

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Shri/Shrimati*/Kumari*....., son/daughter* of of village/town*..... in District/Division*..... of the State/Union Territory*..... belongs to the Caste/Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe* under:

(Mention here the relevant order.)

2. This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes Certificate issued to Shri/Shrimati*..... father/mother* of Shri/Shrimati/Kumari*..... of village/town*..... in District/Division*..... of the State/Union Territory*..... who belong to the Scheduled Caste/Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe in the State/Union Territory*..... issued by the dated

3. Shri/Shrimati*/Kumari*..... and/or *his/her* family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town*..... of District/Division* of the State/Union Territory* of

Signature

Designation

(with seal of office)

Place

State

Union Territory

Date

NOTE.— The term "Ordinarily resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

Authorities Empowered to issue Caste Certificate

[G.I., Dept. of Per. & Trg., O.M. No. 36012/22/93-Estt. (SCT), dated 22-10-1993.]

The undermentioned authorities have been empowered to issue Caste Certificates of verification—

1. District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/Additional Deputy Commissioner/Deputy Collector/I Class Stipendiary Magistrate/Sub-Divisional Magistrate/Taluka Magistrate/ Executive Magistrate/Extra-Assistant Commissioner not below the rank of I Class Stipendiary Magistrate;

2. Chief Presidency Magistrate/Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate/Presidency Magistrate;

3. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tehsildar; and

4. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate and/or his family normally resides.

*Please delete the words which are not applicable.