

**Annex IX (Para 7.7.1)**

**Form of certificate to be produced by a candidate belonging to a Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribe in support of his claim**

1. 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 recognised as a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe\* Under:

@ The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950.

@ **The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950.**

@ The Constitution (Scheduled Caste)(Union Territories) Order, 1951.

@ The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes)/(Union Territories) Order, 1951. (as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Lists (Modification) Order, 1956, the Bombay Reorganisation Act, 1960, the Punjab Reorganisation Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Reorganisation) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976)

@ The Constitution (Jammu &Kashmir) Scheduled Castes Order, 1956.

@ The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Castes Order, 1959 as amended by Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Order (Amendment) Act, 1976.

@ The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Castes Order, 1962.

@ The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1962.

@ The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Castes Order, 1964

@ The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes)(Uttar Pradesh) Order, 1967.

@ The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Castes Order, 1968.

@ The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1968.

@ The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970.

@ The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Castes Order, 1978.

@ The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978.

2. Applicable in the case of Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes persons who have migrated from one State/Union Territory Administration.

This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe certificate issued to Shri/Shrimati\* ..... father/mother of Shri/Shrimati/Kumari\* .....  
..... of village/town \* in District /Division\* ..... of  
State/Union Territory\* ..... who belong to the Caste /Tribe\* which is recognised as  
a Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe\* in the State/Union Territory\* issued by the (name of  
prescribed authority) vide their No ..... 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.....

\* Please delete the words which are not applicable. @ Please quote specific presidential Order.  
Delete the paragraph which is not applicable.

NOTE: The term "ordinarily reside (s)" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of  
the Representation of the Peoples Act, 1950.

\*\* list of authorities empowered to issue Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe certificates:

1. District Magistrate/Additional District Magistrate/Collector/Deputy Commissioner/ Additional  
Deputy Commissioner/Deputy Collector/1<sup>st</sup>Class Stipendiary Magistrate /City Magistrate/Sub-  
Divisional Magistrate /Taluka Magistrate/Executive Magistrate /Extra Assistant Commissioner.  
\* (Not below the rank of 1<sup>st</sup>class Stipendiary Magistrate).

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

3. Revenue Officers not below the rank of Tehsildar.

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

5. Administrator/Secretary to Administrator/Development Officer (Lakshadweep Islands).