



Government of India  
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

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To,

The Secretary,  
Ministry of Agriculture,  
Krishi Bhawan,  
New Delhi-110001

Sub:- Review of Tribal Sub-Plan and Implementation of safeguards provided for Scheduled Tribes by the Ministry of Agriculture,

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your office letter No. 12-3/2012-SP dated 27/06/2012 in response to NCST letter No. 23/01/2012-Coord. dated 18/05/2012 on the subject mentioned above and to say that **Dr. Rameshwar Oraon, Hon'ble Chairperson** along with other Members of the Commission would review implementation of the Tribal Sub-Plan and safeguards provided for Scheduled Tribes by your Ministry in the **Sitting scheduled to be held on 30/10/2012 at 12:00 hours in the Conference Room of the Commission.**

2. It is requested that a brief presentation in relation to the STs may please be made before the Commission on all the relevant aspects, in respect of all the Departments, of the Ministry, inter-alia, including the following issues.

- a. Earmarking/allocation of funds under TSP and its utilization during each year of 11<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan and for 12<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan.
- b. Special schemes undertaken by the Ministry in respect of Scheduled Tribes and Scheduled Areas/Tribal Sub-Plan Areas and their effectiveness.
- c. Strategies/initiatives concerning requirement of the Scheduled Tribes and Scheduled Areas, Tribal Sub-Plan Areas for implementation during the 12<sup>th</sup> Plan.
- d. Status of representation of ST employees with reference of the Reservation Policy in the Ministry and its attached offices/subordinate offices/PSUs and autonomous organizations. Steps/initiatives taken to improve representation of STs in service in case of shortfall/backlog.

Arrangements for the presentation may please be got co-ordinated with Shri. Pradeep Agarwal, SSA, NIC ( Mob: 9971915026) one day in advance of the scheduled meeting.

3. You are requested kindly to make it convenient to attend the Sitting at the aforesaid date /time.

Yours faithfully,

(K.D.Bhansor) Mrs.  
Deputy Director

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