

APPENDIX - IShowing List of Upper and Backward Castes

<u>Level</u>	<u>Caste</u>
C ₁ : Upper	Brahmin, Bania, Patel, Dave, Bhatt, Mehta, Trivedi, Dwivedi, Rawal, Pandya, Joshi, Jani, Thakkar, Shah, Chokshi, Yagnik, Amin, Desai, etc.
C ₂ : Backward	All backward castes including Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes, as described by Bakshi Panch in Gujarat, such as: Dhedh, Nadia, Rawat, Dedh Barot, Vankar, Bhil, Dhodia, Konkali, Koli, Patelia, Rabari, Dubla, Vasava, etc. Socially and Educationally Backward : Ahir, Bhaliya, Bharwad, Bhoi, Charan, Gadhavi, Divecha koli, Dhobi, Fakir(Muslim), Ghanchi (Muslim), Ghedia koli, Gola (Rana), Khant, Kharva, Machhi(Hindu), Tandel, Kumbhar, Ganchi (Pinjara), Rathodia, Talpada koli, Thakarda, Thakor, Patanvadia, Dharala, Baria, Chammara, Valand, Hajam, Nai, Vaghari, etc.