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National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (A Constitutional Body set up under Art. 338A of the Constitution of India)

File No. AMOL/1/2018/MFIN9/SEOTH/RU-IV

Dated: 02.08.2018

To.

 The Chairman, State Bank of India, State Bank Bhawan, Madam Cama Road, Mumbai – 400 021 (Maharashtra)

 The Managing Director, State Bank of India, State Bank Bhawan, Madam Cama Road, Mumbai – 400 021 (Maharashtra)

3. The District Magistrate, Muzaffarpur, Bihar – 842 001.

Sub: Minutes of the Sitting taken by Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) on 18.07.2018 in the case of Shri Amol, S/o Shri Dulaji Bhojane, 3/2, Chavan Bhosale Chawl, Bhatwadi, Ghatkopar West, Mumbai (Maharashtra) regarding to authenticate caste certificate of candidates appointed in SBI against ST category.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose a copy of the Minutes of the Sitting held on 18.07.2018 under the Chairmanship of Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on the above mentioned subject for necessary action.

It is requested that action taken report in the matter may please be sent to the Commission within 30 days positively for placing the same before the Hon'ble Member, NCST.

Yours faithfully,

(Y.K. Bansal)
Research Officer

(Encl: as above)

Copy to:-

Shri Amol, S/o Shri Bulaji Bhojane, 3/2, Chavan Bosale Chawl, Bhatwadi, Ghatkopar West, Mumbai – 400 084

(Maharashtra).

to: - SAS RITC, MCST.

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES

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PROCEEDINGS OF SITTING HELD ON 18.07.2018 AT 02.00 P.M. CHAIRED BY SMT. MAYA CHINTAMN IVNATE, HON'BLE MEMBER, NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES (NCST) IN THE CASE OF OF SHRI AMOL, S/O SHRI DULAJI BHOJANE, 3/2, CHAVAN BHOSALE CHOWL, BHATWADI, GHATKOPAR WEST, MUMBAI (MAHARASHTRA) REGARDING AUTHENTICATE CASTE CERTIFICATE OF CANDIDATES APPOINTED IN SBI UNDER ST CATEGORY.

Date of Sitting: 18.07.2018

List of officers present in sitting is Annexed.

The National Commission for Scheduled Tribes received a representation dated nil from Shri Amol Bhojane, S/o Shri Dulaji Bhojane, 3/2, Chavan Bhosale Chowl, Bhatwadi, Ghatkopar West, Mumbai (Maharashtra) regarding caste certificate of candidate appointed in SBI under ST category. He has submitted the following:

- a. There was one ST vacancy for the post of Tester (MMGS-II) in SBI. He along with one another ST candidate appeared for personal interview for the said post on 07.03.2017. At the time of document verification, he has submitted all requisite documents along with caste certificate to the SBI Management. However, another ST candidate did not submit caste certificate.
- b. The SBI selected another ST candidate despite non submission of ST certificate and the SBI Management has issued appointment letter to him.
- c. He sought information through RTI about the selection of another ST candidate and also sought validity of ST caste certificate of the selected candidate.
- d. The SBI Management did not provide all information including ST caste certificate of the selected candidates.
- e. It was clearly mentioned in the advertisement that "caste certificate issued by the Competent Authority on format prescribed by the Government of India will have to be submitted by the SC/ST candidates, if called for interview". Inspite of it SBI took undertaking from him at the time of interview and allow him to take interview. SBI is yet to verify the caste certificate of the candidate. It has been more than 9 months and caste certificate verification is still pending from SBI.
- 2. The NCST vide its letter dated 18.05.2018 sought report from the SBI. Thereafter, the SBI vide its letter dated 05.05.2016 has submitted a report intimating that the selected ST candidate has submitted his caste certificate at the time of joining in the Bank on 10.07.2017. As per existing instructions of the Bank the caste certificate of the selected ST candidates was sent to the District Magistrate, Muzaffarpur, Bihar on 07.10.2017. However, verification report is still awaited. A reminder was also issued on 17.02.2018.

Smt. Marya Chintamn Ivnate

Member

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- 3. As the report was found unsatisfactory, therefore, the Hon'ble Member (Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate) has fixed a Sitting on 18.07.2018 in the Commission. Accordingly, the General Manager, SBI and the petitioner concerned appeared.
- 4. During the Sitting the petitioner informed the Commission that the selected candidate does not belong to ST category as he has not submitted his caste certificate at the time of interview. In addition, after passing of more than one year, the Bank authority has failed to authenticate the ST caste certificate of selected candidates. The Bank has also not provided the ST caste certificate and other details of the selected candidates. No waiting list has also prepared by the Bank, in case the ST caste certificate of the selected candidates found to be fake. He is at SI. No. 2 in the merit list after the selected candidate.
- 5. The SBI was stated that at the time of interview, the Bank has taken an undertaking to submit caste certificate at the time of joining. Accordingly, on selection, the selected ST candidate has submitted his caste certificate at the time of joining in the Bank on 10.07.2017. As per existing instructions, the caste certificate of the selected ST candidates was sent for verification to the caste certificate issuing authority i.e. District Magistrate, Muzaffarpur on 07.10.2017. However, verification report is awaited. The Bank has also issued reminders. A Senior Officer from the Bank side has also designated to expedite the matter. No waiting list has been prepared as there is no provision in the Bank.
- 6. The case was discussed in detail. The Commission has observed that after passing of about one year, the Bank has failed to verify the ST caste certificate of selected candidate. In addition, the Bank has not prepared a waiting list, in case ST caste certificate of the selected candidate is found to be fake.
- 7. The Commission therefore, recommends that the Bank should expedite the matter relating to caste verification of selected ST candidate with the concerned District Administration by deputing one Senior Officer from the Bank side. The Bank should form a waiting list for the post of Tester, so that the petitioner could get appointment in place of selected candidate, if the ST caste certificate of the selected candidate is found to be fake. The penalty proceedings and criminal proceedings against the selected ST candidate may also be initiated. A copy of minutes of this Sitting should be forwarded to District Magistrate, Muzaffarpur who is requested to expedite verification report in the instant case.

8. An action taken report should be submitted before the Commission within 30 days.

Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate

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Annexure

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List of participants

NCST

- 1. Smt. Maya Chintamn Ivnate, Hon'ble Member (In chair)
- 2. Shri P.T. Jameskutty, Deputy Secretary
- 3. Shri Y.K. Bansal, Research Officer
- 4. Shri Sudhir Atram, PS to Hon'ble Member
- 5. Shri H.R. Meena, Sr. Investigator

Officers of State Bank of India

- 1. Shri Sunil Kr. Bhandari, General Manager ITOPS, GITC CBD, Belapur
- 2. Shri Raj Ignace Bara, AGM-HR, GITC, Belapur

Petitioner

- 1. Shri Amol D. Bhojane
- 2. Shri Dulaji T. Bhojane