rights and denial of safeguards to the ST student and ensure justice to the bereaved family.

- 2. The Commission issued notice to Registrar, Indian Institute of Information Technology, Prayagraj, Allahabad and The Police Commissioner, Prayagraj vide NCST letter dated 11.08.2025 seeking facts and comments within 15 days from receipt of the Notice. The reply was not received, hence, the Commission decided to discuss the issue with the authority and the petitioner on 27.10.2025. Accordingly, a Sitting Notice was sent on 17.10.2025. The ACP, Dhumganj, Prayagraj vide letter no. एसटी /एसीपी-3/22/2025 dated 25.10.2025 has deputed Sub Inspector, Police Station Airport to attend the sitting.
- In the sitting, Registrar, IIIT, Prayagraj, Sub Inspector, Police Station Airport, Prayagraj and petitioner were present. The petitioner has reiterated his earlier submission and alleged that the IIIT. Prayagraj has not released ex-gratia of Rs One Crore which was committed on 31.3.2025. The Insurance Company has also not paid the Insurance claim. The Registrar, IIIT provided their letter no. IIITA/RO/218/2025 dated 10.9.2025 which contains the events/incident and action taken by Institute in chronological order in the matter. In the letter, it has been informed that as per autopsy report, multiorgan infection the victim Shri K. Akhil was died. An amount of Rs 25 Lakh transferred in the account of father of deceased student on 2.4.2025. In Addition to this, this institute provides the vehicle and air conditioned ambulance on 31.3.2025 from institute campus to Lacknow Airport. All the necessary support for fro travel expenses including flight tickets of nine family member/ relatives amounting of Rs. 1.89 Lakhs were also provided to the institute. All the steps taken by the institute since the return of the deceased from the sports meet i.e on 25.3.2025 an onwards were all done by Institute and none of his parents ever contacted the institute in this context. One of the friends of the deceased namely B.B Kasi Ram has also given the statement for taking the deceased person from the hospital. The Institute has also taken up the matter for release of Rs. One Crore with the competent bodies which have not agreed with the proposal.
- 4. After discussion with the Registrar, IIIT, Prayagraj, Sub Inspector, Police Station Airport, Prayagraj and petitioner, the following recommendations are made and ATR may be submitted within 15 days from the receipt of the minutes.
 - Copy of the proceedings of the Board of Governers and Finance Committee of the Institute may be furnished.
 - The IIIT, Prayagraj is advised to pursue the matter with the M/o Education, Govt. of India, New Delhi for release of the assured ex-gratia amount of ₹1 crore to the family of deceased (Late Shri K. Akhil).

जाटोतु हुसेन / Jatothu Hussain सवस्य / Member

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- The IIIT management may also clarify the status of Rs. 12. 72 Lakhs which was contributed by the Director and faculty staff as ex-gratia amount to help the deceased family.
- The IIIT, Prayagraj is advised to take up the matter with NICL for settlement of Insurance claim. The National Insurance Company Ltd is advised to settle the claim of the deceased, as per their Insurance Policy.
- The Director, IIIT, Prayagraj is advised to verify/authenticate the Statement of the friend (namely B.B Kasi Ram) of the deceased in the presence of Police with the witnesses of his statement, as furnished by IIIT, Prayagraj.
- The prescription of the respective Medical Officers for treatment of the deceased, since 25.3.2025 ie, from return of Sports meet may be furnished.
- The statement of other students / management staff, if any, who accompanied the deceased student during the sports meet on 25.3.2025 may also be recorded with reagrd to the health condition of the deceased
- The Commissioner of Police, Prayagraj is advised to conduct a fresh and fair inquiry into the alleged negligence in providing timely medical aid. The statement of the roommates / classmates may also be recorded
- The petitioner is also advised to provide the statement about the health status/medical history if any of the deceased to NCST.

(Jatothu Hussain)

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List of participants of the sitting held on 27.10.2025 at ./2=35... under the chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST at New Delhi.

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