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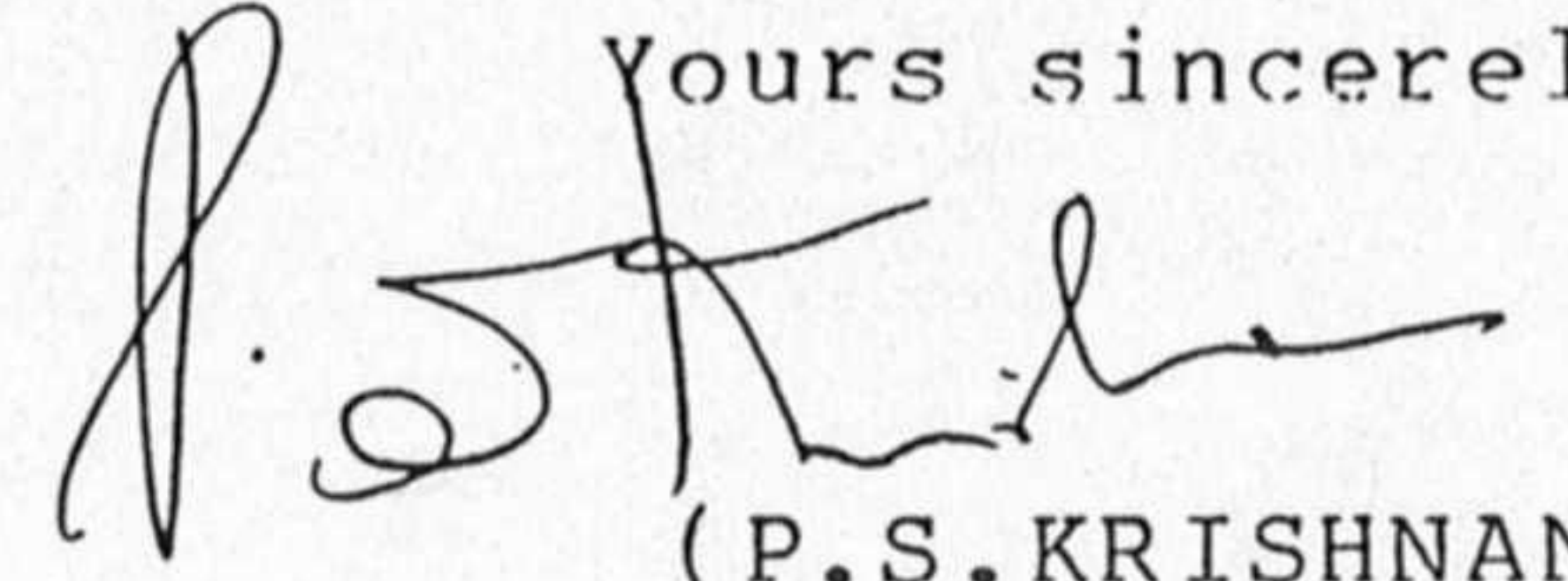
NCBC Advice No. U.P. 77-79/99

09.04.1999

Dear Shri Manavalan,

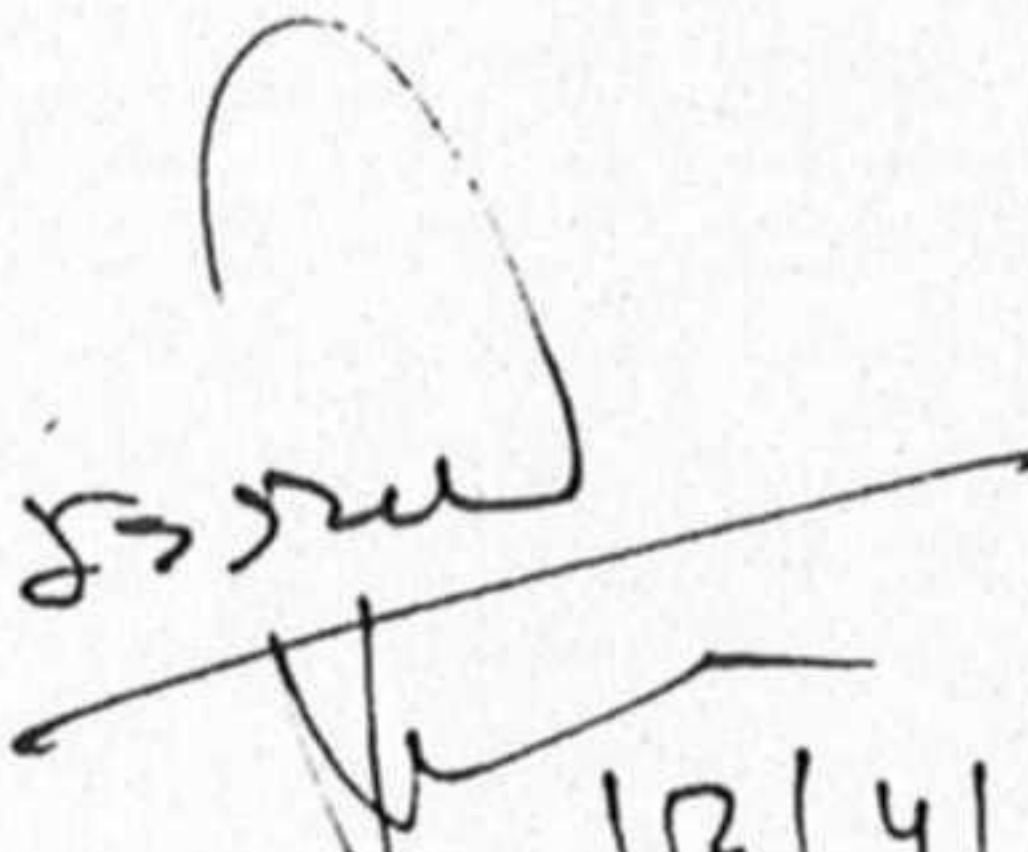
I am sending herewith the Advice of the National Commission for Backward Classes under Section 9(1) of the NCBC Act for the Rejection of the Request for Inclusion of "Bismali, Pemdi and Tadvi" castes/communities in the Central List of Backward Classes for Uttar Pradesh, duly authenticated, for necessary action by the Central Government under Section 9(2) of the NCBC Act.

Yours sincerely


(P.S. KRISHNAN)

Encl: As stated.

Shri D.K. Manavalan
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National Commission for Backward Classes

U.P. Bench

Findings

Case:- Request for inclusion of Bismali, Tadvi and Pemdi caste/communities in the Central List of Backward Classes for Uttar Pradesh.

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Per Justice P.K. Shyamsundar, Chairperson

I. Request

These cases arise from the Request received by the National Commission for Backward Classes from All India Muslim Backward Classes Federation, 93, R.K. Puram, SEctor-12, New Delhi-110022, M.P. Branch Office, 1617, South T.T. Nagar, Bhopal for inclusion of a number of castes/communities including Bismali, Tadvi and Pemdi castes/communities in the Central List of Backward Classes for U.P.

II. Public Hearing

The three Members U.P. Bench of the Commission consisting of Hon'ble Chairperson, Justice P.K. Shyamsundar, Hon'ble Members Shri Sahu Akshaya Bhai and Shri U.P. Singh held a Public Hearing at Lucknow on 28-10-98 to examine the request of the Federation for inclusion of these castes/communities in the Central List for Backward Classes for U.P. The State Government was represented by Shri R.V. Bhaskar, Principal Secretary and Shri J.S. Pant Director, Backward Classes Welfare Department. The State Commission for Backward Classes was

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represented by Shri Ram Bahadur, Secretary. No representative appeared on behalf of either the Federation or the caste/community.

III. Facts

3. Bismali, Tadvī and Pemdi castes/communities have not been included either in the Mandal List or in the State List.

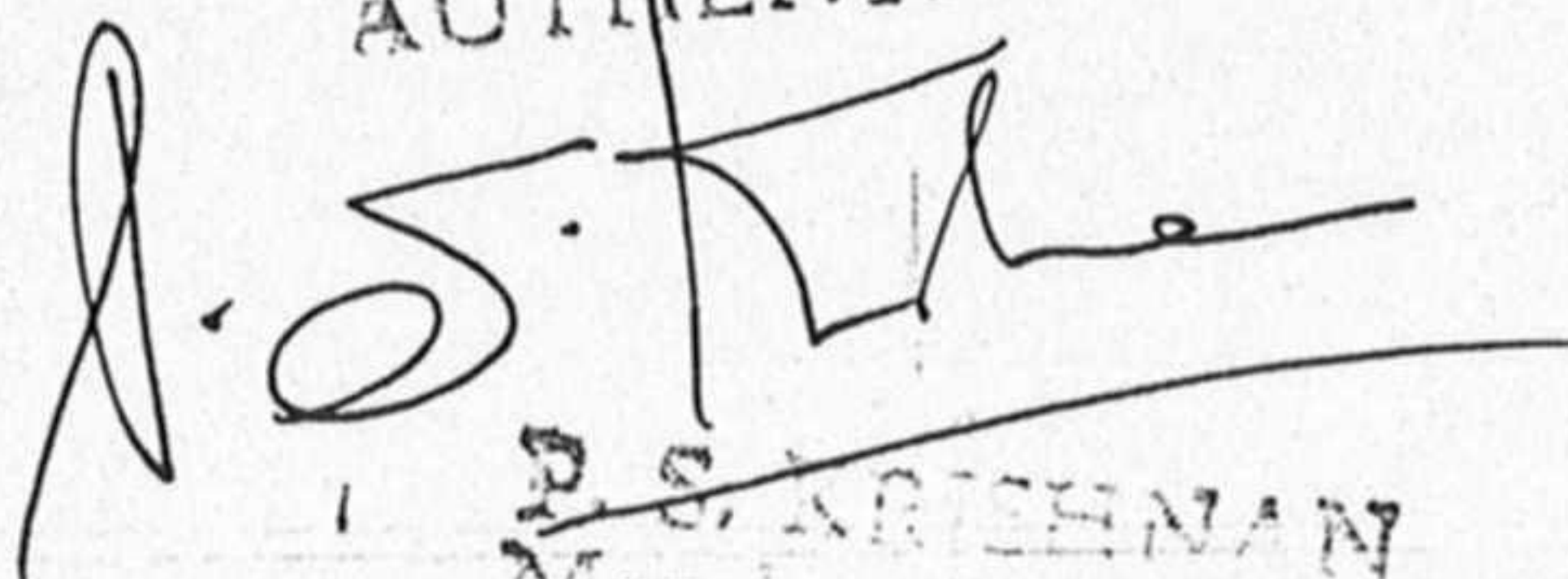
4. According to the Federation the occupations of these caste/communities are as below:-

<u>Caste/Community</u>		<u>Occupation</u>
Bismali	-	Variety of occupations
Pemdi	-	Petty business
Tadvī	-	Agricultural labour

Any other information regarding these castes/communities have not been provided by the Federation or any member of these castes/communities.

5. At the Public Hearings held by the Commission on 28-11-95, 21/22-04-98 and 28-10-98 no representative of these castes/communities appeared before the Bench. At the Public Hearings the people present on these occasions, belonging to different castes/communities and different parts of the State stated

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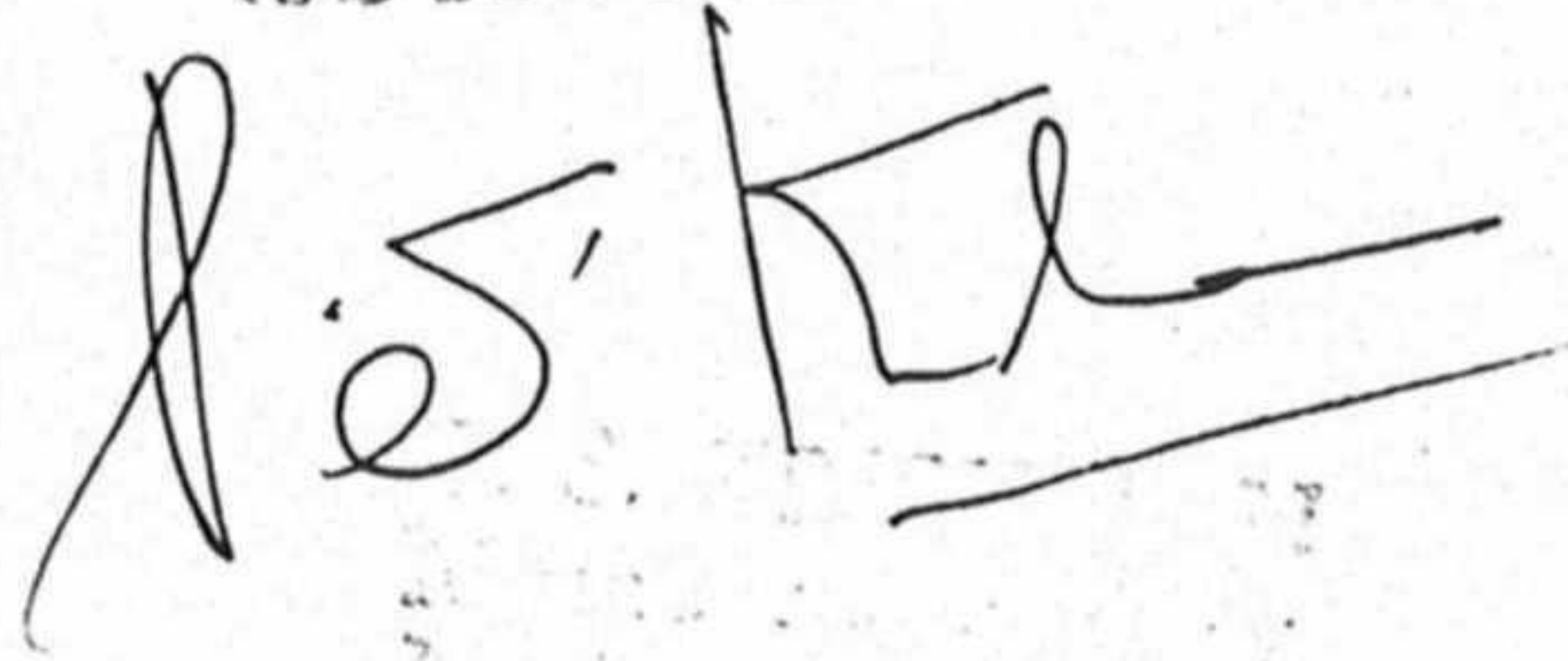
that they had never heard about these castes/communities. The representatives of the State Government stated that these castes/communities are not existing in the State. The representatives of the State Backward Classes Commission stated that the State Commission have not received any request for inclusion of these castes/communities in the State List.

6. Russel and Hira Lal in 'Tribes and Castes of the Central Provinces of India' (Vol.I, Asian Educational Services, New Delhi, Reprint, 1993, p.413) has a mention of Tadvi caste/community as, "Tadvi - A name for Muhammadan Bhils".

IV. Findings

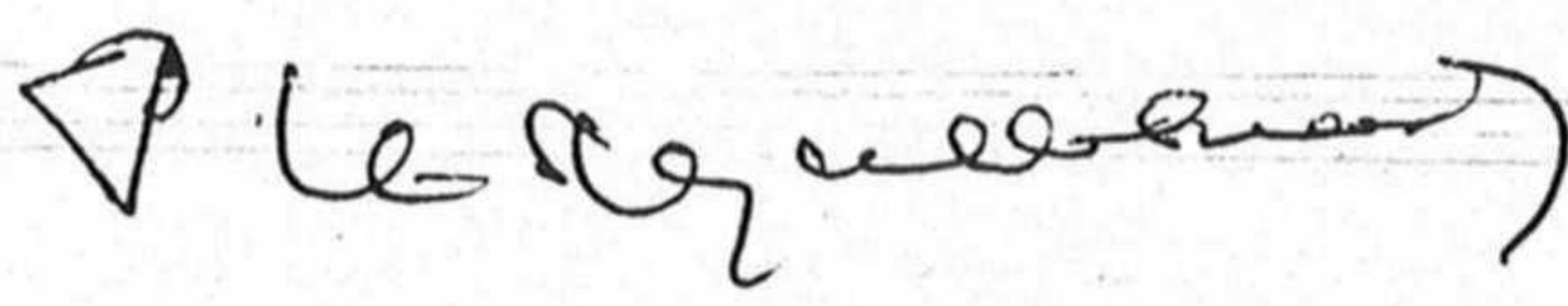
7. From the foregoing, the Bench finds no reason to disagree with the statements made by the public and State representatives regarding non-existence of these castes/communities in the State. The Commission held Public Hearings thrice and the Public Notice was given through media to any person who has to say anything about these castes/communities, to appear before the Bench but not a single person appeared on behalf of any of these communities. The ethnographic literature available about Tadvi caste/community indicates Tadvis are Muslim converts from Bhil Tribe. This supports the view regarding non-existence of Tadvi caste/community in the

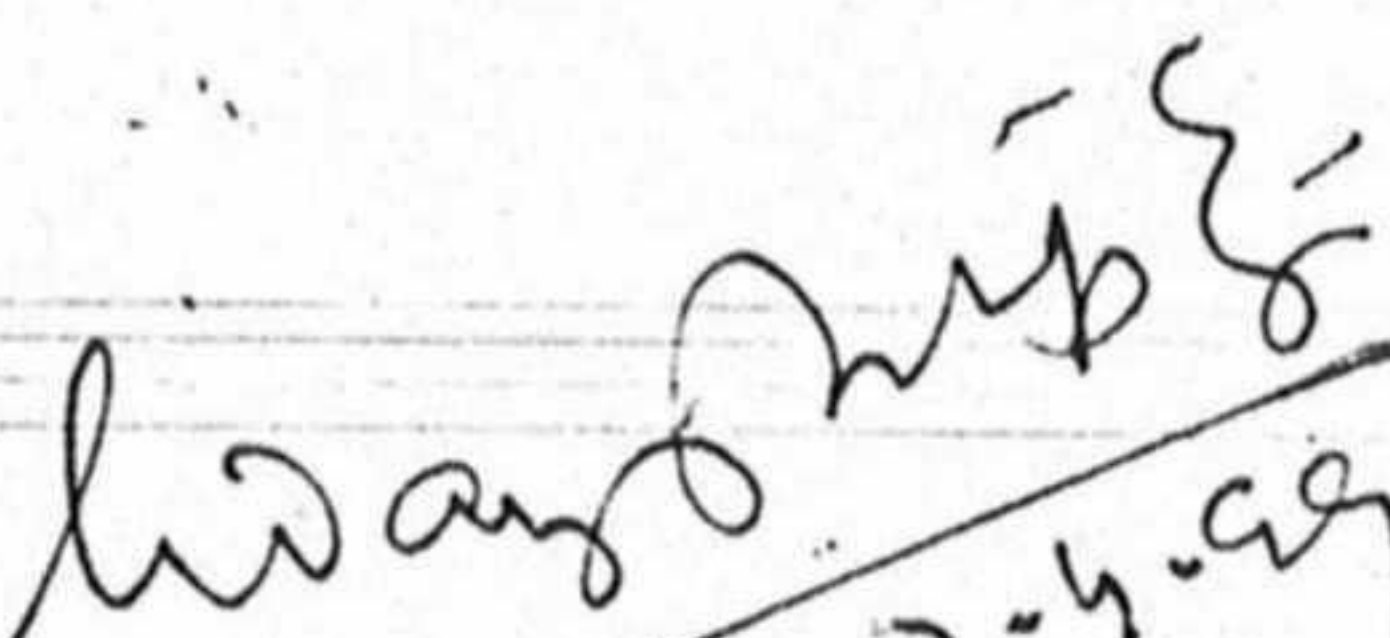
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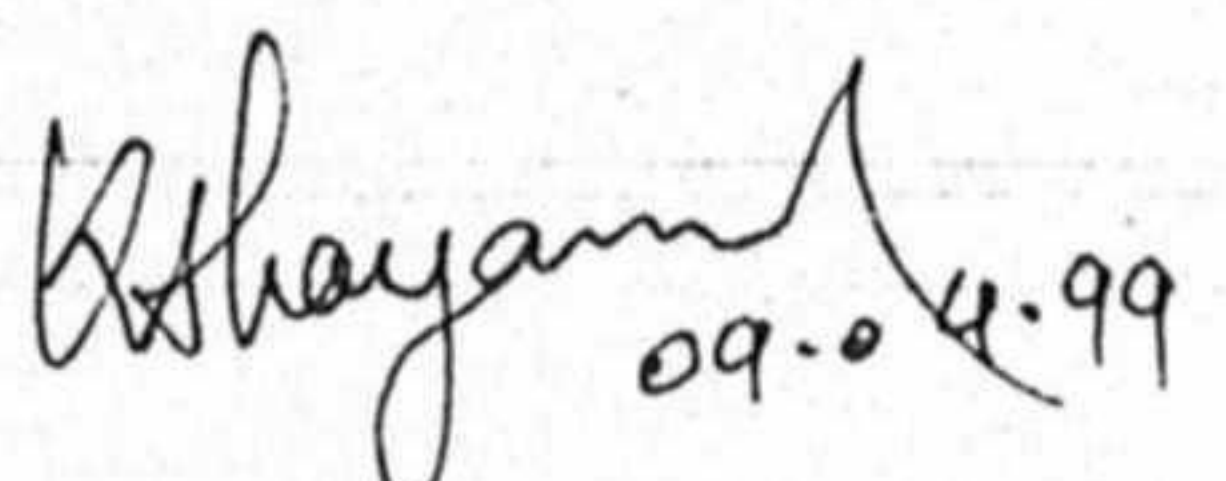


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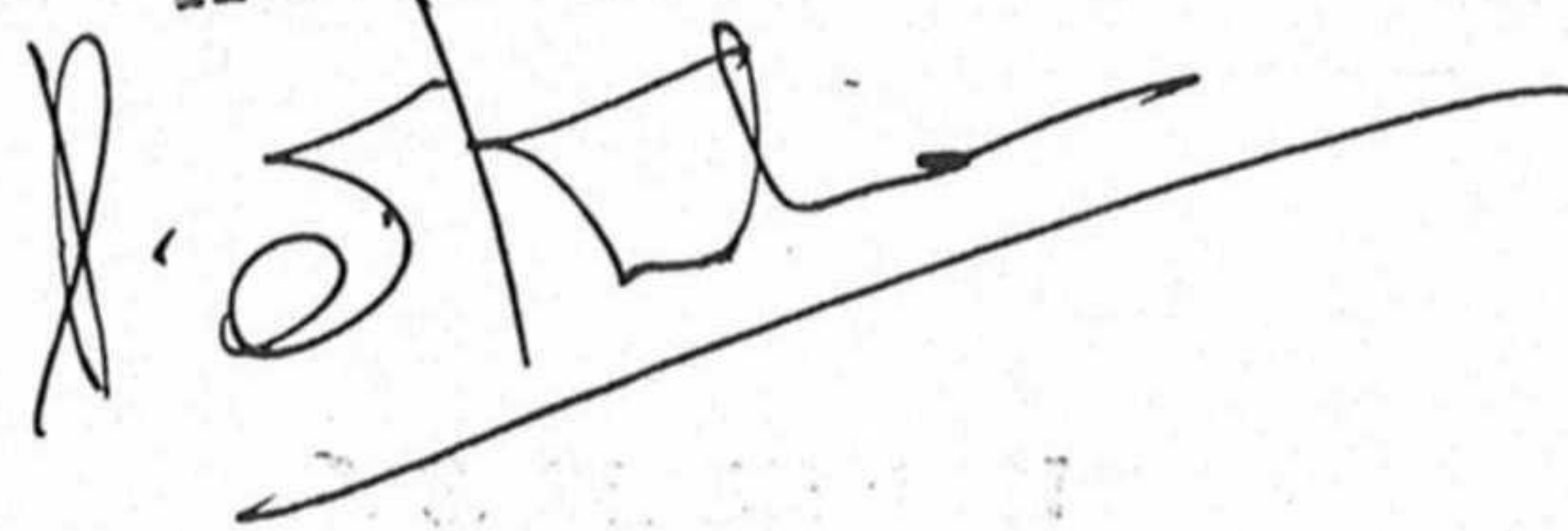
State, as Bhil Tribe is not at all found in the State of U.P. It is also relevant to mention here that the request for inclusion of these castes in the State of U.P. was made from the Bhopal Branch of the Federation. The Bench Holds that Bismali, Pemdi, Tadvi castes/communities are not existing in the State. Therefore, the request for inclusion of these castes/communities in the Central List of Backward Classes for Uttar Pradesh be rejected.


(Justice P.K. Shyam Sundar)


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V. Advice of the Commission

8. The Commission considered and agreed in full with the findings of the U.P. Bench and decided to tender the following Advices to the Central Government under Section 9(1) of the NCBC Act, 1993 for action by the Central Government under Section 9(2) of the Act:-

Request for inclusion of Bismali, Pemdi and Tadvi castes/communities in the Central List of Backward Classes for Uttar Pradesh be rejected as these castes/communities do not exist in the State of Uttar Pradesh.

On account of the unfortunate demise of one of the Members Shri Navtej Puadhi on 16.8.98, this unanimous Advice of the Commission does not bear the signature of that Member. The validity of the Advice notwithstanding the the vacancy caused by the demise of the aforesaid Member, is protected by Section 7 of the NCBC Act, 1993.

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