

5.22. UTTARAKHAND

5.22.1 COMMITTES

DISTRICT LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEE

District Level Committees have been constituted under the Chairpersonship of the concerned District Magistrate, to review implementation of the PoA Act.

5.22.2 STATE LEVEL SC AND ST PROTECTION CELL

Special Inquiry Cell has been set up in each district under the supervision of Superintendent of Police for prompt action.

5.22.3 SPECIAL COURTS

Special Courts are functioning at Nainital and Haridwar districts. In rest of the Districts, the District and Session Courts have been designated as Special Courts for trial of cases under the PoA Act.

5.22.4 IDENTIFICATION OF ATROCITY PRONE AREAS

No atrocity prone areas have been identified in the State. However, district administrations keep vigilance and whenever, such incidence are brought to their notice, action is taken immediately.

5.22.5 PUBLICITY

For publicity of the PoA Act, the responsibility has been assigned to the District Social Welfare Officer.

5.22.6 LEGAL AID

The concerned District authorities provide free legal aid to member of SC/ST, in all Districts of the State.