## अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION जनजाति कल्याण निदेशालय DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE \*\*\*\*

Port Blair dated the June, 2014

## F.No.1-272/2008-TW(PF)

This is a letter dated 1st July, 2014 addressed to the Hon'ble LG, A & N Islands from Shri Bishnu Pada Ray, Hon'ble Member of Parliament raising certain issues about grant / renewal of tribal pass under the Andaman & Nicobar Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) Regulation, 1956. He has stated that non-tribals working in the shops/firms/establishments including those working in various Departments in Car Nicobar as laburers are facing problems in getting their tribal passes renewed.

Under the PAT Regulation the respective DCs are competent to issue Tribal Pass to the non-tribals for visiting the tribal area (reserved area) in Andaman & Nicobar Islands. So the issues relating to grant / renewal of tribal pass raised by the Hon'ble MP are to be checked from the respective DCs so that we can send a suitable reply in the matter. Therefore, we may in the first instance refer the above letter of the Hon'ble MP to the respective DCs i.e DC (Andamans) and DC (Nicobars) for their comments. A draft letter forwarding the letter of the MF is put up for approval pl.

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