K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO

Chief Minister
Telangana

Hyderabad

15th September,2023

Dear Shri Narendra Modi ji,

As you are aware, the visionary architects of our Constitution have envisaged for providing suitable provisions in the Constitution for affirmative action by the State to correct historical wrongs, that were done to socially and educationally marginalized sections of the society. Part of this objective was achieved by providing for reservations for OBCs in public employment and admissions in educational institutions. However, as you would agree with me, proportionate representation in Parliament and State Legislatures is a sinquo- non in a democratic polity to reflect hopes and aspirations of marginalized sections of the society.

Realising this critical need, Telangana State Legislature has passed an unanimous Resolution on 14.06.2014 requesting the Government of India to provide for 33% reservations for OBCs in Parliament and State Legislatures. I am dismayed to note that Government of India has not initiated any action on this front so far.

BRS Parliamentary Party, in its meeting held on 15.9.2023, passed a Resolution demanding for providing 33% reservation for OBCs in Parliament and State Legislatures.

I, once again, would like to request you to initiate necessary Legislative process for speedy implementation in the ensuing special session of the Parliament, which starting on 18th September 2023.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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(K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO)

Shri Narendra Modi,
Hon'ble Prime Minister,
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