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The Union Cabinet chaired by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has approved the final extension of the term of the Other Backward Classes in the Central List currently mandated upto 20<sup>th</sup> June 2018, till 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2018.

The Commission held extensive meetings with the stake holders including the State Governments, the State Backward Classes Commissions, various community associations and general public belonging to various Backward Classes and Communities. The Commission also obtained records, caste-wise of OBCs admitted in higher educational institution as well as similar castewise data of recruits in Central Departments, Central Public Sector Undertakings, Public Sector Banks & Financial Institutions.

To have a detailed look at the data collected, the Commission has sought extension of its term 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2018.

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