FORM OF CERTIFICATE PRESCRIBED

Form of certificate as prescribed in M.H.A., O.M., No. 42/21/49 - N.G.S., dated the 28.1.1952, as revised in Dept. of Per- & A.R. letter No. 36012/6/76-Est. (S.C.T.), dated the 29.10.1977, to be produced by candidate belonging to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe in support of his/her claim.

FORM OF CASTE CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that Shri / Shrimathi* / Kumari* ___________________________ Son/daughter* of ___________________________ in District / Division* ___________________________ of the State / Union Territory* ___________________________ belongs to the ___________________________ Caste / Tribe* which is recognized as a Scheduled Caste under:

*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951.
*The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) (Union Territories) Order, 1951.

[(As amended by the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Lists (Modification) order, 1956, the Bombay Re-organization Act, 1960, the Punjab Re-organization Act, 1966, the State of Himachal Pradesh Act, 1970, the North Eastern Areas (Re-organization) Act, 1971 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders, (Amendment) Act, 1976]

*The Constitution (Andaman and Nicobar Islands) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1959, as amended by the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act, 1976;
*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Caste Order, 1962;
*The Constitution (Dadra and Nagar Haveli) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1962;
*The Constitution (Pondicherry) Scheduled Caste Order, 1964;
*The Constitution (Uttar Pradesh) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1967;
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Caste Order, 1968;
*The Constitution (Goa, Daman & Diu) Scheduled Tribes, Order, 1968;
*The Constitution (Nagaland) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1970;
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Caste Order, 1978;
*The Constitution (Sikkim) Scheduled Tribes Order, 1978;
*The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Orders (Amendment) Act, 1990;

2. **This certificate is issued on the basis of the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes certificate issued to Shri/Shrimathi* ____________father/mother* of Shri/Shrimathi*/Kumari________________ of village/town* ________________ of District/Division* _______________ of the State/Union Territory* ________________ who belongs to the Caste / Tribe which is recognized as issued by the ________________ dated ____________.

3. Shri/Shrimathi*/Kumari* ________________ and/or* his/her* family ordinarily reside(s) in village/town* ________________ of ________________ District / Division* of the State / Union Territory* ________________

Signature_________________
Designation ______________
(with seal of office)

Place________________ State
Date______________ Union Territory

Note-The term "Ordinarily resides" used here will have the same meaning as in Section 20 of the Representation of the People Act, 1950.

*Please delete the words which are not applicable.

**Applicable in the case of SCs, STs persons who have migrated from one State / UT
AUTHORITIES EMPOWERD TO ISSUE CASTE CERTIFICATES

[G. I. Dept. Of Per. & Trg., O.M. No. 36012/6/88-Estt. (SCT), (SRD.III), dated 24-4-1990.]

The undermentioned authorities have been empowered to use Caste Certificate of Verification –

1. District Magistrate / Additional District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner / Additional Deputy Commissioner / Deputy Collector / 1st Class Stipendiary Magistrate / Sub-Divisional Magistrate / Taluka Magistrate / Executive Magistrate / Extra Assistant Commissioner
3. Revenue Officer not below the rank of Tahsildar.
4. Sub-Divisional Officer of the area where the candidate & / or his /her family resides.