

**File Number 824/2024-01(18)/2024**

**Date: 04. Dec. 2024**

**Government of Uttarakhand  
Social Welfare Department**

**To:**

**Additional Secretary  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Tribal Affairs**

**Subject- Verification of Community name Jaunsari/जौनसारी as Scheduled in the Tribe List.**

Kindly refer your Ministry's letter No 11016/22/2018-Sch, Dated 25.11.2024 seeking clarification about correct name of the above community in-view of Scheduled Tribe certificates submitted by some students for scholarship with name of community as Jaunsari whereas Gazette notification name of Jannsari/ जन्नसारी. It has also come to the notice of State Government that Ms Preeti Tomar, who was selected for job in NTPC has also faced similar problem and has sought issuing suitable clarification.

In this regard, a detailed/self explanatory clarification has sent by Director, Tibal Welfare, Government of Uttarakhand bearing letter no 3751-57 dated 28.11.2024 (copy enclosed), which clarifies the position that correct name of the community is Jaunsari/जौनसारी, not Jannsari/जन्नासारी.

Probably, this difference is typographic error which crept into U.P. Reorganisation Act 2000, which was seemingly caused by letter "N" in place of "U" mistakenly. It was an Act for State formation of Uttarakhand and not for declaration of character of a Tribe for which there is a proper procedure. In fact, Jaunsari was declared a Scheduled Tribe in erstwhile undivided State of Uttar Pradesh, Wide Gazette Notification of dated 24 June, 1967 and the members of this community hails from present three Tehsils - Chakrata, Kalsi and Tyuni of Dehradun District (earlier all three were part of the Chakrata Tehsil). This area as a whole now falls in Uttarakhand after division

of U.P. Moreover, no exercise of changing name of Jaunsari Tribe or adding new Tribe in part of area now in Uttarakhand has been carried out.

In view of above, it seems that difference in name has come up due to some typographic error, and it is causing inconvenience to people especially students and job seekers from Jaunsari community.

Therefore, any such candidates who have been issued the caste certificate by competent authority of state should be consider as Scheduled Tribe of Uttarakhand in particular and others in general.

Since difficulties may caused by the list on Union Ministry's website, the verification of the caste certificate issued by any government organization/Govt. body/private organization may be requisitioned from the certificate issuing authority i.e. D.M of district Dehradun and Director of tribal welfare of Uttarakhand, as there is no dispute in Uttarakhand about Jaunsari Community as tribal Community mention in gazette notification of dated 24 june, 1967.

In case of any further clarification regarding Jaunsari tribal community status, the matter can be reffered to the following offices of state government.

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1.	DM Dehradun	dm-deh-ua@nic.in	9720070007
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Signed by

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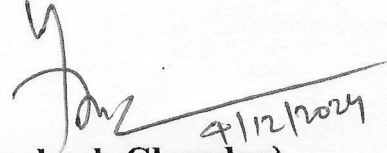
Yours sincerely

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**Endorsement 024 /2024-01(18)/2024 Dated**

Copy to following for information and necessary action:-

1. D.M Dehradun.
2. Under secretary Government of India.
3. Director Social welfare Haldwani, Nainital.
4. Director Tribal welfare Dehradun.
5. District social welfare officer Dehradun.

 9/12/2024

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