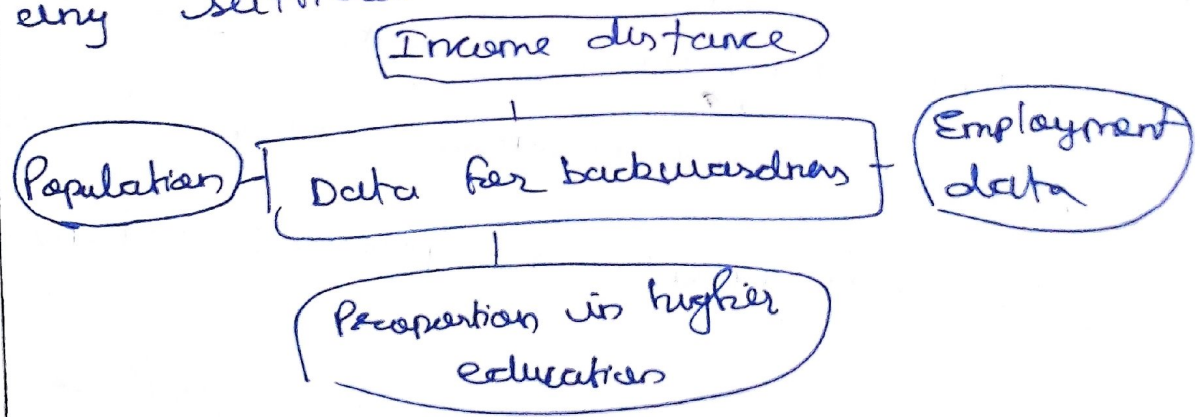


Without any quantifiable data, or caste's backwardness relative to others, conferring quota amounts to giving reservation solely on caste. Evaluate with recent example

The marathas high court recently nullified reservation given to Vanniyar community in jobs and education resurrecting the debate on caste based reservation.

Recent examples

The maratha reservation and Vanniyar reservation were initiated without any sufficient data.



States and Backward Class Commission

The NCBC solely mandated the President for preparation of central list

under article 342 CD. The states were requested to make concurrence from the centre before providing any benefits like reservations.

Moreover the Indra Sawney judgement declared caste alone cannot be a criteria for providing reservations.

Need for caste census

The census based on caste can provide data set for policy making. The privileged beneficiaries can be identified and becomes easy for the general government to provide schemes.

States, before implementing welfare measures for certain caste can make suggestion to include OBCs under 338-B as decided by Supreme court.