

TOUR DIARY

Self accompanied with Accountant AAJVS and Junior Engineer, APWD, visited Great Andamanese Settlement Strait on 30th April 2011 to 1st May 2011.

Left Port Blair at 0615 hrs by MV. Rani Lakshmi and reached Strait island at 1100 hrs. The following Government employees were present at Strait island during the visit:-

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| a) Teacher | - 2 |
| b) Police Radio Officials | - 3 |
| c) Police Personnel | - 5 |
| d) Police out board oarsman | - 2 |
| e) Pharmacist | - 1 |
| f) Health Worker | - 1 |

All the Great Andamanese students studying in Nirmala Senior Secondary School and Vivekananda Kendra returned to Strait island for summer vacation.

Inspected all the buildings constructed in the new site. It was observed that:-

- 1) The entire area including footpath / approach is covered with thick vegetation and weeds which needs to be cleared.
- 2) 7 government quarters and community hall has been completed except for electricity service line and water connection
- 3) A tree fell over one staff quarter which has damaged the roofing and needs to be repaired
- 4) To safe guard the 11 Great Andamanese houses, a retaining wall has to be constructed for protection against landslide and falling of trees.
- 5) Two small retaining walls has been constructed behind the staff quarters and community hall for 32 meters