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Marginalization

Question 1

How are Adivasis portrayed today?

Solution:

Today, Adivasis are portrayed as exotic, primitive and backward people. Cultural shows are presented with Adivasis dances. They are represented through colourful costumes and headgears.

Adivasis are blamed for their lack of advancement as they are believed to be resistant to change or new ideas.

This negative portrayal of the Adivasis has led to the marginalization of this community in modern India.

Question 2

What were the hardships faced by the Adivasis?

Solution

The Adivasis were pushed out of the forests of Jharkhand and they had to migrate to other parts of India and the world. The Adivasis experienced hardship and death during the migration. Five lakh Adivasis had perished in these migrations.

When forests were cleared for mining a majority of tribals are displaced. Wide areas of forest land were submerged under water when many dams were built in India after 1947. Due to this many Adivasis were displaced from the States of Andhra Pradesh,

Chhattisgarh, Orissa and Jharkhand.

In the North east, Adivasi lands are war-torn and occupied by the military.

There are 54 national parks and 372 wildlife sanctuaries in India.

These Parks cover an area of 1, 09,652 sq km. of forest land. The Adivasis were evicted from these forests.

Question 3

Who headed the Committee set up by the government to look into the social, economic and educational status of the Muslim Community in India?

Solution:

Justice Rajindar Sachar headed the Committee set up by the government to look into the social, economic and educational status of the Muslim Community in India.

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