APPENDIX-III

IMPORTANT RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ANANTHARAMAN COMMISSION:

I. a. Provision for reservation of seats, scholarships, free hostel facilities at all levels of education.

b. Facilities for clothing, mid-day meals, special coaching, exemption from payment of all fees, monetary aid to purchase slates, books, stationary etc. up to high school stage.

c. Provision of more high schools in rural areas and residential schools for nomadic and semi-nomadic communities.

II. (a) Provision of full non-residential scholarships (for those who could not get admission in hostels) and half the boarding and lodging charges to those students living with their parents.

(b) As in the case of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes every one of the applicants of the Backward Classes should be given scholarship to prosecute higher studies, if he/she is eligible.

(c) Sufficient and adhoc amounts to be placed with the heads of institutions and authorities concerned, for timely disbursement of scholarships, adjustment of fees and hostel charges etc.

(d) The income limit of the parents, for being entitled to economic aids to be raised to Rs 4,800/- and Rs 6,000/- for annum instead of the present income of Rs 3,600/- per annum.

(e) Provision of at least one hostel in each taluq with suitable building accommodation, facilities of sanitation etc.

(f) Facilities for library books, guidance for studies and sleeping arrangements in school buildings at night, and tutorial classes in hostels by appointing B.A., B.Eds. As Wardens.

(g) A vocational cell in hostels to guide backward class students for intelligent selection of courses at higher and technical level of education.

(h) The Commission with a view to give equal opportunities for all backward
classes of people, recommended for reservation 30% of seats in all educational institutions, distributed in four groups as follows:

Table-2
Groups, Castes and Percentage of Reservations recommended by the Commission

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(Source: Anantharaman Commission Report-1976, Govt. of AP)