

# भारत सरकार Government of India

## राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

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

File No. MC/2/2018/STGHP/SEOTH/RU-I

Dated: 25/09/2019

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To,

 The Chairman-cum Managing Director, PCI Limited, Prime Tower, 287-288, UdyogVihar Phase-II, Gurgaon (Haryana)- 122015 The Principal Secretary,
Department of Power,
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh,
Shimla, (Himachal Pradesh)
(Tel: 0177-2624538)

Sub: Representation dated 06.10.2018 of Shri Milap Chand, S/o Shri Prithvi Chand, Village- Badsar, Post- Jiya, Tehsil- Palampur, District- Kangra (Himachal Pradesh) regarding harassment by the PCI Ltd Company New Delhi.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above and to enclose a copy of the minutes of Sitting held in the Headquarters of National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on 11/09/2019 at 12:00 Noon under the Chairmanship of Shri H.C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes in the matter.

It is, requested that action taken on the suggestions / recommendations of the Commission may please be sent to the NCST at the earliest.

Yours faithfully

(Rajeshwar Kumar/ राजेश्वर कुमार) Assistant Director/ सहायक निवेशक

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Shri Milap Chand, S/o Shri Prithvi Chand, Village-Badsar, Post- Jiya, Tehsil- Palampur, District- Kangra, (Himachal Pradesh) (Mob: 9816469918)

Copy for information to:

1. PS to Hon'ble HCV, NCST
NIC (for hosting on Commission's website).

# Government of India National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

Minutes of sitting held in the NCST's Headquarters on 11/09/2019 at 12:00 Noon (which was held on 02.00 PM) under the Chairmanship of Shri H.C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the case of Shri Milap Chand (S/o Shri Prithvi Chand, Village- Badsar, Post- Jiya, Tehsil- Palampur, District- Kangra (Himachal Pradesh) regarding harassment by the PCI Ltd Company New Delhi.

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List of participants is annexed.

Shri Milap Chand (Village- Badsar, Post- Jiya, Tehsil- Palampur, District- Kangra (Himachal Pradesh) vide representation dated 06.10.2018 has stated there was an agreement between him and PCI Ltd, Gurugram for construction of 33/11 KV, 2×1.6 MVA Sub-station at Darang near Palampur (Himachal Pradesh) in December, 2012. This contract was awarded to PCI Ltd by the Himachal Pradesh State Electricity Board Limited (HPSEBL). This work was sublet to him by the PCI Ltd. The PCI Ltd harassing him from time to time and near about an amount Rs. 10 lakhs not released, being Scheduled Tribe he requested the Commission for justice.

This issue was discussed in the sitting(s) held on 05.03.2019, 03.05.2019 and 09.07.2019 under the Chairmanship of Miss Anusuiya Uikey, (the then Hon'ble VC, NCST) in the Lok Nayak Bhawan at New Delhi. Minutes of sitting were circulated on 23.07.2019 to Chairman-cum Managing Director, PCI Ltd and Principal Secretary, Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for furnishing the action taken report on the recommendations of the sitting. Response from the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh was not received. Hon'ble Member fixed the sitting for 11.09.2019 at 12.00 Noon to discuss the matter with concerned authorities and the petitioner. The sitting notice was issued on 29.08.2019.

In response to sitting notice, the PCI Ltd, New Delhi vide letter dated 05.09.2019 had intimated that the concerned person, who attending the sitting in the matter will be out of station on 11.09.2019 and requested to grant another date for presenting the case before the Commission. The response was not received from the Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

हर्षवधाई प्राथमित श्री चार्यात्रीय श्री जनकारित आयोग राजीय National ा जनकारित आयोग ा for Scheduled Tribes Govt. of India In the sitting dated 11.09.2019, the Assistant Engineer, HPSEBL, Palampur appeared before the Commission without authorization letter and report on the action taken by the Department of Power in the matter. No one was appeared from the PCI Ltd. The petitioner was present in the sitting.

The Hon'ble Member asked the petitioner to explain the action taken by the PCI Ltd and the Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh. Petitioner informed that the PCI Ltd has not settle the case and not paid the balance amount. The Hon'ble Member asked the representative of Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh to explain the action taken by them on the recommendations of the last sitting of the Commission. The representative of Department of Power, provide a copy of the letter dated 31.08.2019 of Sr. Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, HPSEBL, Palampur addressed to Superintending Engineer, Operation Circle, HPSEBL, Kangra regarding approval of final deviation statement item wise quantity and amount in augmentation of 33/11 KV 1x1 to 2x1.6 MVA Un-manned Sub-Station Darang which was not visible.

After detailed discussions with the representative of Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh and the petitioner, the Hon'ble Member recommended that the following points be considered by the HPSEBL, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, PCI Ltd and petitioner to resolve the issue within the one month.

- The Department of Power, Government of Himachal Pradesh (HPSEBL) should assess the works undertaken by the PCI Ltd and also assess the additional work completed by Shri Milap Chand on behalf of PCI Ltd on the said site.
- 2. Fresh copy of the communication as provided by the representative of Department of Power, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh may be sent to the Commission.
- 2. The Department of Power, Government of Himachal Pradesh (HPSEBL) was advised that the balance amount of PCI Ltd may not be released until the PCI Ltd not settled the case/ released the balance amount to Shri Milap Chand.

हर्षदशाई वसावा/Harshadbhai Vasava सहस्य/Member राज्दीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग National Commission for Scheduled Tribes पारत सरकार/Govt. of India

- 3. The petitioner was advised that a statement indicating the total amount incurred by him on the project, amount received from PCI Ltd and balance amount to be released by PCI Ltd, be sent to the PCI Ltd under intimation to the HPSEBL and the NCST.
- 4. PCI Ltd should settle the case in consultation with the HPSEBL Ltd and the petitioner at the earliest, failing which it will be presumed that the PCI Ltd deliberately wants to not settle the case.

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## I National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

 Shri H.C. Vasava, Hon'ble Member In Chair

- 2. Dr. Lalit Latta, Director
- 3. Shri Rajeshwar Kumar, Assistant Director
- 4. Shri R. S. Misra, Senior Investigator

### II Officers of Govt. of Himachal Pradesh

Shri Rajiv Sharma, A.E, (Electrical) Sub- Division Maranda

III Officers of PCI Ltd, Gurugram

Nil

IV <u>Petitioner</u>

Shri Milap Chand