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GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

Personnel and Administrative  
Reforms (S) Department,  
Fort St. George,  
Chennai - 600 009.

Letter No.51212/S/98-2, Dated 5.10.1998

From  
Thiru D.Prakash, I.A.S.,  
Secretary to Government.

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To  
All Secretaries to Government,  
Departments of Secretariat,  
Chennai-9.

Sir,

Sub : Public Services - Departmental Promotion  
Committee - Nomination of SC/ST Member  
in Selection Committee - Further Instruction -  
Issued.

Ref : 1.G.O.Ms.No.137, Personnel and Administrative  
Reforms (S) Department, dated 9.6.98. 139  
2. From Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission  
Letter No.366/DPA-A1/98, dated 13.8.98.  
pp3-49  
1995-68  
3. Government Letter No.51212/S/98-1,  
dated 21.9.98.

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I am directed to invite your attention to the  
Government Order cited wherein orders have been issued that  
a Group-A Officer of the Department who belongs to SC/ST  
should be nominated as Member in the Departmental Promotion  
Committee.

2. The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission in the  
letter cited has requested a clarification on whether an  
SC/ST Officer belonging to the Heads of Department may be  
nominated as a Member in the Departmental Promotion  
Committee.

3. In the Government letter third cited it has been  
clarified that only an SC/ST Officer who belongs to the  
Administrative Department in Secretariat should be nominated  
as Member in the Departmental Promotion Committee since  
Government is the appointing authority for all the posts  
in Group 'A' and certain posts in Group 'B'. If the  
nominated person, say Under Secretary to Government, is  
himself included in the panel for consideration as

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Municipal Commissioner / Commercial Tax Officer / Deputy Collector, etc., then the seniormost Group 'B' Officer in the Administrative Department of Secretariat should be nominated.

4. The nomination of SC/ST member of the Departmental Promotion Committee will have to be made by the concerned Administrative Departments in Secretariat. The Departments of Secretariat are, therefore, instructed to furnish the name of the nominated SC/ST Officer to the Commission while sending proposals for selection of candidates to the posts where rule of reservation is applied at the stage of promotion.

Yours faithfully,

*V. Raju Rao*

for SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission,  
Chennai-2.

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