

situated in the Scheduled Areas; and with a view to ensure that there is an improvement in the quality of service delivery of the important programs and schemes of the Government, being implemented for the welfare and advancement of the Scheduled Tribes living in the Scheduled Areas, has decided to reserve certain posts in direct recruitment, as identified and given in the APPENDIX appended to this notification, in favour of the local candidates of Scheduled Tribes in the Scheduled Area;

The following notification shall come into effect from the date of its publication in the *Official Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION

CONSTITUTION OF INDIA.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-paragraph (1) of Paragraph 5 of the Fifth Schedule to the Constitution of India, the Governor of Maharashtra hereby directs that section 4 of the " Maharashtra State Public Services [Reservation for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, De-Notified Tribes (*Vimukta Jatis*), Nomadic Tribes, Special Backward Category and Other Backward Classes] Act, 2001 (Maharashtra Act No. VIII of 2004)" and any other Rules or Orders made in this regard, shall apply to the appointment to the posts specified in the APPENDIX to this notification subject to the modification that all such posts which are to be filled in by direct recruitment for the Scheduled Areas of the districts which have Scheduled Areas, in the State of Maharashtra shall be filled in by the local Scheduled Tribe candidates only, having requisite qualification, notwithstanding anything contained in any other law or rule or order for the time being in force in this regard :

Provided that, one-third of the posts mentioned in the said APPENDIX shall be filled in by the women candidates of the local Scheduled Tribes.

Explanation.—For the purpose of this notification, the 'local Scheduled Tribe candidate' means, those Scheduled Tribe candidates who have themselves or whose parents or grandparents have been continuously residing in the Scheduled Areas of the respective districts since 26th January 1950 till date.

APPENDIX

Serial No. (1)	Name of the Posts (2)	Department (3)
1	Talathi	... Revenue and Forest Department
2	Surveyor	... Revenue and Forest Department
3	Gram Sevak	... Rural Development Department
4	Anganwadi Supervisor	... Women and Child Development Department.
5	Teacher	... School Education and Sports Department or Tribal Development Department.
6	Adivasi Vikas Nirikshak	... Tribal Development Department
7	Agriculture Assistant	... Agriculture, Dairy Development, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Department
8	Livestock Assistant	... Agriculture, Dairy Development, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Department.
9	Auxiliary Nurse and Midwife (ANM)	... Public Health Department
10	Multi Purpose Health Worker (MPW)	... Public Health Department

K. SANKARANARAYANAN,
Governor of Maharashtra.

By Order in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

PARIMAL SINGH
Deputy Secretary to Governor.