

## राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

(भारत के संविधान के अनुच्छेद 338क के अंतर्गत एक संवैधानिक निकाय) (A constitutional body under Article 338A of the Constitution of India)

File No. KZ/1/2019/MPAF1/SEOTH/RU-I (SSW)

Dated: 12.08.2024

То,

The Secretary,
 Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
 Shastri Bhawan
 New Delhi-110001

The Secretary
 Department of Legal Affairs
 Shastri Bhawan,
 New Delhi-110001.

Sub: Representation dated 25.03.2019 of Shri Khakhai Zou, Additional Director, Lok Sabha Secretariat, regarding restore of his original seniority in service.

Ref:- (i) Ministry of Tribal Affairs letter no. 20025/30/2022-NCST dated 30.05.2024.
 (ii) Department of Legal Affairs E.O No. 441186/A/22 (Computer no. 57793) dated 27.05.2022.

महोदय / महोदया .

I am directed to refer to Ministry of Tribal Affairs' letter no. 20025/30/2022-NCST dated 30.05.2024 and Department of Legal Affairs E.O No. 441186/A/22 (Computer no. 57793) dated 27.05.2022 on the subject cited above. It is mentioned that the M/o Tribal Affairs has requested the D/o Legal Affairs for considered legal opinion in the above case. The legal opinion given by D/o Legal Affairs in the matter has not been received in the Commission. Thereafter, the NCST vide letter of even no. dated 11.07.2022 followed by various reminders has requested the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for furnishing the present position of the case and legal opinion given by D/o Legal Affairs in the matter. The Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide aforementioned letter dated 30.05.2024 has stated that a meeting to be convened by the DoLA with NCST and the Lok Sabha Secretariat to resolve the matter.

- 2. The NCST in its 153<sup>rd</sup> meeting held on 24.06.2024 has considered the issue as agenda item 153.10 (point 4) and decided to call the Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs and Secretary, Ministry of Tribal Affairs in this regard.
- 3. As per decision taken in the meeting, the Hon'ble Chairperson, NCST has decided to discuss the matter with the Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs and Secretary, Ministry of Tribal Affairs on 04.09.2024 at 11:45 AM, NCST Conference Hall, 6th Floor, B wing, Lok Nayak Bhawan, Khan Market, New Delhi.
- 4. It is therefore, requested to make it convenient to attend the meeting, as scheduled above. A line of confirmation for attending the same may please be sent to NCST.

Yours faithfully,

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