

#### **ABSTRACT**

Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission – Terms of Reference of Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission – Observation of Supreme Court of India - Additional Term of Reference prescribed – Orders – Issued.

# Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare (BCC) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.6

Dated: 12.01.2023

Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2053

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Read:

- 1. G.O.Ms.No.9, Backward classes, Most Backward Classes Welfare Department, dt.15.3.1993.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.17, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dt.1.3.2006.
- 3. G.O.Ms.No.35, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dt.21.3.2012.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No.92, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department dt.17.11.2022

### ORDER:

In Government order fourth read above the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission was reconstituted with Chairman and six Members and prescribed the Terms of reference of the Commission

- 2) In the Supreme Court of India judgment dated 31.3.2022, in C.A.No.2600 of 2022, in paragraphs 68 and 73, it has been observed that,
  - "68. .... We make it clear that the aforesaid observations do not prevent the State, if it so decides, from undertaking suitable exercises for collecting pertinent, contemporaneous data to determine how demands for internal reservation within the Backward Classes can be justly addressed.
  - 73. While the State Government has the competence to classify the Vanniyakula Kshatriyas or any other community or group of communities within backward classes as a particular class for the grant of special measures, there should be a reasonable basis for categorising such communities into a different section from the rest of the communities within the MBCs and DNCs, on grounds which cannot be superficial or illusory."

3) After careful examination, the Government decided to include the observation of the Supreme Court of India in C.A.No.2600 of 2022 specified in para 2 above as additional term of reference, as follows:-

"The Commission shall examine the demands for internal reservation within the Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities in the light of observations made by the Supreme Court in its judgement dated 31.3.2022 in C.A.No.2600 of 2022 in particular with reference to paragraphs 68 and 73 thereof and to furnish report to the Government within a period of three months."

# (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

# MANGAT RAM SHARMA ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To Hon'ble Mr Justice V. Bharathidasan, Chairman, Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission, 212, Ramakrishna Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. Dr S.Karuthiah Pandian, IAS (retd.)., The Member. Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission, 212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. Dr M.Jayaraman, IAS (retd.)., The Member, Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission, 212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. ThiruR.Sudalaikannan, IAS (retd.)., The Member, Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission, 212, R.K.Mutt Road, Mylapore, Chennai-4. ThiruK.Megraj, IAS (retd.,) The Member, Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission,

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The Commissioner of Backward Classes Welfare, Chennai -5.

The Commissioner of Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities Welfare, Chennai – 5.

The Director of Minorities Welfare, Chennai - 5.

The Principal Accountant General, Chennai - 18.

The Accountant General (A&E), Chennai - 18.

The Accountant General (Accounts - I& II), Chennai - 18.

The Accountant General (CAB), Chennai - 18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai - 9.

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Chief Minister's Office, Chennai – 9.

Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for

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Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and

Minorities Welfare Department, Chennai-9.

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