

**தமிழ்நாடு அரசு பிற்படுத்தப்பட்டோர் மற்றும் சிறுபான்மையினர் நலத்துறை கடித
எண் 4938/BCC/2004-1 Dt 20/07/2011 ன் படி Creamy Layer க்கு
உட்பட்டவர்களுக்கு OBC சான்று அளிப்பது தவிர்ப்பது மற்றும் அதில்
விதிவிலக்கு விபரங்கள்.**

OBC சான்று யாருக்காக விண்ணப்பிக்கப்படுகிறதோ அவர்களின் பெற்றோர் கீழ்க்கண்டவர்களில் ஒருவராயிருந்தால் அவர்கள் OBC சான்று பெற தகுதி அற்றவர்கள் ஆவர்.

1. இந்திய அரசியலமைப்புப் பதவியில் உள்ளவர்கள்.
2. பெற்றோரில் ஒருவர் (அல்) இருவரும் Class I / Group 'A' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் நியமிக்கப்பட்டிருந்தால்.
3. பெற்றோரில் இருவரும் Class I / Group 'A' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் நியமிக்கப்பட்டும், அதில் ஒருவர் இறந்துவிட்டிருந்தாலும் (அல்) நிரந்தர இயலாமையினால் பாதிக்கப்பட்டிருந்தாலும்.
4. பெற்றோரில் ஒருவர் (அல்) இருவரும் Class I / Group 'A' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் நியமிக்கப்பட்டும், அதில் ஒருவர் இறந்துவிட்டிருந்தாலும் (அல்) நிரந்தர இயலாமையினால் பாதிக்கப்படுவதற்கு முன்பு 5 வருடத்திற்கு மேல் UN, IMF, World Bank போன்ற பன்னாட்டு நிறுவனங்களில் பதவி வகித்திருந்தால்.
5. பெற்றோரில் இருவரும் Class II / Group 'B' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் மத்திய, மாநில அரசுப் பணிகளில் நியமிக்கப்பட்டிருந்தால்.
6. பெற்றோரில் கணவர் மட்டும் Class II / Group 'B' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் நியமிக்கப்பட்டு நாற்பது வயதுக்குள் Class I / Group 'A' அலுவலராக பதவி உயர்வு பெற்றிருந்தால்.
7. பெற்றோரில் இருவரும் Class II / Group 'B' அலுவலராக நேரடி நியமனம் மூலம் நியமிக்கப்பட்டும், அதில் ஒருவர் இறந்துவிட்டிருந்தாலும் (அல்) நிரந்தர இயலாமையினால் பாதிக்கப்படுவதற்கு முன்பு 5 வருடத்திற்கு மேல் UN, IMF, World Bank போன்ற பன்னாட்டு நிறுவனங்களில் பதவி வகித்திருந்தால்.
8. பெற்றோர்களின் வருட வருமானம் ₹ 8 லட்சத்திற்கு மேல் இருந்தால். (சம்பளம் மற்றும் விவசாயம் மூலம் ஈட்டப்படும் வருமானத்தை கணக்கில் எடுத்துக்கொள்ள வேண்டியது இல்லை).
9. மேற்கண்ட விதிகளுக்கு உட்படாத மற்றும் மத்திய, மாநில இதர பிற்படுத்தப்பட்டோர் பட்டியலில் இடம்பெற்றிருக்கும் சாதிகளைச் சார்ந்த அனைவரும் OBC சான்று பெற தகுதியானவர்கள் ஆவர்.



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**BACKWARD CLASSES, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND MINORITIES
WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

Letter No.4923/BCC/2013-1 dt.31.07.2013

From

Dr. K. Arulmozhi, IAS.,
Principal Secretary to Government.

To

The Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Backward Classes Welfare,
Chennai-5.(we)

The Commissioner of Most Backward Classes
and Denotified Communities, Chennai -5(w.e)

The Commissioner of Minorities Welfare, Chennai-2. (we)

The Special Commissioner and
Commissioner for Revenue Administration, Chennai-5. (we)

The Member Secretary,
TamilNadu Backward Classes Commission,
212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. (we)

Sir,

Sub: Reservation for OBCs in Civil Posts and Services under the Govt.of India – Exclusion of creamy layer from the benefit of OBC reservation – Annual income limit for the determination of creamy layer – Enhancement in the income limit – Amendment to the criteria for exclusion of creamy layer communicated in G.O.Ms.No.12, Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes Welfare Department dt.28.3.94 – Issued.

- Ref: 1. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36012/22/94-Estt SCT dt.8.9.93.
2. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Welfare Resolution No.12011/68/93-BCC(c) dt.10.9.93
3. G.O.Ms.No.12, Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes Welfare Department dt.28.3.94.

4. From the Govt.of India, Ministry of Personnel Public Grievances and Pensions O.M.No.36033/3/2004-Estt(Res.) dated 9.3.2004.
5. Government.Lr.No.8209/BCC/2003-7, Backward Classes Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dated 21.5.2004.
6. From the Govt.of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Dept. of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36033/5/2004-Estt.(Res.) dated 14.10.2004.
7. Government. Lr.No. 10829 / BCC / 2004 - 2, Backward Classes Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dated 10.11.2004
8. From the Government of India, Ministry of Human Resources Development, O.M. No. 1-1/2008-U.IA, dated 13.10.2008.
9. From the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Dept. of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36033/3/2004-Estt.(Res.) dated 14.10.2008.
10. Government.Lr.No.11587/BCC/2008-1, Backward Classes Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dated 14.11.2008.
11. From the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Dept. of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36033/1/2013-Estt.(Res.) dated 27.05.2013.
12. From the Government .of India, Ministry of Human Resources Department, O.M.No.11-13/2012-U, Policy, dated 31.05.2013.

The Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) in their office Memorandum first cited have issued orders, reserving 27% of the vacancies in civil posts and services under the Government of India for Other Backward Classes. They have also prescribed certain criteria in the said Office Memorandum for the exclusion of creamy layer (advanced persons / sections) from the benefit of reservation for Other Backward Classes in respect of Central Services. In the criteria prescribed for exclusion of creamy layer, among other things, the Government of India have ordered that sons and daughters of persons having gross annual income of Rs.1.00 lakh or above for a period of

three consecutive years fall within the creamy layer and are not entitled to get the benefit of reservation available to Other Backward Classes. The Government of India, Ministry of Welfare, in their resolution second cited, have notified the list of Other Backward Classes for the purpose of availing 27% reservation under Central Services. The Government, in their order third cited, have communicated the list of Other Backward Classes for the State of Tamil Nadu notified by Government of India, criteria for removal of creamy layer from the benefit of 27% reservation for Other Backward Classes in civil posts and services under Government of India etc. to the Collectors, Heads of Departments and all certificate issuing authorities. Subsequently, the Government of India- Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions in their O.M. fourth cited have revised the annual income ceiling for the exclusion of creamy layer from Rs.1.00 lakh to Rs2.50 lakh and the same has been communicated to all concerned in the Government letter 5th cited. The 27% reservation for Other Backward Classes has been extended to the educational institutions under the control of Government of India and the concept of creamy layer was followed in the same manner as in the case of appointments.

2. The Government of India, Ministry of Human Resources Development, Department of Higher Education, in their Office Memorandum 8th cited, has stated that the recommendation of National Commission for Backward Classes was accepted and the annual income limit for determining the creamy layer among Other Backward Classes has been revised from Rs.2.50 lakh to Rs.4.50 lakh in respect of admission into Central Educational institutions and the Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) in their O.M. 9th cited has reported that the Government of India has decided to raise the income limit from Rs.2.50 lakh to Rs.4.50 lakh per annum for determining the creamy layer amongst the Other Backward Classes and the same has been communicated to all concerned in the Government Letter 10th cited. The Government of India also reported that the provisions of the above Office Memorandum shall take effect from 3.10.2008.

3. The Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) in their O.M. 11th cited has notified that the Government of India has decided to raise the income limit from Rs. 4.5 Lakh to Rs. 6 Lakh per annum for determining the Creamy Layer amongst the Other Backward Classes in civil posts and services under the Government of India and the Government of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of Higher Education in the Office Memorandum 12th cited has stated the recommendation of National Commission for Backward Classes was accepted and annual income limit for determining the creamy layer among Other Backward Classes has been revised from Rs. 4.50 lakh to Rs.6.00 lakh in respect of admission into Central Educational institutions.

4) The Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) in their O.M. 11th cited has reported that the Government of India has been decided to raise the income limit from Rs.4.50 lakh to Rs.6.00 lakh per annum for determining the creamy layer amongst the Other Backward Classes. They have also stated that the following entry is hereby substituted for the existing entry against Category VI in the Schedule to their O.M. dated 8.9.93.

Category	Description of Category	To whom the rule of exclusion will apply
VI	INCOME / WEALTH LIST	Son(s) and daughter(s) of
		(a) Persons having gross annual income of Rs.6.00lakh or above or possessing wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act for a period of three consecutive years.
		(b) Persons in Categories I, II, III and VA who are not disentitled to the benefit of reservation but have income from other sources or wealth which will bring them within the income / wealth criteria mentioned in (a) above.

Explanation:

Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed.

The Government of India also reported that the provisions of the above Office Memorandum shall take effect from 16.05.2013.

5. In the circumstances stated above I am to communicate a copy each of Government of India, Ministry of Human Resources Development Office Memorandum O.M.No.11-13/2012-U, Policy, dated 31.05.2013 and Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions O.M.No.36033/1/2013-Esst (Res) dated: 27.05.2013 and to request you to follow the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions O.M. 36012/22/94 Esst - SCT dated 8.09.1993 to issue Other Backward Classes certificate taking into consideration of the revised income limit prescribed for the exclusion of creamy layer for availing the benefit of for

reservation for other Backward Classes in admission to educational institutions under the control of Government of India and appointment to civil posts and services under the Govt. of India.

Yours faithfully,

P. M. Anandhi

for Principal Secretary to Government

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Copy to:

All Collectors.(we)

District Revenue Officers.(we)

Heads of Departments.(we)

District and Sessions Judges.(we)

The Registrar, High Court, Chennai-104.(w.e)

The Secretary,

TamilNadu Public Service Commission, Chennai-2.(we)

All Departments of Secretariat.(we)

All District Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Officers.(we)

The Secretary to Government of India,

Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi.(we)

The Secretary to Govt. of India,

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, New Delhi.(we)

Senior Personal Assistant to Minister (BC),Chennai.9.(we)

SF, SC.

No. 36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res.)

Government of India

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions

Department of Personnel & Training

North Block, New Delhi,

Dated: the 27th May, 2013

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of income criteria to exclude socially advanced persons/sections (Creamy Layer) from the purview of reservation for Other Backward Classes (OBCs)-reg.

The undersigned is directed to invite attention to this Department's office memorandum No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) dated 8th September, 1993 which, *inter-alia*, provided that sons and daughters of persons having gross annual income of Rs. 1 lakh or above for a period of three consecutive years would fall within the creamy layer and would not be entitled to get the benefit of reservation available to the Other Backward Classes. The aforesaid limit of income for determining the creamy layer status was subsequently raised to Rs. 2.5 lakh and Rs. 4.5 lakh and accordingly the expression "Rs. 1 lakh" under Category-VI of Schedule to OM dated 8th September, 1993 was revised to "Rs. 2.5 lakh" and to "Rs. 4.5 lakh" vide this Department's OMs No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 09.03.2004 and dated 14.10.2008 respectively.

2. It has now been decided to raise the income limit from Rs. 4.5 lakh to Rs. 6 lakh per annum for determining the creamy layer amongst the Other Backward Classes. Accordingly, the expression "Rs. 4.5 lakh" under Category VI in the Schedule to this Department's aforesaid O.M. of 8th September, 1993 would be substituted by Rs. "Rs. 6 lakh".

3. The provisions of this office memorandum have effect from 16th May, 2013.

4. All the Ministries/Departments are requested to bring the contents of this office memorandum to the notice of all concerned.



(Sharad Kumar Srivastava)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

To:

1. All the Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.

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2. Department of Financial Services, New Delhi.
3. Department of Public Enterprises, New Delhi.
4. Railway Board, New Delhi.
5. Union Public Service Commission/Supreme Court of India/Election Commission of India/Lok Sabha Secretariat/Rajya Sabha Secretariat/Cabinet Secretariat/Central Vigilance Commission/President's Secretariat/Prime Minister's Office/Planning Commission.
6. Staff Selection Commission, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
7. Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
8. National Commission for SCs/National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. National Commission for Backward Classes, Trikoot-1, Bhikaji Cama Place, R. K. Puram, New Delhi.
10. Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, 10 Bahadur Shah Jafar Marg, New Delhi-110002.
11. Information and Facilitation Centre, DoPT, North Block, New Delhi (100 copies).
12. The NIC, DoPT with a request to upload it at the website of this Department in OMs & Orders > Estt. (Res.) > SC/ST/OBC and in 'What's New'

Copies forwarded to:

The Chief Secretaries of all the States/Union Territories for information and necessary action.

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Govt. of Tamil Nadu

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 31st May, 2013.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of income criteria to exclude socially advanced persons/ section (Creamy Layer) from the purview of reservation for Other Backward Classes (OBCs) in admissions to Central Educational Institutions



- OM No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) dt. 8/9/1993 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training (DoPT))
- 2.) OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dt. 9/3/2004 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, DoPT
 - 3.) OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dt. 14/10/2008 of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, DoPT
 - 4.) OM No. 1-1/2008-U1A dt. 13/10/2008 of Ministry of Human Resource Development.

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Attention is invited to O.M.No.36012/22/93-Estt.(SCT) dated 8th September, 1993 of DoPT which, *inter-alia*, provided that sons and daughters of persons having gross annual income of Rs.1.lakh or above for a period of three consecutive years would fall within the creamy layer and would not be entitled to get the benefit of reservation available to the Other Backward Classes. The aforesaid limit of income for determining the creamy layer status was subsequently raised to Rs.2.5 lakh and Rs.4.5 lakh and accordingly the expression "Rs.1 lakh" under Category-VI of Schedule to OM dated 8th September, 1993 was revised to "Rs.2.5 lakh" and to "Rs.4.5 lakh" vide DoPT's O.M. No.36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 09.03.2004, and dated 14.10.2008 respectively. Vide O.M.No. 1-1/2008-U1A dt. 13/10/2008 of Ministry of Human Resource Development, the Central Government specified that as per the above-mentioned DoPT O.M. dated 14.10.2008, the income limit for determining the "creamy layer" among OBCs shall be Rs.4.5 lakhs for reservation in admissions to Central Educational Institutions.

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2. The DoPT, vide OM No. 36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res.) dt. 27th May, 2013 has now notified that the limit of income for determining 'creamy layer' status amongst the OBCs is raised from Rs. 4.5 lakhs to Rs. 6 lakhs per-annum with effect from 16th May, 2013 and that the expression "Rs. 4.5 lakh" under Category VI in the Schedule to OM No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) of 8th September, 1993 of Ministry of Personnel,

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Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) is substituted by "Rs. 6 lakh".

3. Accordingly, with the approval of the competent authority, the revised expression of "Rs. 6 lakh" under Category VI in the Schedule to the OM dt. 8/9/1993 of DoPT shall be the limit of income, with effect from 16th May, 2013, for determining 'creamy layer' status amongst the OBCs for reservation in admissions to Central Educational Institutions.

4. The provisions of this OM are in supersession of this Department's OM No. 1-1/2008-U1(A) dt. 13/10/2008.

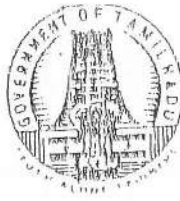


(Amit Shukla)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

To

- 1) All Central Educational Institutions
- 2) All the Ministries/ Departments of Government of India.
- 3) Chief Secretaries of all States
- 4) Administrators of UTs
- 5) National Commission for Backward Classes.
- 6) All Regulatory Councils responsible for maintenance/ determination of standards of higher education
- 7) Webmaster (NIC), MHRD for uploading of the same on MHRD's website.



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BACKWARD CLASSES, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND MINORITIES

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Letter No.4938/BCC/2011-1 dt.20.07.2011

From
Thiru G. Santhanam, IAS.,
Secretary to Government.

To
All District Collectors. (w.e)

Sir,

Sub : Reservation – Reservation for Other Backward Classes in Civil posts and services under the Government of India – Exclusion of creamy layer from the benefit of Other Backward Classes reservation – clarifications issued – Reiterated.

- Ref :
1. G.O. Ms. No. 12, Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dated 28.3.1994.
 2. Government Letter No. 627/BCC/97-33, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 24.4.2000.
 3. Government Letter No. 10829/BCC/2004-2, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 10.11.2004.
 4. From the General Secretary, All India Federation of Other Backward Classes Employees Welfare Association, representation dated 23.06.2011 addressed to the Chairman, National Commission for Backward Classes.

I am directed to invite attention to the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions O.M. No. 36012/22/93- Estt(SCT) dated 08.09.1993 communicated in the Government Order 1st cited wherein the Government of India have informed that sons and daughters of the persons falling under the following categories will be considered as creamy layer by virtue of the posts held by their parents subject to certain exemptions specified therein :-

- a) Holding Constitutional posts.
- b) Parents, both of whom are directly recruited class I / Group A Officers.

- c) Parents, either of whom is directly recruited class I / Group A officer.
- d) parents, both of whom are directly recruited class I / Group A officers, but one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation.
- e) parents, either of whom is a directly recruited class I / Group A officer and such parent dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation has had the benefit of employment in any International organization like UN, IMF, World Bank etc., for a period of not less than 5 years.
- f) parents, both of whom are directly recruited class I / Group A officer and both of them die or suffer permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation of the both either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organization like UN, IMF, World Bank etc., for a period of not less than 5 years.
- g) parents, both of whom are directly recruited class II / Group B officers of central and State Services.
- h) parents of whom only the husband is a directly recruited class II / Group B officer and he gets into class I / Group A at the age of 40 or earlier.
- i) parents, both of them are directly recruited class II / Group B officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organization like UN, IMF, World Bank etc., for a period of not less than 5 years.
- j) parents of whom the husband is a Class I / Group A officer (direct recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the wife is a directly recruited class II / Group B Officer and the wife dies or suffer permanent incapacitation.
- k) parents of whom wife is a Class I / Group A officer (direct recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the husband is a directly recruited class II / Group B officer and the husband dies or suffers permanent incapacitation.

The Government of India have also informed that the creamy layer status in respect of others will be determined by applying the "Income / Wealth Test" specified against category VI of the Schedule contained therein. The Government of India have clarified by means of an explanation provided under category VI that income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed.

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2) In this connection, I wish to draw your attention to the reference 2nd cited wherein the Government have informed while issuing Other Backward Classes Certificates, the income from salaries should not be taken into account for the purpose of calculation of annual income for exclusion of creamy layer. Similarly, the agricultural income also should not be included for the above purpose.

3) In the instructions issued by Government of India, Ministry of Personnel Public Grievances and Pensions in their Letter No. 36033/5/2004-Est(Res) dated 14.10.2004 which was communicated in the reference 3rd cited, it has been clarified, among other things, that while applying the Income / Wealth Test to determine creamy layer status of any candidate as given in Category IV of the Schedule to the O.M. dated 08.09.1993, income from salaries and income from the agricultural land shall not be taken into account. Copies of reference 2nd and 3rd cited are enclosed herewith for information.

4) It has been brought to the notice of the Government that despite the clear instructions issued in respect of exclusion of creamy layer, there has been difficulty in obtaining Other Backward Classes Certificates from the authorities concerned on the ground that the annual salary of their parents exceeds Rs. 4,50,000 and Other Backward Classes Certificates were denied to their sons and daughters. It has also been informed to Government that in view of the attitude of the officials, many eligible Other Backward Classes candidates are not able to avail the reservation benefit intended to them in Central Services and Educational institutions under the control of Government of India.

5) In this connection, I wish to inform you that the Government reiterate the instructions already issued in respect of calculating the Annual Income for exclusion of Creamy layer in their orders 1st and 2nd cited. I am therefore to request you to issue suitable guidelines to the Tahsildars, who are the Other Backward Classes Certificate issuing authorities to issue Other Backward Classes Certificates to the eligible persons without taking into account of income from salaries and income from agriculture land and to avoid any complaints in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

P. H. Anandhan

for Secretary to Government.

To
The Member Secretary,
National Commission for Backward Classes,
Trikoor - I, Bhikaji Cama Place,
New Delhi. 110066.

The Director of Backward Classes Welfare, Chennai - 5.
The Commissioner of Most Backward Classes
and Denotified Communities, Chennai - 5.
The Commissioner of Minorities Welfare, Chennai - 5.
The Principal Commissioner & Commissioner of
Revenue Administration, Chennai - 5.

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BACKWARD CLASSES, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND MINORITIES

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Letter No.10829/BCC/2004-2 dt.10.11.2004

From
Thiru A.Nagarsajan, I.A.S.,
Secretary to Government.

To
The Director of Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare, Chennai-5, (w.e);
The Special Commissioner and Director,
Most Backward Classes and Identified Communities,
Chennai-5, (w.e)
The Special Commissioner and Commissioner of Revenue Administration,
Chennai-5, (w.e)
The Member Secretary,
TamilNadu Backward Classes Commission,
212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4.

Sir,

Sub: Reservation for OBCs in Civil posts and Services under the Govt. of India - Criteria / prescribed for the Exclusion of creamy layer from the benefit of OBC reservation - certain clarifications issued by Govt. of India - Communicated.

- Ref: 1. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36012/22/93-Estt SGT dt.6.9.93.
2. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Welfare Rescission No.12011/68/93-BCC(O) dt.10.9.93
3. G.O.Ms.No.12, Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dt.28.3.94
4. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions O.M.No.36033/3/2004-Estt (Res) dt.9.3.2004
5. Govt.Lr.No.8209/BCC/2003-7, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare Department, dt.21.5.2004
6. From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) Lr.No.36033/5/2004-Estt (Res) dt.14.10.2004

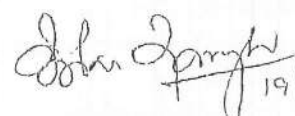
The Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) in their office Memorandum first cited have issued orders, reserving 27% of the vacancies in civil posts and services

under the Govt. of India for Other Backward Classes. They have also prescribed in the said office memorandum certain criteria for the exclusion of creamy layer (advanced persons / sections) from the benefit of reservation for Other Backward Classes in respect of Central Services. The Govt. of India, Ministry of Welfare, in their resolution second cited, have notified the list of Other Backward Classes for the purpose of availing 27% reservation under Central Services. The Govt. in their order third cited, have communicated the list of Other Backward Classes for the State of TamilNadu notified by Govt. of India, criteria for removal of creamy layer from the benefit of 27% reservation for Other Backward Classes in civil posts and services under Govt. of India etc. to the collectors, Heads of Departments and all certificate issuing authorities.

2. The Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, in their O.M. fourth cited have revised the annual income ceiling for the exclusion of creamy layer from Rs. 1 lakh to Rs. 2.50 lakh and the same has been communicated to all concerned in the Govt. letter 5th cited.

3. The Govt. of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, in their letter 6th cited have now issued certain clarifications in regard to the exclusion of creamy layer. I am to enclose a copy of the above reference for information and necessary action and to request you to keep in mind the above clarifications and to issue OBC Certificate to the eligible persons.

Yours faithfully,


19/11/2004
for Secretary to Govt.

- Copy to:
- All Collectors (w.e)
- (They are requested to communicate this to all certificate issuing authorities under their control.)
- The Heads of Departments (w.e)
- District Revenue Officers. (w.e)
- District and Sessions Judges. (w.e)
- The Registrar, High Court, Chennai-104 (w.e)
- The Secretary,
TamilNadu Public Service Commission,
Chennai-2. (w.e)
- All Departments of Secretariat. (w.e)
- All District Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Officers. (w.e)
- The Secretary to Govt. Of India,
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment,

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New Delhi. (we)
The Secretary to Govt. of India,
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and
Pension, New Delhi. (we)
Senior Personal Assistant to Minister (BC),
Chennai. (we)
SF, SC

Copy of

No.36033/5/2004-Estt(Res)
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS
DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL & TRAINING

New Delhi, Dated: the 14th October, 2004

To
The Chief Secretaries of all the States / Union Territories.

Sub: Clarifications regarding creamy layer amongst OBCs.

Sir,

I am directed to invite your attention to the Schedule to this Department's OM No.36012/22/93-(SCT) dated 3rd September, 1993 which contains the criteria to determine the creamy layer amongst the OBCs. In regard to the children of the persons in civil services of the Central and the State Governments, it provides that son(s) and daughter(s) of:

- (a) parents, both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A officers;
- (b) parents, either of whom is directly recruited Class I / Group A officer;
- (c) parents, both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A Officers, but one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation;
- (d) parents, either of whom is a directly recruited Class I / Group A Officer and such parent dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years;
- (e) parents, both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A officers and both of them die or suffer permanent incapacitation and before such death or such incapacitation of the both, either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years;
- (f) parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II / Group B officers;

- (g) parents of whom only the husband is a directly recruited Class II / Group B Officer and he gets into Class I / Group A at the age of 40 or earlier;
- (h) parents, both of whom are directly recruited Class II / Group B officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation and either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years;
- (i) parents of whom the husband is a Class I / Group A officer (direct recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the wife is a directly recruited Class II / Group B officer and the wife dies; or suffers permanent incapacitation; and
- (j) parents, of whom wife is a Class I / Group A officer (Direct Recruit or pre-forty promoted) and the husband is a directly recruited Class II / Group B officer and the husband dies or suffers permanent incapacitation

shall be treated as falling in creamy layer.

2. The Schedule further provides that sons and daughters of:

- (i) parents either of whom or both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A officer(s) and such parent(s) dies/die or suffers/suffer permanent incapacitation;
- (ii) parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II / Group B officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation;
- (iii) parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II / Group B officers and both of them die or suffer permanent incapacitation, even though either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years before their death or permanent incapacitation

shall not be treated to be falling in creamy layer.

3 the criteria prescribed for determining creamy layer status of sons and daughters of persons in Government service mutatis mutandis applies to the sons and daughters of persons holding equivalent or comparable posts in PSUs, Banks, Insurance Organisations, Universities etc. and also holding equivalent of comparable posts and positions under private employment. The creamy layer status of the sons and daughters of employees of organizations where evaluation

of the posts on equivalent or comparable basis has not been made is determined on the basis of 'Income/Wealth Test' given in the Schedule. The Income/Wealth Test prescribes that the sons and daughters of persons having gross annual income of Rs.2.5 lakh or above or possessing wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act for a period of three consecutive years would be treated to fall in creamy layer. An explanation is given below the Income / Wealth Test which provides that 'Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed.'

4. Following questions have been raised from time to time about the application of the above provisions to determine creamy layer:

- (i) Will the sons and daughters of parents either of whom or both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A officer(s) and such parent(s) dies/die or suffers/suffer permanent incapacitation after retirement be treated to be excluded from the creamy layer?
- (ii) Will the sons and daughters of parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II / Group B officers and one of them dies or suffer permanent incapacitation after retirement be treated to be excluded from the creamy layer?
- (iii) Will the sons and daughters of parents both of whom are directly recruited Class III/Group B officers and both of them die or suffer permanent incapacitation after retirement even though either of them has had got the benefit of employment in any International Organisation like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years before their death or permanent incapacitation be treated to be excluded from the purview of creamy layer?
- (iv) Will the sons and daughters of parent(s) who retire from the service on the basis of which their sons and daughters fall in creamy layer, continue to fall in creamy layer after retirement of the parent(s)?
- (v) Will the sons and daughters of parents of whom husband is directly recruited Class III/Group C or Class IV/Group D employee and he gets into Class I/Group A at the age of 40 or earlier be treated to be falling in creamy layer?
- (vi) Will a candidate who himself is a directly recruited Class I / Group A officer or a directly recruited Class II/Group B officer who got into Class I/Group A at the age of 40 or earlier be treated to be falling in creamy layer on the basis of his service status?
- (vii) Will a candidate who has gross annual income of Rs.2.5 lakh or above or possesses wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed

in the Wealth Tax Act for a period of three consecutive years be treated to fall in creamy layer:

- (viii) The instructions provide that a lady belonging to OBC category who has got married to a directly recruited Class I / Group A officer shall not be treated as falling in creamy layer on the basis of her marriage. Will a man belonging to OBC category who is married to a directly recruited Class I / Group 'A' officer be treated as falling in creamy layer on the basis of his marriage?
- (ix) How will be the Income/Wealth Test apply in case of sons and daughters of parent(s) employed in PSUs etc. in which equivalence or comparability of posts has not been established vis-a-vis posts in the Government?
- (x) What is the scope of the explanation, 'Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed', given below the Income/Wealth Test?

5. It is clarified in regard to clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of para 4 that the sons and daughters of:

- (a) parents either of whom or both of whom are directly recruited Class I / Group A officers and such parent(s) dies/die or suffers/suffer permanent incapacitation while in service;
- (b) parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II/Group B officers and one of them dies or suffers permanent incapacitation while in service; and
- (c) parents both of whom are directly recruited Class II/Group B officers and both of them die or suffer permanent incapacitation while in service, even though either of them has had the benefit of employment in any International Organization like UN, IMF, World Bank, etc. for a period of not less than 5 years before their death or permanent incapacitation

are not treated to be falling in creamy layer. But if the parent(s) dies/die or suffers/suffer permanent incapacitation in such cases after retirement from service, his/their sons and daughters would be treated to be falling in creamy layer and would not get the benefit of reservation.

6. In regard to clause (iv) of para 4, it is clarified that sons and daughters of parents who are included in the creamy layer on the basis of service status of

their parents shall continue to be treated in creamy layer even if their parents have retired or have died after retirement.

7. In regard to clause (v) of para 4, it is clarified that the sons and daughters of parents of whom only the husband is a directly recruited Class II/Group B officer who gets into Class I / Group A at the age of 40 or earlier are treated to be in creamy layer. If the father is directly recruited Class III/Group C or Class IV/Group D employee and he gets into Class I/Group A at the age of 40 or earlier, his sons and daughters shall not be treated to be falling in creamy layer.

8. In regard to clauses (vi), (vii) and (viii) of para 4, it is clarified that the creamy layer status of a candidate is determined on the basis of the status of his parents and not on the basis of his own status or income or on the basis of status or income of his/her spouse. Therefore, while determining the creamy layer status of a person the status or the income of the candidate himself or of his/her spouse shall not be taken into account.

9. In regard to clause (ix) of para 4, it is clarified that the creamy layer status of sons and daughters of persons employed in organizations where equivalence or comparability of posts vis-à-vis posts in Government has not been evaluated is determined as follows:

Income of the parents from the salaries and from the other sources (other than salaries and agricultural land) is determined separately. If either the income of the parents from the salaries or the income of the parents from other sources (other than salaries and agricultural land) exceeds the limit of Rs.2.5 lakh per annum for a period of three consecutive years, the sons and daughters of such persons shall be treated to fall in creamy layer. But the sons and daughters of parents whose income from salaries is less than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum and income from other sources is also less than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum will not be treated as falling in creamy layer even if the sum of the income from salaries and the income from the other sources is more than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum for a period of three consecutive years. It may be noted that income from agricultural land is not taken into account while applying the Test.

10. In regard to clause (x) of para 4, it is clarified that while applying the Income / Wealth Test to determine creamy layer status of any candidate as given in Category-VI of the Schedule to the O.M., income from the salaries and income from the agricultural land shall not be taken into account. It means that if income from salaries of the parents of any candidate is more than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum, income from agricultural land is more than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum, but income from other sources is less than Rs.2.5 lakh per annum, the candidate

shall not be treated to be falling in creamy layer on the basis of Income/Wealth Test provided his parent(s) do not possess wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act for a period of three consecutive years.

11. You are requested to bring the contents of this letter to all concerned in the State.

Sd/-
(K.G. VERMA)
Deputy Secretary to Govt. of India.

True copy!

J. S. Singh
Section Officer.

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**Backward Classes, Most
Backward Classes and
Minorities Welfare (BCC)
Department, Secretariat,
Chennai-9.**

Letter No.6001/BCC/2017-1, dated 10.10.2017

From
Thiru. A.Karthik, I.A.S.,
Secretary to Government.

To
The Commissioner of Backward Classes Welfare,
Chennai-5.(w. e)

The Commissioner of Most Backward Classes
and Denotified Communities, Chennai - 5. (w.e)

The Commissioner of Minorities Welfare,
Chennai-2. (w.e)

The Principal Secretary/Commissioner,
Revenue Administration, Disaster management
and Mitigation,
Chennai-5. (w.e)

The Member Secretary,
Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission,
212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. (w.e)

All District Collectors. (w.e)

Sir,

Sub : Reservation for Other Backward Classes in Civil Posts and Services under the Govt. of India – Revising the annual income sealing for the exclusion of creamy layer amongst the other Backward Classes from Rs.6.00 Lakh to Rs.8.00 Lakh per annum – Communicated – Regarding.

- Ref :
1. From the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training) O.M.No.36012/ 22/94-Estt SCT dated 8.9.93.
 2. From the Government of India, Ministry of Welfare Resolution No.12011/68/93-BCC(c) dated 10.9.93.
 3. G.O.Ms.No.12, Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dated 28.3.94.
 4. From the Government of India, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions Department O.M.No.36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res) dated 13.09.2017.

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Government of India, Office Memorandum 4th cited and it has been reported that the Government of India has decided to raise the income limit from Rs.6.00 lakhs to Rs.8.00 lakhs per annum for determining the creamy layer amongst the Other Backward Classes. They have also stated that the following entry is hereby

substituted for the existing entry against Category VI in the Schedule to their O.M. dated 8.9.93.

Category	Description of Category	To whom the rule of exclusion will apply
VI	INCOME / WEALTH LIST	<p>Son(s) and daughter(s) of</p> <p>(a) Persons having gross annual income of Rs.8.00 lakh or above or possessing wealth above the exemption limit as prescribed in the Wealth Tax Act for a period of three consecutive years.</p> <p>(b) Persons in Categories I, II, III and VA who are not disentitled to the benefit of reservation but have income from other sources or wealth which will bring them within the income / wealth criteria mentioned in (a) above.</p> <p><u>Explanation:</u> Income from salaries or agricultural land shall not be clubbed.</p>

The Government of India also reported that the provisions of the above Office Memorandum shall take effect from 01.09.2017.

2. I am, therefore to request you to follow the above Office Memorandum to issue Other Backward Classes certificate taking into consideration of the revised income limit prescribed for the exclusion of creamy layer for availing the benefit of for reservation for other Backward Classes in admission to educational institutions under the control of Government of India and appointment to civil posts and services under the Government of India.

Yours faithfully,

P. N. J. Aravindhan
10/10/17

For Secretary to Government

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10-10-17

Copy to :-

All District Revenue Officers.(w.e)

Head of Departments.(w.e)

All District and Sessions Judges.(w.e)

The Registrar, High Court of Madras, Chennai-104.(w.e)

The Secretary,
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission, Chennai-3.(w.e)
All Departments of Secretariat.(w.e)
All District Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Officers.(w.e)
The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi.(w.e)
The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pension, New Delhi.(w.e)
Special Personal Assistant to Minister (BC & MW), Chennai - 9.(w.e)
SF, SC.

No. 36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res.)

Government of India

Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel & Training

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North Block, New Delhi,

Dated: September 13, 2017

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revision of income criteria to exclude socially advanced persons/sections (Creamy Layer) from the purview of reservation for Other Backward Classes (OBCs)-reg.

The undersigned is directed to invite attention to this Department's Office Memorandum No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT) dated 8th September, 1993 which, inter-alia, provided that sons and daughters of persons having gross annual income of ₹ 1 lakh or above for a period of three consecutive years would fall within the creamy layer and would not be entitled to get the benefit of reservation available to the Other Backward Classes. The aforesaid limit of income for determining the creamy layer status was subsequently raised to ₹ 2.5 lakh, ₹ 4.5 lakh and ₹ 6 lakh vide this Department's OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 09.03.2004, OM No. 36033/3/2004-Estt. (Res.) dated 14.10.2008 and OM No. 36033/1/2013-Estt. (Res.) dated 27.05.2013 respectively.

2. It has now been decided to raise the income limit from ₹ 6 lakh to ₹ 8 lakh per annum for determining the creamy layer amongst the Other Backward Classes. Accordingly, the expression "₹ 6 lakh" under Category VI in the Schedule to this Department's aforesaid O.M. dated 8th September, 1993 would be substituted by "₹ 8 lakh".
3. The provisions of this office memorandum have effect from 1st September, 2017.
4. All the Ministries/Departments are requested to bring the contents of this office memorandum to the notice of all concerned.



(Debabrata Das)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Ph: 2304 0279

To:

1. All the Ministries/Departments of the Government of India.
2. Department of Financial Services, New Delhi.
3. Department of Public Enterprises, New Delhi.
4. Railway Board, New Delhi.
5. Union Public Service Commission/Supreme Court of India/Election Commission of India/Lok Sabha Secretariat/Rajya Sabha Secretariat/Cabinet Secretariat/Central Vigilance Commission/President's Secretariat/Prime Minister's Office/Niti Aayog.
6. Staff Selection Commission, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
7. Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

8. National Commission for Scheduled Castes/National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
9. National Commission for Backward Classes, Trikoot-1, Bhikaji Cama Place, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.
10. Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, 10 Bahadur Shah Jafar Marg, New Delhi-110002.
11. Director General, Press Information Bureau, National Media Centre, 7E Raisina Road, New Delhi – with a request to give wide publicity to this OM
12. The NIC, DoPT with a request to upload it at the website of this Department in OMs & Orders > Estt. (Res.) > SC/ST/OBC and in 'What's New'

Copies forwarded to:

The Chief Secretaries of all the States/Union Territories for information and necessary action.



(Debabrata Das)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

CENTRAL LIST OF OBCs FOR THE STATE OF TAMILNADU

Entry No.	Caste/Community	Resolution No. & date
1	Agamudayar including Thozhu or Thuluva Vellala	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
2	Alwar, Azhavar and Alavar (in Kanniyakumari district and Sheoncottah Taulk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
3	Ambalakarar, Ambalakaran	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
4	Andi pandaram	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
5	Arayar, Arayan, Nulayar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
6	Archakari Vellala	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
7	Aryavathi (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
8	Attur Kilnad Koravar (in Salem, South Arcot, Ramanathapuram Kamarajar and Pasumpon Muthuramadigam district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
9	Attur Melnad Koravar (in Salem district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
10	Badagar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
11	Bestha Siviari	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
12	Bhatraju (other than Kshatriya Raju)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
13	Billava	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
14	Bondil	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
15	Boyar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
16	Oddar (including Boya, Donga Boya, Gorrela Dodda Boya, Kalvathila Boya, Pedda Boya, Oddar, Kal Oddar Nellorepet Oddar and Sooramari Oddar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
17	Chakkala	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
18	Changayampudi Koravar (In North Arcot District)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993

19	Chavalakarar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
20	Chettu or Chetty (including Kottar Chetty, Elur Chetty, Pathira Chetty Valayal Chetty Pudukkadai Chetty) (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
21	C.K. Koravar (in South Arcot district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
22	Converts to Christianity from Scheduled Castes, irrespective of the generation of conversion for the purpose of reservation of seats in Educational Institutions and for seats in Public Services	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
23	C.S.I. Formerly S.I.U.C. in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
24	Dabi Koravar (in Thanjavur, Trichirapally, Pudukkottai and North Arcot district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
25	Dasari (including Donga Dasari and Gudu Dasari)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
26	Dekkani Muslim	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
27	Devangar, Sedar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
28	Dobba Koravar (in Salem district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
29	Dobbai Koracha (In Tiruchirappally and Pudukkottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
30	Dommarra (including Domb & Dommar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
31	Donga Ur. Koracha	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
32	Dudekula	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
33	Enadi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
34	Eravallar (except Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district where the community is a Scheduled Tribe)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
35	Ezhavathy (in Kanyakumari District and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993

36	Ezhuthachar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
37	Ezhuva (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
38	Gandarvakottai Koravar (In Thanjavur, Tiruchirapally Pudukottai and South Arcot districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
39	Ganagavar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
40	Gavara, Gavarai (Kavarai) and Vadugar(Vaduvar) (other than Kamma, Kapu, Balija and Reddi)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
41	Gounder	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
42	Gowda (including Gammala, Kalali and Anuppa Gounder)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
43	Hegde	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
44	Idiga	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
45	Illathu Pillaimar, Illuvar, Ezhuvar and Illathar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
46	Inji Koravar (In Thanjavur, Tiruchirapalli and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
47	Isaivellalar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
48	Jambuvanodai	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
49	Jangam	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
50	Jhetty	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
51	Jogi (including Jogis)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
52	Kabbera	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
53	Kaikolan, Kaikolar , Sengunthar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
54	Kaladi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
55	Kala Koravar (In Thanjavur, Tiruchirapally and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
56	Kalari Kurup including Kalari Panieker (In Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
57	Kalingi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993

58	Kalinji Dabikoravar (In Thanjavur and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
59	Kallar (including Easanattu Kallar Gandarvakkottai Kallar Koottappal Kallar Piramalai Kallar and Periasooriyur Kallar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
60	Kalveli Gounder	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
61	Kambar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
62	Kammalar or Viswakarma, Viswakammala (including Thattar, Porkollar, Kannar Karumar Kollar, Thacher, Kalthacher Kamsala and Viswabrahmin)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011 / 21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12015/13/2010-B.C.II. Dt. 08/12/2011
63	Kani, Kanisu Kaniyar Panikkar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011 /21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
64	Kannada Saineeagar, Kannadiyar (throughout the State) and Dasapalanjika (Coimbatore, Erode and Nilgiris districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011 /21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12011 /4/ 2002 – BCC dt 13/01/2004
65	Karuneeagar (Seer Karuneeagar, Sri Karuneeagar, Sarattu Karuneeagar, Kaikatti Karuneeagar Mathu Vazhi Kanakkar Sozhi Kanakkar and Sunnambu Karuneeagar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/ 21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
66	Katesar Pattamkatti	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
67	Kavuthiyar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
68	Kepmari (in Chengalpattu, Pudukottai and Tiruchirapalli districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/ 21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
69	Kerala Mudali	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
70	Kharvi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
71	Khatri	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
72	Kongu Chettiar (in Coimbatore and Periyar district only)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
73	Kongu Vellalar (including Vellala Gounder Nattu Gounder, Narambukkatti Gounder, Tirumudi Vellalar, Thondu Vellalar, Pala Gounder, Poosari Gounder, Anuppa Vellala Gounder, Padaithalai Gounder, Chendalai Gounder, Pavalankatti Vellala Gounder, Pala	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12015/13/2010-B.C.II. Dt. 08/12/2011

	Vellala Gounder, Sanku Vellala Gounder and Rathinagiri Gounder	
74	Koppala Velama	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
75	Koracha	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
76	Koravar (in Chengalpattu, Ramanathapuram, Kamarajar, Pasumpen Mutouramalingam, Pudukottai, Thanjavur, Tiruchirappalli, Tirunelveli, Madras ,Madurai and the Nilgiris districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
77	Koteyar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
78	Krishnanvaka (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
79	Kudumbi (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
80	Kulala (including Kuyavar, Kumbarar and Velar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/ 88/98-BCC dt 06/12/1999
81	Kunchidigar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
82	Kunnuvar Mannadi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
83	Kurhini Chetty	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
84	Kurumba (where they are not Scheduled Tribes), Kurumba Gounder,	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12015/13/2010-B.C.II. Dt. 08/12/2011
85	Labbai, Rowthar and Marakayar (whether their spoken language is Tamil or Urdu)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12011 / 88/98-BCC dt 06/12/1999
86	Lambadi	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
87	Latin Catholic (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
88	Jangama	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
89	Mahratta (non-Brahmin) (including Namdev Mahratta)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/ 21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
90	Mahendra, Medara	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
91	Malayan, Malayar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
92	Male	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
93	Maujagar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12015/9/ 2000 dt 06/09/2001
94	Mapilla	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
95	Maravar (including Karumaravar, Appanad Kondayamkottai Maravar and Sembanad Maravar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
96	Maruthuvar, Navithar, Mangala, Velakkattalavar,	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999

	Velakkattalanair and Pronopakari	
97	Meenavar, Parvatharajakulam, Pattanavar, Sembadavar(including converts to Christianity)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
98	Monda Koravar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
99	Mooppan	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
100	Moundadan Chetty	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
101	Mukkuvan, Mukkuvar or Mukayar including converts to Christianity)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
102	Muthuraja Muthuracha Muttiriyar Muthiriyar Mutharaiyar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
103	Mutlakampatti	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
104	Nadar, Shanar and Gramani, including Christian Nadar, Christian Shanar and Christian Gramani	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/ 95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
105	Nagaram	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
106	Naikkar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
107	Nanjil Mudali (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
108	Narikoravar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
109	Nokkar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
110	Odar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
111	Odiya	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
112	Ovachar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
113	Pamulu	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
114	Panar (Except in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district where the community is a Scheduled Caste)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
115	Pannayar (including Kathikarar in Kanniyakumari district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
116	Pannirandam Chettiar or Uthama Chettiar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
117	Paravar including converts to Christianity (except in Kanniya- kumari district and Shenocottah taluk of Tirunelveli district where the community is a Scheduled Caste)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993

118	Parkavakulam (Suruthimar including those Suruthimar who call themselves as Moopanar, Nathamar including those Nathamar who call themselves as Nainar, Malayamar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
119	Perike (including Perike Baliya)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
120	Perumkollar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
121	Ponnai Koravar (in North Arcot district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
122	Poraya	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
123	Pulluvar or Pooluvar, Pooluva Gounder	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/44/99-BCC dt 21.09.2000
124	Pusala	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
125	Sadhu Chetty (including Telugu Chetty, Telugupatty Chetty, Twenty-four Manai Telugu Chetty)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
126	Sakkaravar or Kavathi (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
127	Sakkaraitamadai Koravar (in North Arcot district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
128	Salem Melnad Koravar (in Madurai, Coimbatore Periyar, Pudukottai, Tiruchirappalli, Salem and North Arcot districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
129	Salem Uppu Koravar (in Salem district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
130	Salivagana, Salivahana	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
131	Saliyar Padmasaliyar Pathusaliyar Pattariya and Adhaviyar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
132	Saranga Palli Koravar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
133	Sathatha Srivaishnava (including Sathanai, Chattadi and Chattada Srivaishnava)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
134	Savalakkarar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
135	Senaithalaivar, Senaikudiyar and Illaivanianar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
136	Sourashtra (Patnulkarar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
137	Sozhia Chetty	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
138	Sozhia Vellalar (including Sozha Vellalar, Vetrilaikarar, Kodikalkarar and	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995

	Keeraikarar	
139	Srisayar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
140	Thalli Koravar (in Salem district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
141	Thogamalai Koravar or Kepmari (in Tiruchirappalli, and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
142	Thogatta Veerakshatriya	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
143	Tholkollar (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
144	Tholuva Naicker and Vetalakara Naicker	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
145	Thondaman	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
146	Thoriyar, Badaga Thoraiyar of Nilgiris	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
147	Thottiya Naicker (including Rajakambalam, Gollavar, Sillavar, Thockalavar and Tholuva Naicker)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
148	Uppara, Uappillia and Sagara	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
149	Uppukoravar or Settipalli Koravar (in Thanjavur, Pudukottai, Madurai and North Arcot districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
150	Urali Gounder, (throughout the state) and Orudya Gounder, or Oorudaya Gounder (in Madurai, Coimbatore, Periyar, Tiueechirappalli, Pudukottai and Salem districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
151	Vaduvarpatti Koravar (in Madurai, Ramanathauram, Pasumpon Muthuramalingam, Kamarajar, Tirunelveli, Tiruchirappalli and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
152	Valaiyar (including Chettinad Valaiyar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
153	Vallambar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
154	Valmiki	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
155	Vaniyar, Vania Chettiar (including Gandla, Ganika, Telikula and Chekkalar)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
156	Vannar (Salavai Thozhilalar) including Agasa, Madivala, Ekali, Rajakula, Veluthadar and Rajaka (except in Kanniyakumari District and Shencottah Taluk in Tirunelveli District where the community is a	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995

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157	Vanniyakula Kshatriya (including Vanniya, Vanniyar, Vannia Gounder, Gounder or Kander, Padayachi, Palli and Agnikula Kshatriya)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
158	Varaganeri Koravar (in Tiruchira Palli and Pudukottai districts)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
159	Vayalpad or Nawalpetta Koracha	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
160	Veduvar/Vettaikkarar (throughout the state) and Vedar (except in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district where the community is a Scheduled Caste)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
161	Veerasaiva (in Kanniyakumari district and Shenocottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
162	Vellan Chettiar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
163	Veluthodathu Nair (in Kanniyakumari district and Shencottah taluk of Tirunelveli district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
164	Vetta Koravar (in Salem district)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
165	Vetuva Gounder, Punnan Vettuva Gounder	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
165A	Virakodi Vellala (former Panisaivan only)	12011/96/94-BCC dt 09/03/1996
166	Vokkaligar (including Vakkaligar, Okkaligar, Kappiliyar, Kappiliya, Okkaliya, Gowda, Okkaliya Gowda, Okkaliga Gowda, Okkaliya Gowder)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995 12015/15/2008-BCC dt. 16/06/2011
167	Wynad Chetty (The Nilgiris dist.)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
168	Yadava (including Idaiyar, Telugu speaking Idaiyar known as Vaduga Ayar or Vaduga Idaiyar or Golla, Mond Golla and Asthanthra Golla)	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
169	Yavana	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
170	Yerukula	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
171	Yogeeswarar	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993 12011/21/95-BCC dt 15/05/1995
172	Christian converts from any Hindu Backward Classes	12011/68/93-BCC(C) dt 10/09/1993
173	Battu Turkas	12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
174	Devagudi Talayari	12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
175	Podikara Vellalar	12011/88/98-BCC dt 06/12/1999
176	Pulavar	12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
177	Nangudi Vellalar	12011/68/98-BCC dt 27/10/1999
178	Kuga Vellalar	12011/88/98-BCC dt 06/12/1999
179	Kallar Kula Thondaman	12011/44/99-BCC dt 21/09/2000

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