

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

ABSTRACT

Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Development Department -
Inclusion of "Chetty" community in the state list of Other
Backward Classes - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

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SCHEDULED CASTES/SCHEDULED TRIBES DEV. (P) DEPARTMENT

G.O(P) 55/2001/SCSTDD. DT., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, 15.10.2001

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- Read:-
1. Proceedings Order R.Dis 11293/54/CS dt. 15.9.1955.
 2. G.O(Rt) 76/2000/SCSTDD dt. 1.2.2000.
 3. G.O(P) 36/2000/SCSTDD dt. 27.5.2000.
 4. Representation dt. 30.5.2000 from Kollam Chetty Sabha.
 5. Letter No. 285/B2/2000/KSCBC dated 22.05.2001.

O R D E R

As per the Government Order read as 2nd paper above Government ordered that the community "Chetty" having the sub castes names within brackets alone be treated as O.B.Cs. By this order those whose caste mentioned in the school certificate as "Chetty" alone without mentioning any sub castes are not being given the benefit of Other Backward Classes.

The Kollam Chetty Sabha and several organisations of Chetty Community requested Government to reconsider the above Government order requesting to restore the reservation benefits enjoyed by them for nearly half a century and subsequently denied.

Government have examined the case in detail and have observed that as per the proceeding order read as 1st paper above it was ordered that -

"Government are pleased to order that "Chettys" will be included in the list of 'Other Backward Communities' for the grant of educational concessions and under 'Backward Classes-other Hindus' for reservation of appointment in Public Service under Article 16(4) of the Constitution".

In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to order that "Chetties"/"Chetty", including the subcastes names within brackets mentioned in the State list of Other Backward Classes, will be treated as Other Backward Class.

The Government Order read as 2nd paper above stands cancelled.

(By Order of the Governor)


(L. NATARAJAN)
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala,
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Registrar, Kerala State Commission for Backward
Classes, Plamood High Road, Pattom, P.O.,
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director, KIRTADS, Kozhikode.
The Advocate General, Ernakulam.
The Secretary, Kerala Public Service Commission,
Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram.
All District Collectors.
All Heads of Departments.
All Departments in Secretariat.
All Sections in Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes
Development Department.
Planning & Economic Affairs Department.
Personnel & Administrative Reforms Department.
The Director of Public Relations.
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Section officer.

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