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ABVP National delegation submits memorandum to Union Tourism and Culture Minister Shri Kishan Reddy.

The National Delegation of ABVP apprises Chairman of the ST Commission on various issues of the tribal students.

The National Delegation of Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad on Wednesday met and submitted a memorandum to the Union Culture Minister, Shri Kishan Reddy to discuss various subjects of art and culture and also submitted a memorandum to the Chairman of the Scheduled Tribes Commission, Shri Harsh Chouhan regarding various social and educational problems of the tribal students.

In the memorandum to the Union Culture Minister, the major demands like increasing the number of National Schools of Drama in the country, bringing NSD on the lines of IITs, starting theatrical activities in primary schools and reviving the vanishing folk arts were placed in front of the minister.

The ABVP in its demands included the completion of the recruitment process to all the vacant posts related to school and higher education in tribal areas at the latest, establishment of guidance centres for students preparing for competitive examinations, recognition to tribal faith centres as National Tribal heritage while also preparing a plan for their development, resolution to the pending cases related to the Schedule Tribes at the earliest, etc.

ABVP believes that for the protection of the culture of the tribal areas, a tribal protection policy should be made so that their culture, script, dialect, language can be preserved. ABVP also demands that in order to ensure employment and training of the tribal youth and internship should be planned by the Scheduled Tribes Commission.

National General Secretary Nidhi Tripathi said, "After listing the educational and social problems faced in different parts of the country, especially in the tribal areas, we submitted our demand letter to the Scheduled Tribe Commission Chairman Shri Harsh Chouhan and asked him to consider these demands at the earliest. A memorandum was also given to the culture minister for the students of the field of arts and an assurance of early action has been given."

(This Press Release has been issued by Central Office Secretary Sumit Pandey.)