



NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES

**Review of working of various safeguards and programmes for
development of Scheduled Tribes at State Level**

(For the States of Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha and Rajasthan having Scheduled Areas declared under Fifth Schedule)

Name of the State:

A. General

- (i) Name and address of the Nodal Department dealing with matters relating to Scheduled Tribes in the State:
- (ii) Name and Contact details of Principal Secretary/ Secretary In charge of Nodal department:
Name and Designation:
Address:
Telephone & Fax No.:
Mobile No.:
E-mail ID:
- (iii) Contact details of the Officer nominated as Nodal Officer/Liaison Officer for Scheduled Tribes other than Principal Secretary/ Secretary designated to furnish information to the NCST:
Name and Designation:
Address:
Telephone & Fax No.:
Mobile No.:
E-mail ID:
- (iv) Last Review by National Commission for Scheduled Tribes held on
- v) Action taken report on the recommendations of the NCST sent on(Pl enclose a copy).

B. Demography

(i) Population distribution (As per 2011 Census)

	Total population (in lakhs)				Scheduled Tribe population (in lakhs)				%age of ST to total population		
	Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female
Rural											
Urban											
Total											

(ii) Literacy Rate (As per 2011 Census)

	Literacy among All population (in % age)				Literacy among Scheduled Tribe population (in % age)				Literacy among Non-ST population (in % age)		
	Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female
Rural											
Urban											
Total											

(iii) Literacy Growth

	Literacy among All population (in % age)				Literacy among Scheduled Tribe population (in % age)				Literacy among Non-ST population (in % age)		
	Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female		Persons	Male	Female
2001											
2011											
Inter-Census change											

(iv) Economic Status $\frac{1}{4}$ BPL families)

{As per Survey (Specify.....dated)}

	All population				Scheduled Tribe population			
	Total population	Total families	No. of families below poverty line	%age of BPL to total families	Total population	Total families	No. Of families below poverty line	% age of BPL to total families
Rural								
Urban								
Total								

(v) Please furnish details of persons seeking employment-Latest Enrolment at Employment Exchange as on _____

	All population				Scheduled Tribe population			
	Skilled	Upto Matric	Graduates		Skilled	Upto Matric	Graduates	Professionals
Rural								
Urban								
Total								

C. Verification of claims of genuiness of Scheduled Tribe certificates

(i) For those in jobs/employment

- Please furnish the number of claims checked and the list of claims actually found false/ fake at the time of recruitment and the action taken in each case during last three years.
- Please furnish list of claims found false/fake at the time of promotion and the action taken in each case during last three years.
- Please furnish list of cases in which ST candidates were found in-eligible for promotion as ST candidates due to deletion of their community from ST list, during last three years.
- Please furnish details of employees against whom complaints were received during service for obtaining employment as ST candidates on false/ fake/ fraudulent basis during last three years and the action taken (investigation made) in each case including the final disposal/ decision taken by the competent authority/ disciplinary authority in the event of the complaint having been found true.

(ii) For Education

- Please furnish the number of claims checked and the list of claims actually found false/ fake at the time of admission during the last three academic years and the action taken in each case.
- Please furnish details of students against whom complaints were received during the course of study for having got admission as ST candidates on false/ fake/ fraudulent basis, or as ineligible candidate, during last three academic years, the action taken (investigation made) in each case and the final disposal of case/ decision taken by the competent authority/ disciplinary authority in the event of the complaint having been found true.

- Please state whether State Government have enacted any Legislation/ Regulation to implement the Supreme Court directions, for checking cases of false claims by ineligible candidates as Scheduled Tribes on the basis of fake/ fraudulently obtained caste/tribe certificates or invalid caste/tribe certificates/ belonging to other State, issued in the well known Madhuri Patil case in 1994.

D. Development of Scheduled Tribes—Scheduled Tribes Component / Scheduled Areas in the State and Quantification of funds

(i) Scheduled Tribes habitations

Please furnish statement showing ST community- wise population in the areas:
(Please attach a statement, if necessary)

S.no.	Name of ST community	Population	% age to total ST popn.	Districts inhabited	Remarks

(ii) Whether the State is having :

Tribal Sub-Plan / STC areas:

Yes / No

If yes, Please furnish district-wise details of Geographical Area, Total population and ST population in Tribal Sub-Plan / STC areas in the State

(Please attach a statement if necessary)

(iii) Scheduled Areas under the Fifth Schedule :

(a) List of Scheduled Areas:

(b) Please furnish details of the Tribal Advisory Council (TAC) constituted in the State and coverage of the ST populations under the same.

(c) Date when TAC meeting was last held (Please attach copy of Minutes).

(iv) In case there are Tribal Sub-Plan /STC areas in the State, please furnish geographical and demographic details of areas under each

(a) ITDP/ITDA

(b) MADA Pocket

(c) Cluster of tribal concentration in the State

(Please attach a statement if necessary)

- (v) **Whether Tribal Sub-Plan/ STC was being formulated along with Annual Plan of the State. Yes/ No.**

If yes, Since when. If not, the reasons thereof.

- (vi) **The Departments implementing the STC in the State** (Pl. attach the list)
- (vii) **How many Departments have quantified funds for Tribal Sub-Plan / STC during the FY 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23? Please give details.**
- (viii) **Please furnish reasons for some of the Departments not earmarking funds under Tribal Sub-Plan / STC**
- (xi) **Utilisation of funds under Tribal Sub-Plan / STC from State Plan**

Please furnish details of Tribal Sub-Plan / STC allocation and expenditure in the last three years. (Rs. In Crores)

Period	Total State Plan allocation	Allocation under TSP	% age of TSP to total allocation	Expr. Under TSP	% age of expr. to allocation under TSP
2020-21					
2021-22					
2022- 23					

- (x) **Utilisation of Grants under Special Central Assistance for Tribal Sub-Plan released by Government of India**

- (a) Please furnish details of allocation and expenditure under SCA for Tribal Sub-Plan in the last three years (Rs. In Crores)

Period	Total SCA allocation	SCA actually received from Gol	SCA utilised during the period	% age utilisation	Remarks
2020-21					
2021-22					
2022- 23					

- (b) Please furnish project/ Scheme-wise utilisation of SCA funds during the last three years

- (xii) **Utilisation of funds received as grants under first proviso to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution (Rs. In Crores)**

Please furnish details of allocation and utilisation of funds released under Art. 275(1) of the Constitution during last three years.

Period	Total SCA allocation	SCA actually received from Gol	SCA utilised during the period	% age utilisation	Remarks
2020-21					
2021-22					
2022- 23					

Please furnish Project/ Scheme-wise utilisation of funds received under Art. 275(1) of the Constitution during last three years

(xiii) Please furnish the following in detail:

- ¹/₄a) Specific needs and issues concerning Scheduled Tribe communities or problems faced by Scheduled Tribes in the State and the measures taken up or proposed to be taken up by the Government for overcoming those issues and problems.
- ¹/₄b) Specific needs and issues in relation to those concerning Scheduled Tribes in the Scheduled Areas in the State and the measures taken up or proposed to be taken up by the Government for overcoming those issues and problems.
- (c) What is the role played by voluntary organizations/agencies in disseminating information and implementation of programmes for development of Scheduled Tribes in the State? What steps have been taken for their effective engagement for the development of Scheduled Tribes?
- (d) What are the Special schemes undertaken for development of agriculture, minor irrigation and soil conservation, horticulture, animal husbandry, pottery and fisheries which if taken up intensively would have greater impact on socio-economic development of Scheduled Tribes and multiply their income ?
- (e) What has been the impact of the anti-poverty and employment generation schemes/ programmes in the State as a whole and flow of benefits to the STs in the State during the last three years?

F. Education

- (i) What is the teacher-pupil ratio and vacancy % of teacher and dropout rate in schools located in ITDPs/ITDAs and MADA cluster areas vis-à-vis in other parts of the State in the following statement?

Sl. No.	Item	School level	State level figures for all schools	Eklavya Model Residential Schools	Schools (other than ERMS) run by State tribal Welfare Deptt.	All the Schools in ITDP/ITDA/ MADA Districts other than those run by TW Deptt.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Teacher-pupil ratio	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				
2.	Teacher vacancy percentage	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				
3.	Average Drop-out Rate (Boys).	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				
4.	Average Drop-out Rate (Girls).	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				
5	Pass percentage (Boys)	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				
6	Pass Percentage (Girls)	Primary				
		Middle				
		Secondary				

- (ii) Please give details of the number of seats reserved for STs in professional (Other than Central/ National) Institutes and number actually filled and the result during last three years in the following Table:-

Year	Number of seats reserved for STs		Number of seats filled by ST candidates		Pass percentage (among Scheduled Tribes) in the final exam held at the end of the year	
	Professional Courses	Others	Professional Courses	Others	Professional Courses	Others
2020-21						
2021-22						
2022- 23						

- (iii) Are any concessions given to STs to fill the reserved seats? if yes, what type of concessions?
- (iv) What are the scholarship schemes for tribal students at school, graduation and post graduation levels? Please give details including number of beneficiaries separately for each category during last three years.
- (v) Whether pockets of ST concentration where the literacy percentage of the ST women is less than 10 per cent have been identified? If so, furnish details and action taken to improve literacy during last three years.
- (vi) Details of Special Coaching/Trainings organized and the results of special steps taken for the benefit of Scheduled Tribes?
- (vii) The rates of Scholarships/stipends (including details of income ceiling of parents) provided to the students at pre-matric and post-matric levels may be indicated and financial and physical targets and achievements during each financial year from 2018-19 to 2021-22.

Hostels

- (viii) How many hostels have been set up for students in schools and colleges in the State?
What is the seat capacity of the hostels?
What is the number of seats earmarked for ST students?
- (ix) Are there any hostels set up exclusively for ST boys/ girls?
If yes, please furnish the total number of hostels and seat capacity?
- (x) Has any assistance been obtained from the Ministry of Tribal Affairs under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the construction of hostels for ST Boys and ST Girls respectively? If yes, furnish details about grants received, expenditure incurred and seat capacity created during last five years.
- (xi) What are the stipends payable to the boarders in the hostels?

G. Health & Nutrition

- (i) Please furnish Districts/ITDP-wise status of health facility (District Hospital/ CHC/PHC/Sub-Centre/Dispensaries), availability of Doctors (general and Specialists), para-medical staff, other trained personnel, beds and medicines etc. in the Tribal Sub-Plan/Scheduled Areas and other areas of tribal concentrations.
- (ii) How many tribal villages/ habitations in the State and in Scheduled Areas, (if any) have no drinking water sources? What efforts have been taken by the State Government to provide safe drinking water in those villages/ habitations?
- (iii) What is the Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) and Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR) among Tribals in the State as against average level in the State?

H. Housing

- (i) Please furnish the information in the following table regarding allotment of houses/house sites to STs:

Year	Total No. of houses/house sites allotted by the State Govt.	Number of houses/house sites allotted to STs[out of the figure given in column (2)]	Percentage of ST allottees to total allottees	Whether the figure given in column (3) compares with ST population %age of the State
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
2020-21				
2021-22				
2022- 23				

- (ii) Please furnish the information in the following Table with respect to Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana –Gramin (PMAY-G):

Year	Total No. of beneficiaries under the Schemes	Total amount (Rs. in lakhs) utilized for all beneficiaries	No. of beneficiaries belonging to Scheduled Tribes [out of the figure given in column(2)]	Total amount (Rs. in lakhs) utilized for Scheduled Tribes.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
2020-21				
2021-22				
2022- 23				

I. Land

(i) Land allotment and Land alienation

- (a) Please furnish details of size-wise irrigated or non-irrigated land allotted to the poor Scheduled Tribes during last three years.
- (b) What legislative and executive measures have been taken to check alienation of land belonging to STs.
- (c) How many land alienation cases have been detected each year during the last three years?
- (d) How many cases have been disposed off so far?

(ii) Land Acquisition for major projects- The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act,2013

- (a) What is the policy of the State Government to rehabilitate people particularly those belonging to STs in the event of acquisition of their land for development purposes?
- (b) Is the State policy in consonance with the provisions of The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act,2013?
- (c) Please furnish details of the major projects for which Land Acquisition process were initiated in 2013 and onwards, total size of land to be acquired, total number of total and ST families affected and those actually displaced due to acquisition, Compensation granted or proposed to be granted and rehabilitation and resettlement process sanctioned and actually granted to each family.
- (d) Please furnish details if some issues relating to Land Acquisition are still pending and project affected persons are agitating either against acquisition or against level of compensation, rehabilitation and resettlement?

J. Development of Forest Villages and Forest Rights

- (i) How many forest villages are there in the State?
- (ii) Please give the number of Scheduled Tribes population in these villages.
- (iii) What are the schemes being implemented to provide basic amenities such as roads/electricity/drinking water etc. in these villages?

(iv) What is the progress of settlement of tribals under Forest Rights Act, 2006?

(As on)

Type of Rights Recognized	Received	Approved	Distributed	Rejected	Pending
Individual Forest Rights					
Community Rights					
Community Forest Resources Rights					
Total					

(v) Has any review been made in respect of claims rejected at various levels, if so progress thereof?

Marketing

- Please state what institutional arrangement have been made to regulate the marketing of produce (agricultural, timber, non-timber and other produce) collected by STs from reserved forest and forest under occupation of STs?
- What are the suggestions to improve functioning of State institutions engaged in collection and marketing of minor forest produce, agricultural and other produce?

Training

What are the types of training facilities provided to Scheduled Tribes in the following fields? Please furnish details separately.

- Agriculture.
- Minor forest produce collection & marketing.
- Co-operative ventures.
- Dairying & animal husbandry.
- Artisanship.
- Weaving, etc.
- Automotive.
- Manual Typewriting and Shorthand and Computer typing.
- Electronic gadgets maintenance.
- Computer maintenance.
- Para-medical.
- Others (Specify).

K. Atrocities

- (I) Please state the details of cases of atrocities perpetrated on STs during the last 3 years under various provision of IPC and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989 and their disposal by police in the following format given below:-

Disposal by police:

Year	No. of cases brought forward	No. of cases registered during the year	Total No. of cases	No. challanned and sent to Court	No. closed after investigation	No. of cases pending for investigation	Remarks
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2020-21							
2021-22							
2022-23							

- (II) **Whether Special Courts have been set up?**

If Yes, please furnish the details:

Disposal by Courts:

Year	No. of cases			No. of cases decided and ended in			Total No. of cases pending for trial
	Brought forward	Received	Total	Conviction	Acquitted	Total	
2020-21							
2021-22							
2022-23							

If No, please furnish the reasons for not setting up.

- (III) Please state the details of contingency plan prepared by the State/UT as per provision contained in the SCs & the STs (POA) Rules, 1995 and 2016.
- (IV) Please state the various steps taken/proposed to be taken to prevent recurrence of such crimes and the institutional mechanism set up at the State, District and local levels to deal with crimes against STs.
- (V) Please state the details of special Cell set up at State Hqr. to deal and monitor atrocity cases more effectively.
- (VI) Please state the detail of Special Courts set up under the provision Section 14 of the SCs and STs (POA) Act, 1989.
- (VII) Please state the detail of Special Public Prosecutor in the State/UT appointed/designated under the provision of Section 15 of the SCs & STs (POA) Act, 1989.
- (VIII) Please furnish details of monetary relief provided to STs victims of atrocities during each year from 2018 to 2022.

L. Service Safeguards

- (i) What is the quota of reservation in various services for Scheduled Tribes in the State:
- (a) In direct recruitment: Group A, Group B, Group C and Group D.
- (b) In promotion: Group A, Group B and Group C.

- (ii) What are the concessions/relaxations given to ST candidates in direct recruitment?
- (iii) What are the concessions/ relaxations being given to ST Officers in promotion?
- (iv) What are the checks devised to ensure that the reservations made in favour of STs are actually implemented?
- (v) Are there instances where persons have obtained employment under the State Govt. on the basis of false caste certificates?

If so, indicate the number of such cases brought to the notice of State Govt. And action taken therein.

Also indicate the steps taken to avoid recurrence of such cases.

- (vi) Has the State/UT set up any Committee for scrutiny of false ST certificates? If so, please indicate the composition of the Committee and the details of cases dealt in last three years in the following Table:

S. No.		2020-21	2021-22	Current Year 2022-23
1.	No. of complaints received (incl. pending from previous year)			
2.	No. of complaint sent to District Vigilance Cell for enquiry			
3.	No. of enquiry report received from District			
4.	No. of cases finalized during the year			
5.	No. of cases pending at the end of the year			

- (vi) What is the procedure followed by the State Govt. for dereservation of vacancies reserved for Scheduled Tribes?
- (vii) What has been the quantum of dereservation of vacancies proposed and number agreed for dereservation in last three years?
- (viii) What were the general/ most common grounds for de-reservation?
- (ix) Is there shortfall/ backlog in filling up ST reserved post. Please give reasons for the shortfall/backlog and the efforts taken by the Government to fill up the vacancies.
- (x) What are the mechanisms devised for the prompt redress of grievances of ST employees at various levels.
- (xi) Please furnish the following information regarding representation of STs in State Services. Similar information may be furnished in respect of State PSUs.

(As on 02.07.1997 or the date from which Post-Based rosters were actually notified to be implemented):

Group of Posts	Total No. of Employees	No. of ST Employees	Percentage	Remarks
Group A (other than lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group A (lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group B				
Group C				
Group D (Other than sweepers)				
Sweepers				

(As on 01/01/2014)

Group of Posts	Total No. of Employees	No. of ST Employees	Percentage	Remarks
Group A (other than lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group A (lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group B				
Group C				
Group D (Other than sweepers)				
Sweepers				

(As on 01/01/2022)

Group of Posts	Total No. of Employees	No. of ST Employees	Percentage	Remarks
Group A (other than lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group A (lowest rung of Group 'A')				
Group B				
Group C				
Group D (Other than sweepers)				
Sweepers				

- (xii) Has the State promulgated any Act governing the reservation for STs in services/Posts? If so, a copy of Act along with up-to-date set of amendments and other related instructions/ orders may be furnished?

M. National Food Security Act:-

- (i) What is the total number of cards issued in the State under NFSA and percentage of cards issued for ST persons? (State & district-wise figures may be given)
- (ii) What criteria have been adopted for inclusion of ST beneficiaries under NFSA by the State Government?
- (iii) Whether ST beneficiaries have been given preference for inclusion under Antodaya Anna Yojana (AAY)? (details to be furnished)

N. Panchayati Raj Institution

I Local Self Government

- (i) Has the State Government set up Local Self Governments at the District, Block and Village levels in the Scheduled Areas? If so, under which Act? If not, the reason thereof.
- (ii) When was Election to these Local Bodies last held?
- (iii) Please state whether these Local Bodies are currently functioning. If not, the reason thereof.
- (iv) Give details of the power and functions and the subjects delegated to the Local Bodies.
- (v) Please state whether these Local Bodies have been delegated any financial power.
- (vi) Please furnish the amount of funds released to the Local Bodies during 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 (cfy) and the date/month when the funds were released?

II Panchayat Extension in Scheduled Areas (PESA)

Has the State Government framed PESA Rules? If yes, please furnish the following information. If not, the reasons thereof.

- (i) Please furnish district-wise detail about number of Gram Panchayats in the State and the number in the Scheduled Areas in the State.
- (ii) What is the machinery to monitor implementation of provisions under PESA Rules
- (iii) As per PESA Rules every Gram Sabha will hold a meeting at least once in two months. Please furnish details whether some Gram Sabhas are not holding meetings periodically and if so the reasons for such situation. Whether there are incidents where meetings could not be held due to insufficient quorum.

- (iv) Please furnish the details of Gram Sabhas in Scheduled Areas, which do not have a ST person as its Chairman.
- (v) Please furnish the details of Gram Sabhas in Scheduled Areas which have ST woman as its Chairperson.
- (vi) Please furnish details whether, in order to fulfil its responsibilities regarding various aspects of the working of the village, all Gram Sabhas in Scheduled Areas have constituted Committees such as:
 - a. Peace Committee,
 - b. Justice Committee,
 - c. Resource Planning and Management Committee,
 - d. Intoxication Control Committee,
 - e. Debt Control Committee,
 - f. Market Committee,
 - g. Sabha Kosh Committee and
 - h. Others as deemed appropriate by the Gram Sabha
- (vii) Please furnish details of bodies or Committees constituted by any Government Department in the Gram Panchayat areas and whether such Committees are accountable to the concerned Gram Panchayat.
- (viii) Please furnish details about the resources of the Gram Sabha Kosh and the process of utilisation of that Kosh.
- (ix) What is the process of dispute resolution by the Gram Sabha.
- (x) Please explain as to how the Gram Sabha ensures that resources are utilized.
- (xi) Please furnish details of cases received and those decided by the Gram Sabha regarding transfer of land belonging to Scheduled Tribes in the name of non-ST persons.
- (xii) Please give details of the incidents in which Gram Sabhas have opined that any State Legislation is not in consonance with the customary law, social and religious practices and traditional management practices of the community resources, and if so the details of the action taken by the District Administration and the State Government.

O. Others

(a) Governor's Report on Scheduled Areas

- (i) Please state whether the Governor's Report on Scheduled Areas is submitted annually. If not, the reason thereof.
- (ii) When was the Governor's Report on Scheduled areas last submitted. Please furnish copies of the last three reports.

(b) Tribal Research Institute (TRIs)

Please state whether the State Government has set up Tribal Research Institute. If so, give details of the contact person and activities undertaken by the TRI during the last two years.

(c) ST Coop Dev Corpn

Please state whether the State Government has set up ST Cooperative Development Corporation. If so, give details of the contact person and activities undertaken by the Corporation during the last two years.

(d) ST Handicraft Dev Corp

Please state whether the State Government has set up ST Handicraft Development Corporation. If so, give details of the contact person and activities undertaken by the Corporation during the last two years.

(e) Please state whether the State Government has formulated State Tribal Policy. If so, please furnish a copy of the policy.
