

in the use of the terminations. If he is present in the speech event then he will be referred to by the term avar and the pronominal termination used for him is -a:r. If he is not present, the pronoun avan and the pronominal termination -a:n are used. Scheduled communities mostly refer to them by using the term avar and use the pronominal termination -a:r.

#### 5.4.2.11 Temple Priest - Local Deity

The priest of the local deity is referred to by the pronouns atu and avar. The pronominal terminations used for him are -ccu or -um and -a:r.

The forward and backward community individuals refer to him by the pronoun avar and pronominal termination -a:r. However, the scheduled community informants refer to him by the pronoun avar or atu and by the pronominal terminations -a:r and -ccu/-um.

#### 5.4.2.12 Temple Priest - Major Deity

The priest of the major deity belongs to forward community and he is referred to by the pronouns avar and avunka and by the pronominal terminations -a:r and -a:nka.