GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR ECONOMICALLY BACKWARD CLASSES (EBCC)

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Government of India have set up the "National Commission for Economically Backward Classes" with a view to study the status of classes not covered by the existing Reservation Policy and suggest criteria for identification for Economically Backward Classes and quantum of reservation for such classes on the basis of their economic backwardness.

The following are the Terms of Reference of the Commission :-

- 1. To suggest criteria for identification of economically backward classes
- To elicit the views of the State Government/Union Terrotories and others on the subject.
- To recommend the quantum of reservation in education and Govt. employment.
- The Commission (EBCC) is also required to recommend welfare measures and suggest the necessary constitutional legal and administrative modalities as required for the implementation of their recommendations.

The Commission comprises of following:-

Major General (retd.) S.R. Sinho - Chairman

Shri Narendra Kumar - Member.

3. Shri Mahendra Singh, I.A.S.(retd.) - Member Secretary

The Commission was set up in July 2006, and so, far, have visited-Rajasthan, Haryana, U.P., Bihar, Maharashtra, Kerala, Chattisgarh, Uttaranchal, Goa, West Bengal and Assam. The Commission is now on visit to Tamil Nadu and Punducherry.