No.36011/1/2012-Estt. (Res.) Government of India Department of Personnel and Training Establishment (Reservation) Section

North Block, New Delhi-110001 Dated the 10th January, 2013.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Action against Government servants who get appointment on the basis of false SC/ST/OBC certificates.

The undersigned is directed to invite reference to this Department's OM No.11012/7/91-Estt.(A) dated 19.5.1993 which provides as under:-

"Wherever it is found that a Government servant. who was not qualified or eligible in terms of the recruitment rules etc., for initial recruitment in service or had furnished false information or produced a false certificate in order to secure appointment, he should not be retained in service. If, he is probationer or a temporary Government servant, he should be discharged or his services should be terminated. If he has become a permanent Government servant, an inquiry as prescribed in Rule 14 of CCS (CCA) Rules, 1965 may be held and if the charges are proved, the Government servant should be removed dismissed from service. In no circumstances should any penalty be imposed".

2. The position was reiterated <u>vide</u> this Department's OM No.42011/22/2006-Estt.(Res.) dated the 29th March,2007

that the cases other than those protected by the specific order of the Apex Court should be dealt with in accordance with the instructions contained in the aforesaid O.M. However, it has been observed that disciplinary proceedings in the cases involving appointments on the basis of false/fake caste certificates take considerable time and the persons who have secured employment on the basis of false caste certificates enjoy the benefits of Government service whereas such Government servants should be removed/ dismissed from the service at the earliest.

- 3. It is requested that disciplinary enquiries involving the matter of securing jobs on the basis of false/fake certificates should be completed in a time bound manner and unscrupulous persons who have got appointment on the basis of fake/false caste certificates should not be retained in service and should be dismissed/removed thenceforth.
- 4. Contents of this OM may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

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Under Secretary to the Government of India

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- 6. National Commission for Scheduled Castes, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 7. National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 8. National Commission for Backward Classes, Trikoot-I, Bhikaji Cama Place, R.K. Puram, New Delhi.
- 9. Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, 10, Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi 110002.
- 10. CBI, LBSNAA, ISTM, PESB, Central Sectt. Library, MHA Library.
- Information and Facilitation Centre, DOPT, North Block, New Delhi. It is requested that the OM may be uploaded on DoP&T's website.