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अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन

ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION

जनजातीय कल्याण निदेशालय

DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE

Port Blair, dated the 27 April, 2007.

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
South Andamans,
Port Blair.

Sub: Demand of Justice against Denial of Tribal Pass u/s of PAT Regulations, 1956 on purported ground that the Department of Tribal Welfare chose not recommend my case, but not disclosing why they did not.

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith in original the application alongwith its enclosures of Shri Randhir.K.De, Advocate on the above cited subject.


In this context, it is stated that earlier Deputy Commissioner, South Andamans had sought the comments of the Secretary (TW), as to whether tribal pass can be given to applicant Shri R.K. De vide letter No. 5-5/LS/2006-XXX/6388 dated 4th December'2006 in reply to which the Executive Secretary, AAJVS had written to DC, South Andamans with the approval of Secretary (TW) vide his letter No. 17-7/AAJVS/2004/519 dated 8.12.2006.(Copy enclosed for reference).

Further it is mentioned that the DO letter No. 19013/2/2005-Schemes dated 9th June'2005 of the Joint Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi stipulates to ensure that undue interference in the lives of Primitive Tribal Groups does not take place without the approval of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs. (Copy enclosed).

The Deputy Commissioner, South Andamans who is the competent authority to consider the tribal pass and who had refused such pass to Shri R.K.De earlier, may like respond to the present letter of Shri R.K. De. However, before responding to the applicant, you may bring the above fact to the notice of the Hon'ble Lt. Governor.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: A/A


Assistant Commissioner (TW)
(CP-16:Kajal/Misc)