GOVERNMENT OF RAJSTHAN DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL (A-II)

NO. F.7(8)DOP/A-II/2008

Jaipur, dated: 07.08.2012.

<u>ORDER</u>

In continuation of this Department's order of even number dated 06.05.2010, it is stated that Hon'ble High Court has disposed of the writ petitions no. 12810/2009, 13491/2009 & 13884/2009 by a common order dated 22.12.2010 in the following manner:-

"As agreed, let the matter be referred to the Rajasthan State Backward Classes Commission and the State Government shall place before the Commission the quantifiable data of numerous factors which is necessary in light of the Apex Court decisions in the case of M. Nagraj (supra) and Ashoka Kumar Thakur (supra). As collection of quantifiable data is going to consume sufficient time, let this exercise be completed within a period of one year. The petitioners shall also be given opportunity amongst others in accordance with law to present thier case before the Commission. It is reiterated that stay shall continue till the matter is decided afresh and even if the State decides to enhance reservation beyond the percentage which was existing prior to coming into force the Act of 2008, the State Shall not give effect to the said enhanced percentage of reservation for a period of two months thereafter. As agreed, we leave all the questions raised in the petitions to be examined by the State at first instance in light of amended provisions of Articles 15 and 16 of the Constitution and decisions of Apex Court in Indra Sawhney (supra), M. Nagraj (supra), Ashoka Kumar Thakur (supra), Suraj Bhan Meena (supra) and S.V. Joshi (supra)."

In view of the above order, Hon'ble Court has continued the stay order dated 12.10.2009; therefore reservations up to 50% can be given.

As per directions of Hon'ble Court, quantifiable data have been collected which are in the process for implementation of Judgment dated 22.12.2010. Till the Backward Commission submits report to the State Government and the State Government takes a policy decision as per the Judgment of the Court, 1% reservation to Special Backward classes shall continue. This order is being issued by way of abundent caution and shall deemed to have continuous effect even after the Order dated 22.12.2010.

By order of the Governor,

(Sudarsan sethi) 7.8.20/2 **Principal Secretary to Government**

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