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To

**Sri Prakash Javadekar,**  
Hon' Minister for HRD,  
Government of India,  
**NEW DELHI.**

#### *Sub: Establishment of Tribal University in Andhra Pradesh*

Sir,

The Government of India promised to establish a tribal university in the residual state of Andhra Pradesh and this was incorporated in the 11<sup>th</sup> schedule of the AP State Reorganisation Act. But, the tribal university has not been established even four years have elapsed after bifurcation of the state.

As you are aware, Andhra Pradesh has 5.53 percentage of tribal population in the state. The education and health indicators of the tribals are very low compared to the rest of the population. In order to overcome their low education and other social standards it is imperative for the government to take up special programmes for their welfare. It is in this background that the State Reorganisation Act has promised to set up a special tribal university for improving the educational standards of the tribals. It is more than four years since the Act was passed, but still there are no steps initiated towards the establishment of the tribal university.

Taking into consideration the upcoming new academic year 2018-19, we urge the union government to:

- immediately initiate steps for the establishment of the tribal university so that deserving students can avail these opportunities from this year itself.
- immediately identify a space for the establishment of the said university and in the interim period, identify a suitable campus and commence the classes from this academic year itself.

We hope that you will immediately consider our demands and act.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely,

  
**(Penumalli Madhu)**  
State Secretary

Copy To :

**Sri. N. Chandrababu Nayudu,**  
Hon'ble Chief Minister,

**Government of Andhra Pradesh,  
Amaravathi.**