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**राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग**  
**National Commission for Scheduled Tribes**

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

F.No. NCST/DEV-1473/TS/5/2023-ESDW(RU-III)

24.03.2025

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**Sub: Representation by Uke Ashirvadam, Jagannadhapuram, Sathupalli, Khammam, Telangana dated 19.02.2023 regarding payment of less than promised amount of compensation for a land acquired for coal mining activities.**

Mam/Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the minutes of the sitting held under the Chairmanship of Shri Jathothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) on 07.01.2025 at NCST, 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,

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2. PS to Hon'ble Member (Shri Jathothu Hussain), NCST.
3. NIC, NCST for uploading on the website of the Commission

**NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES**  
**(F. NO. NCST/DEV-1473/TS/5/2023-ESDW)**

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 Smt. Uke Ashirwadham and others, residents of Jagannadhapuram Village, Bhadradi Kothagudem District regarding payment of less than promised amount of compensation for a acquired land.

**Date of the sitting: 07/01/2025, 12:00 Noon**  
**Participants in the Sitting - As per Annexure**


In the representation dated 19.02.2023, Smt. Uke Ashirwadham and others, residents of Jagannadhapuram Village, Bhadradi Kothagudem District, submitted that the Singareni Collieries Company and the District Administration, India, failed to fulfill promises made during land acquisition. The petitioners were forcefully evacuated and provided only ₹7,61,000 instead of the promised ₹11,64,000. Compensation for the affected individuals was not given in accordance with the Rehabilitation and Resettlement (R&R) package. Although employment was guaranteed for one member of each household, only three families received such opportunities. Moreover, Kistaram Village received higher compensation for agricultural land and eucalyptus plantations than the petitioners. Additionally, the promised infrastructure—such as schools, community halls, temples, roads, and a burial ground—remains undeveloped. An inquiry is urgently needed to ensure justice for all affected individuals.

2. During sitting on 30.06.2023, the petitioners highlighted ongoing neglect and insufficient measures, while the company claimed partial compliance through phased development at the R&R centre and skill-based employment opportunities, shifting responsibility to the district administration for unresolved grievances. After discussion in the sitting, the following recommendations were made.

- The Managing Director of Singareni Collieries Company Limited, will constitute a team comprising senior authorities to visit the site and assess the ground situation. Based on the observations, the team will work towards resolving the issue and submit a report within 30 days.
- The Managing Director of Singareni Collieries Company Limited, shall ensure that permanent school building, a function hall, Anganwadi building; temple and roads within 6 months.
- The Managing Director of Singareni Collieries Company Limited, will co-ordinate with the District collector on all the issues raised by the petitioners and send the compliance report within 30days.
- The Managing Director of Singareni Collieries Company Limited, shall provide a copy of the R&R (Resettlement and Rehabilitation) policy to the Commission within 7 days."

3. The SCCL vide letter dated 29.12.2023 has furnished the action taken report on the recommendations made in the sitting on 30.06.2023. NCST again decided to discuss the issue with the authorities on 07.01.2025. Accordingly, a Sitting Notice was sent on 30.12.2024 to all concerned.

4. The Collector, Khammam vide letter no. G/275/2018 dated 4.1.2025 has furnished the facts and comments and deputed RDO, Kalluru to attend the sitting on behalf of Chief Commissioner of Land Administration (CCLA), Hyderabad. In the letter, it has been informed that the PDF s have filed WP no. 2000 of 2021 before the Hon'ble High Court challenging the R&R entitlements and the same is pending before the Hon'ble High Court. It was also informed that the matter relates with the Commissioner, R&R, Hyderabad and not pertaining to CCLA. The above officer and FRO, Sathupally and petitioner were present in the sitting.

  
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5. After hearing to both the parties, the following recommendations are made by NCST

- The variation in payment of compensation to the Tribals of Jagannadhapuram , Koya Tribal village and Kistaram, Non Tribal village ie, Rs.4.03 lakhs/acre and the variation in the compensation for the standing crop of Eukalyptus crop ie, Rs.5 lakh per acre as given to Non Tribals may be provided to the displaced STs immediately.
- Necessary forest clearances for the road access to be immediately given and access road may be laid to the fields of Tribals
- The minimum basic amenities and the Ramalayam, peddamatali Gudi, Function hall, Grave yard to be completed as per the rehabilitation plan immediately.
- All those who have attained 18 years of age in between the notification cut off date, date of vacating the village and the survey may be considered for the compensation package.
- The ST Youth intrested in Driving may be given training as Drivers for Dumpers/Tippers engaged by the SCCL as one adult member of each affected family shall be given employment as per R&R Policy.

ATR may be submitted to NCST with (30) days of receipt of the Minutes.

(Jatothu Hussain)

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List of participants of the sitting held on 07.01.2025 at 14:20 PM under the chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST in the case of Shri Uke Ashirvadam, Telangana, regarding payment of less compensation for a land acquired for coal mining activities

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6.			
II	<u>Govt. of Telangana</u>		
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