

NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR BACKWARD CLASSES

Justice M. N. Rao, Chairperson

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Case: Request for Inclusion of "SALEVAR, PADMASHALI, CHANEWAR/CHANNEWAR/CHENEWAR as synonyms of KOSHTI" in the Central List of Other Backward Classes for State of Maharashtra.

I. Request:

1. The Government of Maharashtra has requested the NCBC for inclusion of "SALEVAR, PADMASHALI, CHANEWAR/CHANNEWAR/ CHENEWAR as synonyms of KOSHTI" caste/community in the Central List of Other Backward Classes for the State of Maharashtra. The same was considered by the NCBC during the Public Hearing held at Mumbai on the 30th May & 1st June 2011.

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II. Findings:

2. In all these cases, the State Government of Maharashtra has requested the NCBC to treat as synonyms of Koshti the following communities

- 1) SALEVAR as a synonym of Koshti
- 2) PADMASHALI as a synonym of Koshti
- 3) CHANEWAR/CHANNEWAR/CHENEWAR as synonyms of Koshti.

for the purpose inclusion in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Maharashtra. The above-said request was made by the State Government on the basis of the advice tendered by the Maharashtra State Commission for Backward Classes.

3. We have gone through the advice tendered by the State Commission which has categorically recorded that the aforesaid communities are synonyms of Koshti, the profession of which is weaving. The request of the State Government is accordingly acceded to and the aforesaid communities are declared as synonyms of Koshti and all of them should be included in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Maharashtra.

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III. Advice of the Commission

4. The Commission considered all the aspects and decided to tender the following advice to the Central Government under Section 9 (1) of the NCBC Act, for necessary action by the Central Government under Section 9 (2) of the NCBC Act:-

"SALEVAR, PADMASHALI, CHANEWAR/ CHANNEWAR/ CHENEWAR as synonyms of KOSHTI" be included in the Central List of Backward Classes for the State of Maharashtra at entry No. 66 as follows:-

**"66. KOSHTI, SALEVAR, PADMASHALI, CHANEWAR/
CHANNEWAR/ CHENEWAR"**

M. N. Rao
19.7.11

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