



राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

(भारत के संविधान के अनुच्छेद 338क के अंतर्गत एक संवैधानिक निकाय)

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File No.- NCST/ATY-1603/OR/9/2024-APCR

Date: 21/11/2024

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Sub: Representation dated NIL from Shri Kaliram Majhi, General Secretary, BJP ST Morcha, Vill/Post - Nakatiguda, P.S. Tikiri, District - Rayagada (Odisha) regarding rape and murder of ST lady at P.S. Tikiri, District - Rayagada (Odisha)

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Minutes of the Sitting held on 17.10.2024 under the Chairmanship of Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes on the above mentioned subject for necessary action. It is requested that compliance report on the recommendations may be submitted to this Commission within 30 days positively.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully

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Minutes of the Sitting chaired By Shri Jatothu Hussain, Hon'ble Member, NCST on 17.10.2024 on the representation of Shri Kaliram Majhi, General Secretary, BJP ST Morcha, Village / Post – Nakatiguda P.S. Tikiri, At- Semiliguda, Po- Tikiri, Dist Rayagada, Odisha regarding murder and rape of ST women.

Date of the Sitting : 17.10.2024, 2:00 P.M.
List of the Participants : As annexed

1. Shri Kaliram Majhi, General Secretary, BJP ST Morcha, Vill/Post - Nakatiguda, P.S. Tikiri, District - Rayagada (Odisha) vide representation dated 22.12.2023 has informed about the rape and murder of ST lady Smt. Laxmi Majhi D/o Beldhar Majhi, village- Naktiguda, P.S. Tikiri, District - Rayagada (Odisha). He alleged that Laxmi Majhi daughter of Beladhar Majhi, Vill/Post - Nakatiguda, P.S. - Tikiri, Dist – Rayagada, who was working in the Maa Gruha Hospital in Chandrapur. The police department is not taking corrective and proper action. Even the post mortem report has not been handed over to the deceased family. The petitioner requested for stringent legal action against the culprits and ensures justice to the victim.
2. The Commission took up the matter with Director General of Police, Government of Odisha, the District Collector and Magistrate, Rayagada, and Superintendent of Police, Rayagada, vide notice dated 13.02.2024 for furnishing facts and comments within 03 days.
3. In response to notice dated 13.02.2024, the Collector and District Magistrate, Rayagada, vide letter number 480/xxx1-1151/2024 dated 22.02.2024 has furnished the report along with report dated 20.02.2024 of the Superintendent of Police, Rayagada in the said matter. In the report, it is stated that there is no conclusive opinion regarding the cause of death of deceased. At present, the case is under investigation.
4. Hence commission decided to have a discussion with the Collector and District Magistrate, Rayagada and The Superintendent of Police and the petitioner on 17.10.2024 accordingly the sitting notice was issued to all authorities on petitioner 03.10.2024.

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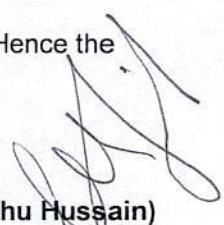
5. The Additional District Magistrate, Raygada on behalf of the Collector and District Magistrate, Rayagada and Additional Superintendent of Police, Rayagada, on behalf of the Superintendent of Police, Rayagada were present in the sitting. The petitioner Shri Kaliram Manjhi, General Secretary, BJP ST Morcha joined sitting through video conference.

6. The officials of the District administration, Rayagada reiterated their earlier submission to the NCST. The officials of district administration could'nt give satisfactory reply to the queries of the Commission.

7. During the discussion with the officials of the district administration and petitioner, It was observed that the initiatives taken by the Police are very slow and unsatisfactory.

8. After discussion, the Commission recommends the following and suggested submitting Action taken report within 30 days after receipt of the report. Thereafter further course of action will be decided by the Commission.

- Appropriate sections of the SC/ST (PoA) Act, 1989 may be invoked in the case.
- The District Administration is advised to initiate action for providing financial relief to the family of victim as per the SC/ST (PoA) Rules, 1995, as amended.
- The action taken by the Police department seems to be unsatisfactory. Hence the matter may be transferred to the CBI for conclusion of the investigation.


(Jatothu Hussain)
Member

National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

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Petitioner