

#### **ABSTRACT**

List of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities – Inclusion of Thiyya Community in the list of Backward Classes – Order – Issued.

# Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare (BCC) Department

G.O. (MS) No.55

Dated: 15.07.2020 Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2051 Charvari, Aani 31 Read:

- 1. G.O.(Ms) No.58, Social Welfare Department, dated 23.01.1976.
- 2. G.O.(Ms) No.85, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 29.07.2008.
- 3. From the Chairman, Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission, Letter No.488/TNBCC/2017, dated 20.11.2017.
- 4. G.O.(Ms) No.39, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare Department, dated 21.04.2020.
- Report, dated 09.06.2020, of the Committee constituted to examine the requests of Ezhuva and Thiyya Communities for Backward Classes Certificate.

#### ORDER:

Various representations were received for issuance of Backward Classes certificate to Ezhuva and Thiyya Communities. The views of the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission were obtained on the requests of Ezhuva and Thiya Communities. In continuation, a Committee was constituted to examine the requests of Ezhuva and Thiyya Communities for issuance of Backward Classes Community Certificate in the State, vide Government Order fourth read above. The Committee has recommended in its report fifth read above, as follows:-

"The Committee recommends that the grievances of Thiyya not getting Backward Classes community certificate may be redressed by notification of the community as Backward Classes in this State, as per the provisions of the Tamil Nadu Act 45 of 1994, on par with their notification in the Central list of OBCs for Tamil Nadu. The Committee recommends that the orders issued in para 4 of G.O.(Ms) No.58, Social Welfare Department, dated 23.01.1976, as given below may be followed in these cases."

2. Para 4 of G.O.(Ms) No.58, Social Welfare Department, dated 23.01.1976, states that,

"Only persons who belong to Tamil Nadu and to one of the communities included in the list of Backward Classes shall be treated as Backward Classes. Persons belonging to other States shall not be treated as Backward Classes in this State even though they may belong to one of the communities included in the list of Backward Classes."

- 3. The Government of India, the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, have passed Resolution No.12015/9/2000-BCC, dated 06.09.2001, and published in the Gazette of India that the "Thiyya" community has been included in the Central List of OBCs in the State of Tamil Nadu, based on the recommendation of the National Commission for Backward Classes.
- 4. The Government after careful consideration, accept the recommendations of the Committee constituted to examine the request of Ezhuva and Thiyya Communities for issuance of Backward Classes Certificate and order the inclusion of Thiyya community as Backward Class in the State in serial no.109A, in List of Backward Classes issued in the Notification in G.O.(Ms) No. 85, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 29.07.2008, and necessary amendment is made to the "List of Backward Classes", notified in the Government order second read above, by the notification appended herein below.
- 5. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in the **Tamil Nadu Government Gazette.**

#### NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (a) of section 3 of the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Reservation of seats in Educational Institutions and of appointments or posts in the services under the State) Act, 1993 (Tamil Nadu Act 45 of 1994), the Governor of Tamil Nadu hereby makes the following amendment to the Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department Notification No.II(1)BCMBCMW/36(a)/2008, published at pages 1-9 of Part II – Section 1 of the **Tamil Nadu Government Gazette**, Extraordinary, dated the 5th September 2008.

#### AMENDMENT.

In the said Notification, in THE SCHEDULE, in the heading, LIST OF BACKWARD CLASSES, BACKWARD CLASS CHRISTIANS, BACKWARD CLASS MUSLIMS, MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES, under the sub-heading I-List of Backward Classes, after Serial No.109 and the entry relating thereto, the following Serial Number and the entry shall respectively, be inserted, namely:-

"109-A. Thiyya".

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