



सत्यमेव जयते

राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग  
**National Commission for Scheduled Tribes**

(भारत के संविधान के अनुच्छेद 338क के अंतर्गत दीवानी न्यायालय की शक्तियों को प्रयोग करने वाला एक संवैधानिक निकाय)  
(A Constitutional body exercising powers of a Civil Court under Article 338A of the Constitution of India)

**NOTICE**

F. No. NCST/DEV-1410/WB/11/2023-ESDW

Dated: 10.03.2023

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**Sub: Regarding the cancellation of large number of ST Caste Certificates by the Sub-divisional officer, Rajganj, Uttar Dinajpur, West Bengal through order dated 16.01.2023.**

Whereas a Notice was published by the Office of the Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj, Uttar Dinajpur, Government of West Bengal on the subject cited above as enclosed and the Commission has decided to take **Suo Moto Cognizance** of this matter and to investigate/inquire into the matter in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it under Article 338A of the Constitution of India. You are hereby requested to submit the facts and information on the action taken on the allegations/matters to the undersigned **within 03 days** of receipt of this notice either by post or in person or by any other means of Communication.

Please take notice that in case the Commission does not receive reply from you within the stipulated time, the Commission may exercise the powers of Civil Courts conferred on it under of Article 338A of the Constitution of India and issue summons for your appearance in person or by a representative before the Commission.

Encl: As above

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10/3/23 o/c  
ISSUED

*Miranda Ingudam*  
(Smt. Miranda Ingudam)  
Director