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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Reservation of other backward classes in Civil Services and posts under Government of India

The undersigned is directed to say that in accordance with the instructions contained in this Department's Order dated 8.9.93, the reservation for OBCs is applicable to Civil posts and services under the Government of India to be filled through direct recruitment. Similar instructions in respect of Public Sector Undertakings and Financial Institutions including the Public Sector Banks were issued by the Department of Public Enterprises and the Ministry of Finance respectively.

2. The above said instructions relating to reservations for OBCs have been extended to autonomous bodies, statutory and semi-government bodies and voluntary agencies receiving grants from Government.

( Hindi version will follow).

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1. All Ministries/Departments of Government of India.
  2. Department of Public Enterprises (Shri C.C. Unnikrishnan, Under Secretary), New Delhi.
  3. Department of Banking (Shri Y.P. Sethi, Director), New Delhi.
  4. Ministry of Welfare (Shri. Tanjula Krishnan, Director), New Delhi.
  5. Union Public Service Commission (Shri Ram Avtar, Under Secretary), New Delhi.
  6. Staff Selection Commission, New Delhi.