

A1.ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I. (A)De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
--	NIL	--

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bhantu	
Grand Total		1

2. **Lodha*** (* Missing from Idate Commission, though Ayyangar identified and according to census of 1881, 1891 and 1931 Lodhas resided in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands)

2. ASSAM

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Assam

3. ARUNACHAL PRADESH

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Assam

4. ANDHRA PRADESH

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I. (A) De- Notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Boya	Valmiki
2	Balasanthu	Bahuroopi, Katipapala, Saradagallu, Chenchu, Lingadharikoya, Sanyasisetty, Babaji, Bairagi Mancduchala, Mandagolla, Ganjikooti, Bommala, Pagativeshagallu, Bagothula, Molkajangam
3	Bavuri	Bawaria
4	Dandasi	
5	Lambadi	Sugali, Banjara
6	Pamula	
7	Pardhi	Nakkala, Pittala, Shikari, Nirshikari
8	Paidi	Padimanu
9	Pitchigunta	Vamsaraj
10	Relli	
11	Waddera	Oddi, Vaddilu
12	Yerukala	Kaikadi
13	Yata	
14	Yanadi	Challa yanadi
15	Dasari	Poosal, Holiya

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bhattu	
2	Budabukkala	
3	Dommarra	
4	Jogula	
5	Kaikadi	
6	Kalinga	
7	Korcha	
8	Lodha	Lodhi
9	Mang- Garudi	

10	Nakkala	
11	Nir Shikari	
12	Nokkar	
13	Oddar	
14	Reddika	
15	Sugali/Lambadi	
16	Telaga Pamular	
17	Thota Naick	
Grand Total		32

5. BIHAR

I (A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
--	NIL	--

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idade Commission Report*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bairagi	
2	Banjara	
3	Bauria	
4	Dusadh	
5	Lodha	Lodhi
6	Pardhi	
7	Pasi	
Grand Total		7

6. CHANDIGARH

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I (A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
--	NIL	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Sansi	
2	Rai-Sikh	
Grand Total		

3. Lodhi*

4. Gujar*

(* Lodhi and Gurjar are missing from Idate Commission Report Though Ayyangar identified.)

7. CHHATTISGARH

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I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
--	NIL	--

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Agariya	
2	Banjara	
3	Bairagi	
4	Chamar	
5	Lodha	Lodhi
6	Pardhi	
7	Pasi	
8	Mowar	
Grand Total		8

8. DAMAN AND DIU

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Daman and Diu

9. NCT OF DELHI

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) Denotified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Aheria	
2	Banjara	
3	Bawaria	
4	Bhil	
5	Chamar	Jatav, Charmar, Mochi, Ramdasai, Ravidasi, Raida, Rehgarh or Raigar
6	Chohra	
7	Dom	
8	Kanjar	Giarah
9	Khatik	
10	Mallah	
11	Nat	Rana, Badi
12	Pasi	
13	Perna	
14	Sansi or Bhedkut	
15	Bazigar	
16	Madari	
17	Sapera	
18	Sikligar	
19	Lodha	Lodhi
20	Bairagi	
21	Bauria	
22	Bazigar Nat (Excluding those in SC)	Kalandar
23	Bhat	
24	Gurjar	Gujar
25	Jogi	Goswami
26	Mina	Meena
27	Naqqal	
28	Ghosi	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idade Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Rai Sikh/Mahatam	

Grand Total	29
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10. GOA

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Goa

11. GUJARAT

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bafan	
2	Chhara	Sanshi, Adodiya
3	Dafer	
4	Hingora	
5	Me	Meta
6	Miyana	Kakad, Kinya
7	Sandhi	
8	Theba	
9	Wagher	
10	Waghari	
11	Chunvaliya Koli	
12	Koli (only of Rapar and Bhachau Taluka of Kachchha District)	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idade Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Lodha	Lodhi
Grand Total		

12. HIMACHAL PRADESH

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Himachal Pradesh

13. HARYANA

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bangali	
2	Barar	
3	Bauria	
4	Nat	
5	Gandhila	
6	Sansi (Includes 27 sub caste)	Godri, Kapat, Aharia, Tettlu, Bheria, Bhandtu, Arher, Bhatut, Habura, Kikan, Harra, Rehlwala, Biddu, Lengeh, Kalkhar, Chadi, Birtwan, Behalia, Pakhiwarta, Baddon, Harni, Kuchband, Rechband, Chattu, Singhiwala, Bhedkut, Manesh
7	Tagus of Karnal District	
8	Mahatam/Rai Sikh of Sheikhpura District only*	
9	Dhinwara of Gurgaon District	
10	Minas	
11	Bhora Brahman of District Kangra	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bahelia	
2	Rajbhar	
3	Lodh, Lodha, Lodhi	
Grand Total		14

14. JAMMU & KASHMIR

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I (A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Chopan	
2	Pohul	
3	Sanghtarash	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
--	NIL	--
Grand Total		3

15. JHARKHAND

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I (A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	NIL	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bairagi	
2	Pardhi	
3	Pasi	
4	Lodhi, Lodha	
5	Dom	
6	Dusadh	
7	Ghasi	
8	Madari	
Grand Total		8

15. KARNATAKA

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Pardhi	Hakki pikki, Chigari Betegara, Vagri-wagri, Neer Shikari

2	Gantichor	Pathrot, Uchila, Tudugu waddar, Girani waddar, Bhamta
3	Bharadi	
4	Dakkala	Dakkaliga
5	Budbudki-Joshi-Gondahali	
6	Kanjar	Kanjari, Kanjarabhaat
7	Bandi waddar	Kallu waddar, Mannu waddar
8	Handi Jogi	Handi Golla, Handi Chikka
9	Chenna dasar	Holeya Dasar, Dasar, Atadasar, Dasaru, Shankadasa, Dandigandads, Dasaiah, Dasa, Dombidasa, Chakravadya Dasar
10		Chakravadya Dasa, Dombi Dasa, Shanka Dasa, Ata Dasa
11	Gondhali	Budubudukai, Joshi, Ghondali, Gondaliga, Vasudev
12	Katabu	
13	Rajgond	
14	Yerava	
15	Bavacha	
16	Chenchu	
17	Dungrigarasia	
18	Dombara	Paidi, Pano, Dom
19	Dombari	
20	Sillekyatha	Killekyatha Katubu, Bundebestha, Gomberama
21	Kashikapdi	
22	Sindhollu	Chindollu
23	Budga Jangam	
24	Sudugadu Siddha	
25	Gosangi	Attarvala Gandhadenneyavaru
26	Mang Garudi, Mang Garodi	
27	Mala Dasari	
28	Mala Sanyasi	Malasale, Nat Kani
29	Holeya Dasari	
30	Jaggali	
31	Chitrakathi Joshi	
32	Dholi	
33	Daveri	
34	Ghisadi	
35	Garudi	
36	Gopal	

37	Helava	
38	Jogi	
39	Kelkari	
40	Kolhati	
41	Nandiwala-Joshi-Ghondali-Full-Mali	
42	Nathapandthi	Dauri Gosavi
43	Nirshikari	
44	Panguaul	
45	Joshi (Sada Joshi)	
46	Sarania	
47	Tirumali	
48	Vaidu	
49	Vasudev	
50	Vadi	
51	Vagri	
52	Vir	
53	Bajania	
54	Shikkaligar	
55	Golla	
56	Kille Kyatha	
57	Sarodi	
58	Durgamurgi	
59	Howagar	
60	Pichaguntala	
61	Masania Yogi	
62	Darwesh	
63	Dombidasa	
64	Bailapatar	
65	Mondaru	
66	Karkadi Kalandar	
67	Nandiwala	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Berad	
2	Beria	
3	Bhamta(Rajput)	
4	Chaaara	
5	Chapperband	
6	Javerijohari	

7	Kaikadi	
8	Nat	
9	Pamlor	
10	Pardeshi Bhamta	
11	Sansi	
12	Takanakar	
13	Yerkala	
Grand Total		80

16. KERALA

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Domban**	
Sub Total		

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	
Sub Total		
Grand Total		

** The State Government has stated that this community is De-notified as well as Nomadic

17. MADHYA PRADESH

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Kanjar	
2	Sansi	
3	Banjara	
4	Banchhada	
5	Moghiya	
6	Kalbelia	
7	Bhanmat	Bhanumati/Bharmotiya
8	Bagri	

9	Nat	
10	Pardhi	
11	Bedia	
12	Habuda	
13	Bhatu	
14	Kuchbandia	
15	Bijoria	
16	Kabutari	Kabutara/Kabutariya/Kabutarya
17	Sandhiya	Sandutya
18	Pasi	Pasiya
19	Chandravedia	
20	Bairagi	
21	Sanoriya	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Lodha/Lodhi	
2	Khangar	
3	Mina	
4	Dom	
5	Rai Sikh/Mahatam	
Grand Total		26

18. MEGHALAYA

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Meghalaya

19. MIZORAM

There are no De-notified and Semi Nomadic Communities in Mizoram

20. MAHARASHTRA

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Berad	Naikwadi, Talwar, Walmiki
2	Bester	Sanchaluwaddar

3	Bhamata	Bhamati, Girni Vaddar, Kamati, Patharut, Takari (incl Muslim), Uchale, Ghanmtichor
4	Kaikadi	Dhontale, Korva, Makadwale/Kunchi, Korva, Pamlor, Korvi
5	Kanjarbhat	Chhara, Kanjar, Nat
6	Katabu	
7	Banjara	Gor Banjara, Lambada/Lambara, Lambhani, Charan Banjara, Labhan, Madhura Labhan, Kachakiwale, Banjara, Laman Banjara, Laman/Lamani, Laban, Dhali/Dhalia, Dhali/Dhari, Singari, Navi Banjara, Jogi Banjara, Banjari
8	Raj Pardhi	Gaon Pardhi, Haran Shikari,
9	Rajput Bhamta	Pardeshi Bhaamta, Pardeshi Bhamti
10	Ramoshi	
11	Vadar	Gadi Vaddar, Jaati Vaddar, Mati, Vaddar, Patharwat, Sangtarash, Dagadfodu, Vaddar
12	Waghari	Salaat, Salaat Waghari
13	Chapparband (Including Muslim)	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	
Grand Total		13

1 Lodhi* (* Missing from Idate Commission Report, Ayyangar identified, Lodhi have domiciliary status of Maharashtra)

21. NAGALAND

There are no De-notified , Nomadic Communities in Nagaland

22. ODISHA

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Mundapotta	
2	Ghasi	
3	Paidi	
4	Lodha	
5	Jaintirapana	
6	Telaga Pamula	
7	Anduria Domb	
8	Dandasi Pano	
9	Ganda	
10	Minka	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Domb	
Grand Total		11

23. PUNJAB

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bhangali	Bangali
2	Barar	Brar
3	Bauri	
4	Nat	
5	Gandhila	
6	Bazigar	
7	Sansi	Kuch E Bhedkut, Manesh, Gatria, Bachhban, Kopet, Ah Tittlu, Bheria, Bhantu, Arhar, Bhattu, Ch Habura, Kikan, Harrar, Kohla, Behlowala, Bi Langeh, Singiwala, Kanjar, Mirshkari, Blagiarn Kingicut, Dhe, Kalkinar, Chaddi/Chadi, Bir Binaria, Pakhalwara, Baddon, Haria

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Harni	
2	Lodha	
3	Mina	
4	Mongrori	
5	Pakhiwar	
6	Tagu	
7	Vagri/Waghri	
8	Rajbhar	
9	Mahatam/Rai Sikh*	
Grand Total		16

24. PUDUCHERRY

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Puducherry

25. RAJASTHAN

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Baori	
2	Kanjar	
3	Sansi	
4	Bagri	Bawaria
5	Mogia	
6	Nut	
7	Naik	
8	Multani	
9	Bhat	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Lodha/Lodhi	
2	Bhil	
3	Bijoria	
4	Mina	
5	Mahatam/Rai Sikh	
Grand Total		14

26. SIKKIM

There is no De-notified Community in Sikkim

27. TAMILNADU

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ UTs*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Attur Kilnad Koravar	
2	Attur Melnad Koravar	
3	Appanad Kondayam Kottai Maravar	
4	Ambalakarar	
5	Ambalakkarar	
6	Boyas	
7	C.K. Koravar	
8	Changayampudi Koravar	
9	Domb	
10	Dobba Koravar	
11	Dommar	
12	Donga Boya	
13	Donga Ur. Koracha	
14	Dobbai Koracha	
15	Dabi Koravar	
16	Donga Dasari	
17	Gorrela Dodda Boya	
18	Gudu Dasari	
19	Gandarvakottai Koravar	
20	Gandarvakottai Kallar	
21	Inji Korvar	
22	Jogi	
23	Kaladi	
24	Kal Odar	
25	Koravar	
26	Kootappal Kallar	
27	Kala Koravar	
28	Kalavathila Boya	
29	Maravar	
30	Monda Koravar	
31	Nellorepet Oddar	
32	Oddar	

33	Ponnai Koravar	
34	Piramalai Kallar	
35	Peria Suriyur Kallar	
36	Punnan Vettuva Gounder	
37	Servai	
38	Salem Melnad Koravar	
39	Salem Uppu Koravar	
40	Sakkaraithamada Koravar	
41	Saranga palli Koravar	
42	Sooramari Oddar	
43	Sembanad Maravar	
44	Thalli Koravar	
45	Thelungapatti Chetti	
46	Thottia Naicker	
47	Thogamalai Koravar or Kepmari	
48	Uppukoravar or Settipalli Koravar	
49	Urali Gounder	
50	Vaduvarpatti Koravar	
51	Valayar	
52	Vettaikarar	
53	Vetta Koravar	
54	Varaganeri Koravar	
55	Vettuva Gounder	
56	Battu Turkas	
57	Chakkala	
58	Chettinad Valayar	
59	Devagudi Talayari	
60	Jambavanodai	
61	Kalinji Dabikoravar	
62	Kepmari	
63	Konda Golla	
64	Mutlakampatti	
65	Nokkar	
66	Pedda Boya	
67	Padayachi	
68	Wayalpad or Nawalpeta Koracha	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	
Sub Total		

28. TRIPURA

There are no De-notified and semi nomadic communities in Tripura

29.TELANGANA

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Balasanthu	Bahurupi
2	Bandara	
3	Budabukkala	
4	Dommara	
5	Gangire-dlavaru	
6	Jangam	
7	Jogi	
8	Katipapala	
9	Mondivaru	Banda, Mondi-banda
10	Pitchi-guntla	Vamsharaj
11	Peddammavandlu	Devaravandlu, Yellammavandlu, Mutyalammavandlu
12	Veeramushti	Nettikotala, Veerabha-dreeya
13	Kanjara- bhatta	
14	Kopmare	Reddika
15	Mondi-patta	
16	Nokkar	
17	Parriki Muggula	
18	Chopemari	
19	Kaikadi	
20	Joshinandiwala	
21	Mandula	
22	Pamula	
23	Rajannala	Rajannalu
24	Kashikapadi	Kasikapudi

25	Yata	
26	Dasari	
27	Korcha	
28	Pambala	
29	Gudala	
30	Kunapuli	
31	Patra	
32	Pardhi	Nirshikari
33	Bukka Ayyavara	
34	Gotrala	
35	Pondara	
36	Pala Ekari	Ekila, Vyakula, Ekiri, Nayanivaru, Palegaru, Tolagari, Kavali

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	
Grand Total		36

* Source:

<http://socialjustice.nic.in/writereaddata/UploadFile/Idate%20Commission.pdf>

30. UTTAR PRADESH

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Banjara	
2	Bhar	
3	Daler Kahar	
4	Gandila	
5	Ghosi	
6	Kevat	
7	Mallah	
8	Lodh	Lodhi
9	Mewati	
10	Audiya	Oudhia

11	Tagabhatt	
12	Musahar	
13	Gujar	
14	Bauriah	
15	Karwal	
16	Nat	
17	Kanjar	
18	Bhantu	
19	Aheria	Bahelia
20	Chamar	
21	Pasi	
22	Khatik	
23	Habura	
24	Badak	
25	Dom	
26	Dusadh	Palwar
27	Barwar	
28	Sansi	
29	Beria	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Aabhiya	
2	Bansi	
3	Boira	
4	Dargi	
5	Gadola	
6	Kaparia	
7	Kigiriya	
8	Kunkali	
9	Pighia	
10	Vaid	
11	Mahatam/Rai Sikh	
12	Kabutra(Kanjar)	
13	Khangar	
Grand Total		42

* Source:

<http://socialjustice.nic.in/writereaddata/UploadFile/Idate%20Commission.pdf>

31. UTTRAKHAND

LIST OF DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idate Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Agariya	
2	Banjara	
3	Barvar	
4	Bavaria, Bawaria	
5	Beldar	
6	Bhantu	
7	Bhar	
8	Chamar	
9	Daler Kahar, Kahar	
10	Dom	
11	Gadiya Lohar	
12	Ghosi	
13	Godnagar	
14	Gosain	
15	Gujjar	
16	Habura	
17	Jogi	
18	Kalandar, Faqir	
19	Kanjar, Kuchbangia	
20	Kaparia	
21	Karbal, Karwal	
22	Kevat or Mallah	
23	Khatik	
24	Lodh, Lodhi	
25	Madari	
26	Mewati, Meo	
27	Musar (Vanmanush)	
28	Palwar Dusadh	
29	Pasi, Tarmali	
30	Rai Sikh/Mahatam	
31	Tagabhat	
Grand Total		31

* Source:

<http://socialjustice.nic.in/writereaddata/UploadFile/Idate%20Commission.pdf>

32. WEST BENGAL

List of DENOTIFIED, NOMADIC AND SEMI NOMADIC COMMUNITIES

I(A) De-notified Communities as Confirmed by the State/ Uts*

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
1	Bediya*	Bedia, Beria
2	Karwal Nat	
3	Bhar	
4	Dhekaru	
5	Maghaiya Domes	Moghaya Dom
6	Gond	
7	Lodha	*Kheria, Kharia

(B) De-notified Communities as given by the Idade Commission Report *

S.No.	Name of Community	Synonyms
	NIL	
Grand Total		7

* Source:

<http://socialjustice.nic.in/writereaddata/UploadFile/Idade%20Commission.pdf>

*Kheria or Kharia is not a synonym of Lodha. Lodha community was notified criminal tribe while not the Kheria. Since the Lodhas are PVTG also, so to maintain the population of Lodhas, administration of west Bengal amalgamated Lodhas with Kheria and Shabar communities.

