

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Caste determination - Scheduled Tribe (Kurichchan) claim of Shri. Arun John P.S, Punnari House, Kolayad P.O, Chittariparamba (Via) Kannur - Rejected by the Scrutiny Committee for verification of Community Certificates - further orders - issued.

SC/ST DEVELOPMENT (G) DEPARTMENT

G.O. A.P.E.No. 12/03/SCST DD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 27.1.2003.

- Read: 1. The Kerala (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) Regulation of issue of Community Certificates Act, 1996).
2. Proceedings No. 21495/G3/99/SCSTDD dated 19.11.2002 of the Scrutiny Committee for verification of Community Certificates.

ORDER

The Scrutiny Committee for verification of Community Certificates constituted under the provision of the Kerala (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) Regulation of issue of Community Certificates Act, 1996 (Act 11 of 1996) has in its proceedings read above refused the Scheduled Tribe (Kurichchan) claim of Shri. Arun John P.S, Punnari House, Kolayad P.O, Chittariparamba (Via) Kannur who was a candidate for the Common Entrance Examination for Engineering/Medical and Agricultural Courses 1999.

2. The Scheduled Tribe (Kurichchan) claim of Shri. Arun John P.S has been disproved under due process and pursuantly Government Order as follows in the matter;

(i) It is declared that Shri. Arun John P.S, and members of his family do not belong to Kurichchan Community which is a Scheduled tribe, but belong to Christian Community ~~xxxx~~ ineligible for any special benefits.

(ii) None of the members of this family shall be eligible for any of the benefits exclusively intended for members of the Scheduled Tribes. If any of the members of the family of Shri. Arun John P.S have availed of, any of the benefits meant for members of the Scheduled Tribes, all such benefits shall be stopped and the financial benefits if any availed of shall be recovered.

(iii) If the caste entry in respect of any of the members of this family as recorded in their academic records is 'Kurichchan' (Scheduled Tribe) it shall be got corrected as Christian.

(iv) Scheduled Tribe Certificates shall not be issued to any of the members of this family hereafter. All the Scheduled Tribe Certificates secured by them as members of 'Kurichchan' Community shall be treated as cancelled.

3. The Commissioner, Land Revenue is directed to initiate disciplinary action against & the then Munsifdar, Thalassery for dereliction of duty and defiance of Government Orders in having issued Caste Certificate No. S.Dia.7027/A/03 dated 12.4.1999 to Sri. Arun John P.S. to the effect that he belongs to Scheduled Tribe (Kurichchan) Community.

4. The Scheduled Tribe (Kurichchan) status claim of Sri. Arun John P.S. found to be false by the Scrutiny Committee for verification of Community Certificates and his 'Kurichchan' (Scheduled Tribe) status rejected as per the proceedings read above, Government Order that Shri. Arun John P.S, Punneri House, Kolayad P.O, Chittaripramba (Via) Kannur be prosecuted for making false claims to caste status to deprive the members of the Scheduled Castes of their benefits, thereby exploiting them for unlawful gains.

5. Compliance report on the above orders shall be forwarded to Government by all concerned, in due course.

By Order of the Governor,

Dr. C.V. ANANDABOSE
Secretary to Government


To

Sri. Arun John P.S, S/o Sylvester, Punneri House, Kolayad P.O,
Chittaripramba (Via), Kannur-690 600.
The District Collector, Kannur.

The Tahsildar, Thalassery
The Director, Sch. Inland Revenue Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director, P.W.D., Kottayam-17,
The Vigilance Officer, P.W.D., Kottayam-17.
The Director, P.W.D., Kottayam Department (for press release).
The Assistant Commissioner of Land Revenue, Thiruvananthapuram.
The ...

Forwarded/By Order


Section Officer.