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On 19.11.1999 a meeting was held in the Ministry, Govt. of India to discuss about the scheme that we have already submitted to Ministry of Tribal Affairs. Under the said scheme i.e. Health Care facilities to Jarawas of South Andaman and Middle Andaman by opening of Health Centre near Bamboo Tikrey at Kadamtala and at Middle Strait utmost importance is being given to health care of the primitive tribes in case they are to survive. The recent experience about the large number of Jarawas become sick is the main concern to us. At the time of discussion the Ministry required some clarification about the recurring expenditure to be made for maintenance of these two health care centres. They would also like to know whether there is any plan provision been made.

On 20th November, 1989 a meeting was held with the Union Minister of Tribal Welfare. In the said meeting the following points were discussed:-

- 1) Tribal Sub Plan strategy.
- 2) Education for the ST people.
- 3) Review of other Central Sector schemes of Grant to tribal development Cooperative corporation for MFP operations and village gain bank.
- 4) Alienation of tribal land and its restoration.
- 5) Forest and tribals.
- 6) Displacement of tribals due to major developmental projects and rehabilitation policy of the states/UT.
- 7) Excise policy in tribal areas.
- 8) Working of the provision of 5th and 6th schedules of the constitution.