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NCBC Advice No. 83-115/Andhra Pradesh/2015

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Dear *Ms Anilakoti,*

I am sending herewith Advices of the National Commission for Backward Classes (NCBC), under Section 9(1) of National Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993, regarding the following castes/communities for the State of Andhra Pradesh, duly authenticated, for necessary action by the Central Government under Section 9(2) of the NCBC Act:-

Sl.No.	Name of the Caste / Community	Remarks
1	Entry No. 1 'Agnikulakshatriya, Palli, Vadabalija, Bestha, Jalari, Gangavar, Gangaputra, Goondla, Vanyakulakshtriya (Vannekapu, Vannereddi Pallikapu, Pallireddi), Neyyala & Pattapu'	Correction
2	Entry No. 5 "Rajaka (Chakali, Vannar), Chakali, Vannar"	Correction
3	Entry No.15 "Nayi-Brahmin (Mangali), Mangala, Bajantri"	Correction
4	Entry No.17 "Vamsharaj, Pitchiguntala"	Correction
5	Entry No.22 "Veeramushti (Nettikotala), Veerabhadreeya"	Correction
6	Entry No.23 "Valmiki Boya (Boya, Bedar, Kirataka, Nishadi, Yellapi, Pedda Boya), Talayari and Chunduvallu"	Correction
7	Entry No.35 "Odde (Oddilu, Vaddi, Vaddelu), Vaddera, Waddera"	Correction
8	Entry No.99 "Kurakula confined to Srikakulam, Vizianagaram & Visakhapatnam Districts"	Correction
9	Entry No.97 "Pondara confined to Srikakulam, Vizianagaram & Visakhapatnam Districts"	Correction

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10	Entry No.100 “Kasi Kapadi”	Deletion
11	Entry No.106 “Sikligar/Saikilgar”	Correction
12	Entry No.39 “Achukadavandlu in the districts of Visakhapatnam and Guntur confined to Hindus only”	Correction
13	Entry No.42 “Goud, Ediga, Gouda (Gamalla, Kalalee), Goundla, Settibalija of Vishakapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari and Krishna Districts and Srisayana (Segidi)”	Correction
14	Entry No.47 “Karikalabhakthulu, Kaikolan or Kaikala (Sengundam or Sengunther)”	Correction
15	Entry No.53 “Perika (Perika Baliya, Puragiri Kshatriya)”	Correction
16	Entry No.55 “Padmasali (Sali, Salivan, Pattusali, Senapathulu, Thogata Sali)”	Correction
17	Entry No.58 “Thogata, Thogati or Thogataveerakshatriya”	Correction
18	Entry No. 98 “Lodh, Lodha, Lodhi”	Deletion
19	Entry No. 62 “Arekatika, Katika” Entry No. 62-A “Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)”	Correction
20	Entry No.64 “Bhatraju”	Correction
21	Entry No.75 “Krishnabhalija (Dasari, Bukka)”	Correction
22	Entry No.82 “Neeli”	Correction
23	Entry No.88 “Satani (Chattadasrivaishnava)”	Correction
24	Entry No.89 “Tammali (Non-Brahmins)(Shudra Caste)”	Correction

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25	Entry No.95 “Ayyaraka confined to Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna & Guntur Districts”	Correction
26	Entry No.109 “Kurmi (confined to Krishna District only)”	Correction
27	Entry No.110 “Budubunjala/Bhunjwa/Bhadbhuj (confined to Hyderabad and Ranga Reddy Districts only)”	Deletion
28	Entry No.74 “Surya Bali (Kalavanthula, Ganika)”	Correction
29	Entry No.21 Dammali / Dammala / Dammula / Damala / Peddammavandlu, Devaravandlu, Yellammavandlu, Mutyalammavandlu”	Inclusion
30	Entry No. 112 “Samanthula / Samantha / Sountia / Sauntia confined to Srikakulam District”	Inclusion
31	Entry No.111 “Lakkamarikapu (Confined to Telangana region only)”	Deletion
32	Entry No.107 “Siddula”	Deletion
33	Entry No. 80 “Munnurkapu (Telangana)”	Deletion

With *Regards.*

Yours sincerely,


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Hon'ble Shri A.K.Saini, Member

Hon'ble Dr. Shakeel uz-Zaman Ansari, Member

Hon'ble Shri A.K.Mangotra, Member-Secretary

**Case: Correction in spelling with regard to Entry No.62
'Arekatika, Katika, Quresh (Muslim Butchers)' caste /
community in the Central List of OBCs for the State of
Andhra Pradesh.**

I. REQUEST

1. NCBC received many queries with regard to the variations in the spelling of the castes/communities in the State List of BCs and Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.
2. After the formation of the State of Telangana from out of the State of Andhra Pradesh, NCBC has initiated action to find out the names of the castes/communities for their existence in the Andhra Pradesh area, area restriction of certain

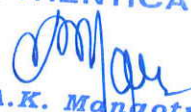
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castes/communities, correction of spellings of the castes/communities/synonyms, deletions, additions and alternations in the existing Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh, as the NCBC also noticed certain variations. Similar problems were noticed on comparison of the State Backward Classes List with the existing Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh. There were also requests for inclusion of certain castes/communities which are included in the State Backward Classes List but are not included in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

3. The matter was placed before the Full Commission on 18-02-2015 and 04-03-2015. Accordingly, it was decided that the Commission will hold a Short Public Hearing at Vijaywada for the State of Andhra Pradesh for verification with regard to the existence, correct spelling of the castes/communities/synonyms and for additions, deletions, alterations etc., of the respective castes/communities/synonyms. Therefore, a Public Notice was issued in the local Newspapers on 02-04-2015 for the purposes of existence, area restriction, correct spelling, synonyms for correction, deletion, addition and alteration in respect of the castes/communities listed in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

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II. PUBLIC HEARING

4. The Commission consisting of Justice V. Eswaraiah, Hon'ble Chairperson, Shri A. K. Saini, Hon'ble Member and Shri A.K.Mangotra, Hon'ble Member-Secretary held A Public Hearing at Vijayawada on 6th and 7th April, 2015 to consider cases for verification of existence, area restriction and correction/ deletion/addition/alteration the spellings of the names of castes/communities in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

5. At the time of Public Hearing, on behalf of the State Government of Andhra Pradesh and the Andhra Pradesh State Commission for Backward Classes, the following Officers were present:

1) Shri Praveen Kumar, Secretary, B.C. Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh.

2) Shri A. Krishna Mohan, Commissioner/Member-Secretary, A.P. State Backward Classes Commission.

6. Thereafter, the entire matter including the inputs from the Public Hearing were placed before the full Commission on 20-05-2015 and 08-10-2015 for discussion and consideration and after analyzing the Report of the State Government/State

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Commission and also going through submissions put forward by the representatives of the State Government/State Commission and also the representatives of concerned castes/communities at Public Hearing, the opinion of the Commission in respect of these castes/communities has been arrived at.

III. FACTS

7. In the State List of Backward Classes in Group D at Sl.No.2, the following castes/communities are included:-

"Arekatika, Katika, **Are-Suryavamshi**".

8. However, in the Central List of Other Backward Classes for the State of Andhra Pradesh, the following castes/communities are included in Entry 62:-

"Arekatika, Katika, **Quresh (Muslim Butchers)**"

9. The caste/community "**Quresh (Muslim Butchers)**" was included at Entry No.62 along with 'Arekatika, Katika' in the Central List of Other Backward Classes for the State of Andhra Pradesh on the recommendation of the National Commission for Backward Classes vide its Advice No.A.P.31/2004. The representatives of the "Quresh (Muslim Butchers)" as well as "Arekatika, Katika' submit that the

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Muslim caste '**Quresh (Muslim Butchers)**' should be separated from Entry No.62 and should be shown as a separate Entry. It was stated that the caste and religion of 'Arekatika, Katika' is different and their occupation also is different from that of Muslim Butchers. Muslims are not called as 'Arekatika' or 'Katika'. Therefore '**Quresh (Muslim Butchers)**' may be separated from Entry No.62 and included in a separate Entry alongwith other Muslim Communities i.e. included at Entry No.37 'Mehtar (Muslim)' and 43 'Dudekula, Laddaf, Pinjari or Noorbash'. It was also stated that in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh at Entry No.37 and 43, no Hindu castes/communities are included. Therefore, 'Qureshi, Kureshi/Khureshi' was separately included in the State List of Backward Classes in Group 'E' at Sl.No.11 along with Khasab, Marati Khasab, Muslim Katika, Khatik Muslim'. The aforesaid Officers of the State Government and State Commission for Backward Classes state that the State List is correct and requested to correct the Central List in accordance with the State List.

IV. FINDINGS

10. After ascertaining from the officials as well as the caste people present, the NCBC has formed the opinion that to avoid confusion and to have uniformity, the Entry No.62 in the

Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh is required to be corrected in conformity with the State List of Backward Classes in so far as 'Arekatika, Katika' are concerned and to delete **Quresh (Muslim Butchers)** from Entry No.62 in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh. Accordingly, the NCBC recommends to **correct** the Entry No.62 in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh in conformity with the State List of Backward Classes in so far as 'Arekatika, Katika' are concerned and **delete** 'Quresh (Muslim Butchers)' from Entry No.62 and **include** '**Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)**' as a **separate Entry No.62A** in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh. After correction the Entry No.62 would read as under:-

"Arekatika, Katika".

Delete 'Quresh (Muslim Butchers)' from Entry No.62 and a separate **Entry No. 62-A** to be given to '**Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)**' in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

V. ADVICE OF THE COMMISSION

11. The Commission in view of the above findings has decided to tender the following Advice to the Central Government under Section 9(1) of the NCBC Act for necessary action:-

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"NCBC recommends to correct the Entry No.62 in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh in conformity with the State List of Backward Classes in so far as 'Arekatika, Katika' are concerned and delete 'Quresh (Muslim Butchers)' from Entry No.62 and include 'Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)' as a separate Entry No.62A in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh. After correction the Entry No.62 would read as under:-

Entry No. 62 'Arekatika, Katika'

Delete 'Quresh (Muslim Butchers)' from Entry No.62 and a separate Entry No. 62-A be given to 'Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)' in the Central List of OBCs for the State of Andhra Pradesh.

Entry No. 62-A Qureshi (Muslim Butchers)"


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