



Government of India
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes
(A Constitutional Commission set up under Art. 338A
of the Constitution of India)

File No. NVK/5/2014/STGAP/SEOTH/RU-IV

Dated: 15.12.2016

To,

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| 1. The Chief Secretary,
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
AP Secretariat,
Velagapudi,
Vijayawada - 522 503
(Andhra Pradesh) | 2. The Director General of Police,
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Vijayawada - 520 002.
(Andhra Pradesh) |
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Sub: Proceedings of the sitting taken by Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes (NCST) on 01.11.2016 at 02.00 P.M in the matter of Ms. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari, Vijayawada, AP regarding molestation of ST woman.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose a copy of the Proceedings of the Sitting held in the National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on 01.11.2016 on the above mentioned subject for necessary action. Action taken report in the matter may be intimated to the Commission, at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

VR
(V.P. Shahi)
Assistant Director

Copy to:-

Ms. N. Vijaya Kumari,
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Fortune Aurbindo Apartment,
Ramavarapadu,
Vijayawada - 521 108 (AP).

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Proceedings of the Sitting taken by Shri Ravi Thakur, Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson, NCST on 01.11.2016 at 02.00 P.M. in the matter of Smt. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari, Vijayawada, AP regarding molestation of ST woman.

Date of sitting: 01.11.2016

List of the officers present: (Annex I)

Smt. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari, Vijayawada vide representation dated 12.09.2014 has requested to enquire upon the incident of misbehavior and outraging the modesty of a ST woman by Shri Naga Raju, Police Officer of Vijayawada. The representation was referred to the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad by the Commission. The Director General of Police has forwarded the enquiry report of the Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada City vide letter No. 4276/C2/2015 dated 11.09.2015. This report was forwarded to Smt. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari for information.

2. Smt. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari vide representation dated 20.10.2016 had stated that the report submitted by the Director General of Police of Andhra Pradesh is not satisfactory and is also incomplete.

3. The Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson, NCST had fixed a Sitting for 01.11.2016 to discuss the issue raised by Smt. Nenavath Vijaya Kumari with the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.



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4. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad vide letter No. 4276/C-2/2016 dated 29.10.2016 nominated Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada for attending the Sitting.

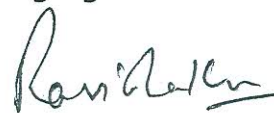
5. The Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson asked the Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada to explain the Action Taken by the Police department for providing justice to the petitioner. The Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada has pointed out the report furnished by Police Department of Andhra Pradesh, is incomplete and the Police Department would pursue the matter further.

6. The Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson, NCST directed the petitioner to explain the issue and the problems being faced by her. The petitioner stated that the report submitted by the Police Department is incomplete and the department tried to save ^{Shri} Naga Raju, Inspector.

8. The Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson, NCST asked the Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada to comment on the issues raised by the petitioner. The Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada stated that the issue raised by the petitioner is required to be re-investigated to find out the reality.

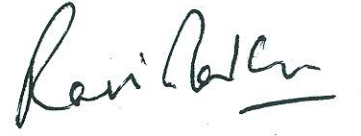
9. The Hon'ble Vice-Chairperson has therefore suggested that the following Action be taken and the action taken may be sent to this Commission within 15 days from the ^{date of} receipt of this proceedings.

- (i) The case needs to be re-investigated, for providing justice to a tribal woman.
- (ii) the enquiry register to be re-opened and an FIR to be registered against Shri Naga Raju, Police Officer for outraging the modesty of a tribal woman.


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- (iii) Statement duly signed by the witnesses during the raid to be produced.
- (iv) The list of the officers with designation, who made the raid at the house of petitioner and their ~~names~~^{details} may be furnished.
- (v) If Inquiry Inspector ~~is~~^{if} found guilty, the case under Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act , 1989 and amended in 2015 may be registered.
- (vi) The matter may be reported to State Government through Chief Secretary for appropriate action.

It is recommended accordingly.



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Annexure-1

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List of participants

NCST

1. Shri Ravi Thakur, Hon'ble Vice Chairperson (In chair)
2. Mrs. K.D. Bhansor, Director
3. Shri P.V. Mohandas, PS to VC

Officers of Government of Andhra Pradesh

Shri Gautam Sawang, Commissioner of Police, Vijayawada

Petitioner

Smt. N. Vijaya Kumari.