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NOTIFICATION

The question of engagement of 'Dhakis' (Drummers) one in each of the 341 Blocks and 59 for urban areas / municipalities was under active consideration of the Government, for sometime past.

The Governor, after careful consideration, has been pleased to agree to the engagement of 400 'Dhakis' for promotional/awareness generation purposes in the rural/urban areas of the state. They would be engaged initially for a period of 3 (three) months with a view to making wide publicity about various welfare schemes being implemented by Backward Classes Welfare Department including 3 (three) Corporations under its umbrage, through beating of 'Dhaks', distribution of leaflets, etc. They have to make publicity for 10 (ten) days in a month at local 'Haats'/'Bazaars' where rural people gather. They will get wages @ Rs. 200 (two hundred) only per day for such publicity.

The Governor is also pleased to agree to constitute a Project Implementation Committee (PIC) for the purpose of Identification of 'Dhakis' at Sub-Division level with the following members:-

 Sub-Divisional Officer (S.D.O)-----2. Block Development Officer(B.D.O)-------Member 4. Representative of Project Officer cum District Welfare Officer(P.O - cum -D.W.O)-------Member 6. Deputy Magistrate & Deputy Collector, posted in the Sub-Division-----------Member-Convener The above constituted committee will finalize panel of 'Dhakis' - 3 (three) in each Block / Municipality on the basis of the following parameters:-

A). 'Dhakis' should primarily belong to SC community. If suitable SC candidate is not available, selection may be

- made among from the suitable ST candidates. If ST candidate is not available, selection may be made from among suitable OBC candidates.
- B). 'Dhakis' should be a resident of that Block / Municipality.
- C). If no such suitable person(s) is/are available in a particular Block / Municipality, selection may be made from any of the neighbouring Block / Municipality.
- D). While selecting 'Dhakis', preference should be given to those who have got :
 - i). Previous experience of publicity through beating of 'Dhak'.
 - ii). Acquaintance with the 'Haat' / 'Baazar' / Place of gatherings.

By order of the Governor

Joint Commissioner for Reservation & Ex-officio Joint Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

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Copy f	orwarded for information and necessary action:-
1.	The District Magistrate,
2.	The P.O – cum – D.W.O.,
3.	The S.D.O.,
4.	The B.D.O.,

5. The Chairman/Executive Officer, Municipality of.....

6. The Pvt. Secy. to the MIC of this Dept.

7. The Guard File of this Dept.