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From

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana,  
Agriculture Department.

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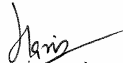
1. The Director General Agriculture, Haryana, Panchkula.
2. The Director General Horticulture, Haryana, Panchkula.
3. The Chief Administrator,  
Haryana State Agriculture Marketing Board, Panchkula.
4. The Managing Director,  
Haryana Seeds Development Corporation, Panchkula.
5. The Managing Director,  
Haryana Warehousing Corporation, Panchkula.
6. The Managing Director,  
Haryana Land Reclamation & Development Corporation,  
Panchkula.
7. The Managing Director,  
Haryana Agro-Industries Corporation, Panchkula.
8. The Director,  
Haryana State Seeds Certificate Agency,  
Panchkula.
9. The Registrar,  
CCS Haryana Agriculture University, Hisar.

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Memo No. 1161-Agri. II (2)-2015/9021  
Chandigarh, Dated the 11/5/15

Subject: Issuance of Caste Certificates to Scheduled Caste Category after  
adopting other religion.

Enclosed please find herewith a copy of letter No. 22/133/2014-IGS,,  
dated 11-03-2015 received from the Chief Secretary to Govt. Haryana, on the subject  
cited above for immediate necessary action.

  
Superintendent,  
for Additional Chief Secretary to Govt. of Haryana,  
Agriculture Department. p

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From

The Chief Secretary to Govt., Haryana.

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To

1. All Administrative Secretaries.
2. All the Head of Departments.
3. Commissioners, Ambala/Rohtak/Gurgaon/Hisar Division.
4. The Registrar, Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh.
5. All the Deputy Commissioners & Sub-Divisional Officers (Civil) Haryana State.
6. All the Registrars of Universities in Haryana.

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Dated Chandigarh, the 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2015

**Subject:- Issuance of Caste Certificates to Scheduled Caste Category after adopting other religion.**

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Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer on the subject noted above and to say that instances have come to the notice of the Government that Caste Certificates to Scheduled Castes persons, on change of religion from Hindu to Budhist and Sikh, are not being issued by various authorities and needy persons are facing hardships to obtain their genuine certificates.

2. The Government has taken a serious note of the matter. It is intimated that with amendment of the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) orders 1950 by the constitution (Scheduled Castes) orders (Amendment) Act, 1950, the Scheduled Castes communities which are included in the President's orders and converted to Buddhist religion shall be deemed to be a member of the Scheduled Caste. While issuing the Scheduled Caste certificate to these persons, the same procedure has to be followed as applicable to the members of other Scheduled Caste communities belonging to Hindu and Sikh religions. Therefore, your kind attention is drawn to the Government instruction issued vide Number 2825-SW(I)90, dated 10.10.1990 (copy enclosed) for strict compliance.

Yours faithfully,

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Superintendent General Services-III  
for Chief Secretary to Government, Haryana.

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From

Commissioner & Secretary to Govt. Haryana,  
Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes Department,  
Haryana, Chandigarh.

To

All Head of Departments,  
Commissioners Ambala, Hissar, Gurgaon & Rohtak Divisions,  
Registrar, Punjab and Haryana High Court  
Chandigarh.

All Deputy Commissioners/S.D.O. Civil, in Haryana State.

Director,  
Welfare of Schedule Castes and Backward Classes,  
Haryana, Chandigarh.

All District Welfare Officers in the State.

Memo No. ~~SW(1)-90~~ Dated 16.10.1990.

**Subject** :- Removal of bar on the Scheduled Castes converts to Buddhism from being deemed to be members of the Scheduled Castes.

Reference subject noted above.

2. A copy of the Notification No. 12016/28/90-SCD (R. Cell), dated 31st July, 1990 received from the Government of India, Ministry of Welfare/Kalyan Mantralaya, New Delhi alongwith its enclosures forwarded for information and necessary action.

Sd/-

Superintendent Social Welfare,  
for Commissioner & Secretary to Govt. Haryana  
Social Welfare Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA/ BHARAT SARKAR  
Ministry of Welfare/ Kalyan Mantralaya

No. 12016/28/90 SCD (R-Cell)

New Delhi, Dated 20th November, 1990

To,  
The Secretary,  
Social Welfare Department/  
Department dealing with the welfare of SC/ST of  
all the States  
Governments/ U.T. Administrations.

**Subject—Removal of bar on the Scheduled Caste converts to Buddhism from being deemed to be members of the Scheduled Castes.**

Sir

In continuation of this Ministry's letter of even number dated 31.7.1990 on the above subject I am directed to say that with amendment of the constitution (Scheduled castes) orders 1950 by the constitution (Scheduled Castes) orders (Amendment) Act 1990 the Scheduled Caste communities which are included in the presidents orders and converted to Buddhist religion shall be deemed to be a member of the Scheduled Caste.

2. While issuing the Scheduled Caste certificate to these persons, the same procedure has to be followed as applicable to the members of other Scheduled Caste communities belonging to Hindu

and Sikh religions.

3. The form of caste certificate will also remain the same as applicable to other Scheduled Caste communities (Annexure).

4. All the state Government/ U.T. Administration are, therefore, requested to follow the above procedure for issuing Scheduled Caste certificates to the persons professing Buddhist religion provided (a) the name of the community for which Scheduled Caste certificate is to be issued is included in the presidential order specifying the Scheduled Castes in relation to the concerned State/union Territory (b) that the person and his parents actually belong to the community claimed

(c) that the person belongs to that State and to the area within that State in respect of which the community has been Scheduled and that

(d) the person claiming to be a Scheduled Caste professes either the Hindu, the Sikh or the Buddhist religions.

5. The certificate issuing authorities may kindly be instructed to make proper verification before issuing such certificates.

—B.N. Srivastava, Director