Subject: Re: Maratha & Mahar caste codes (NFHS 1, 1992-93, India) Posted by Bridgette-DHS on Wed, 15 Mar 2017 12:44:47 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS Specialist, Fred Arnold:

Both of those castes were included in the NFHS-1 caste list, which came directly from the 1931 Census. You have to look in List III (Showing Sub-divisions and Synonyms Included in List I). Code 1968 is Maratha, code 1969 is Maratha Sudha, and code 2307 is Mahar.