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Sub: Issue of OBC Certificate to Muslims of Karnataka state.

The Hon'ble High court of Karnataka in W.P. No: 42093/2012 in the case of Sri N.Abdul Kuddus V/s. State of Karnataka and others has passed the following orders;

"Learned Addl. Government Advocate appearing for the Respondents rightly submits that the impugned endorsement dated: 23.08.2012 (Annexure-k) was erroneously issued in ignorance of the resolution dated: 6th December 1999 issued by the Social Justice and Empowerment. Accordingly, the impugned endorsement is set aside. Respondent No.2-Tahsildar, challekere Taluk, shall reconsider the matter for issuance of an appropriate cast certificate. This shall be done within 15 days from the date of receipt of a copy of this order."

This order was sent by the Tahsildar, Challekre for a clarification to the principal secretary to govt, Revenue Dept which was transmitted to this Dept. for necessary action. The main issue here is issue of OBC Certificate to Muslims in Karnataka state as per the reservation policy announced by the Govt of india. The GoI in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment in Resolution No.12011/88/98/BCC dated: 06.12.1999 has reserved 27% of vacancies in civil Services and posts under the Central Govt. to be filled through direct recruitment in favour of the OBCs. Under relevant entry of Karnataka state the following Category is also included.

179. other Muslims excluding
- I. Cutchi Menon
 - II. Navayat
 - III. Bohra or Bhora or Borah
 - IV. Sayyid
 - V. Sheik

