

Central Executive Committee Meeting of the AIOBC Federation held at Chennai on 17.3.2019 passed the following resolutions:

Resolution 1:

OBC Committee's report on creamy layer to be implemented:

The AIOBC Federation expresses its sincere thanks to Thiru.Ganesh Singh, M.P., Chairperson and Hon'ble Members of the Parliamentary Committee for OBC for presenting a detailed and pragmatic report to Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha on 9.2.2019 on the subject of '**Rationalisation of Creamy Layer in employment for OBCs in services and posts under the control of Government of India including Union Territories, PSUs etc.**'

The views and suggestions of our AIOBC Federation submitted to the Parliamentary Committee for OBC has been well taken and considered as is seen in the report of the Committee.

We urge the Government of India to implement the recommendations of the Parliamentary Committee for OBC as contained in its 21st report in letter and spirit.

Resolution 2:

Expert Committee on OBC issue to consider OBC Committee's report:

The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India by its order dated 8.3.2019 has constituted an Expert Committee to simplify and streamline the OM dated 8.9.1993 issued by DOPT.

We have to state that the OBC Parliamentary Committee took the subject of 'rationalisation on creamy layer' and solicited views and suggestions of the public by an advertisement dated 28.9.2018. It had wide range of discussions with the Ministries – DOPT, SJE, Law Ministry and has taken the views of various stake holders including our AIOBC Federation and has come out with a reasonable and satisfactory report that meets the demands of the OBCs in general and OBC employees and OBC candidates in particular.

The Law Ministry has fully accepted the views of the OBC Parliamentary Committee on the OM of 8.9.1993 and exposed the wrong interpretation done by various agencies due to the DOPT circular of 2004. It is intriguing to note that the

files were not traceable. It has to be noted that this clarificatory circular of 2004 had been the main reason for all these anomalies and miseries to OBCs all these years.

We further state that the order of DOPT dated 6.10.2017 on equivalence of posts in PSUs etc vis-à-vis is totally unscientific and without any base obtained from DFS and DPE. This has resulted in further depriving the OBC employees working in these sectors from getting OBC certificate for their wards.

We request the Expert Committee to fully endorse the recommendations of the Parliament Committee on welfare of OBC as contained in its 21st report and submitted to Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha which will address the grievances of OBC employees working in PSUs etc. as well as the OBC candidates who have cleared Civil Services Examination but denied postings due to wrong interpretation by DOPT.

Resolution 3:

10% reservation to Upper Caste is a mockery of social justice:

The 10% reservation Act passed in Parliament is against the very concept of social justice. The Act has been passed without any serious discussion and data on the inadequate representation of so called 'economically weaker sections' among upper castes. When the data of the Government shows that the representation of Upper Castes in all top posts (Group A and B) of Central Government as well as in Public Sector Undertakings is about 75%, extending further 10% to them is an assault on the Constitution of India.

This CEC of the AIOBC Federation urges all social justice forces to challenge this unconstitutional act of 10% reservation with all their might in all available forums including legal means, so that the concept of social justice enshrined in the Indian Constitution and the sacrifices of social revolutionaries do not go in vain.
