

Distribution of Land to Scheduled Castes by the State Governments of Andhra Pradesh and Telangana

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ABSTRACT This paper discusses the issue of land distributed to members of the Scheduled Castes (SCs) in the period from 1-11-1954 to 3-11-2013 (as on 24-06-2014, in the seventh phase). There will also be a review of the various government programmes initiated for the development of lands allotted to Scheduled Castes and the problems faced by them during the process of distribution of land. It is envisaged that this work would provide a better understanding and help in identifying the problems faced by certain social groups in accessing the land legally allotted to them.