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COMMENTS ON THE FOURTH REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL  
AFFAIRS/MATTERS

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The fourth report of the Committee is based on agreements, disagreements and compromises which emerged from the debate mainly on the third report of the Committee.

1. GENERAL CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES :

An in-depth study/research coupled with consultation with traditional leaders will sufficiently address the acknowledgement of their status and recognition in an appropriate manner in the constitution.

Participation of minority political parties in the legislative process should not be used with an intention of promoting the principle of protection of group rights, which ultimately introduces self-determination through a back door.

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Adoption of the principle that amendments to the constitution shall require special procedures involving specified majorities will be premature. If such a principle is adopted at this stage, it will in future be binding on the Constituent Assembly and is therefore unacceptable.

2. PRINCIPLES ON THE ALLOCATION OF POWERS TO DIFFERENT LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT :

The Committees report is in line with the INM's submission to the Technical Committee on TEC (Annexure A).

3. CONSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK :

The Committee's report is a combination of the INM's submissions to the Technical Committees on Constitutional Issues (Annexure B), Fundamental Rights During The Transition (Annexure C) and the TEC (Annexure A).

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