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To

The Secretary
Andaman & Nicobar Islands
Administration
Tribal Welfare Department
U.T.Admn. Secretariat
Port Blair.

Subject: Grant in aid under Central Sector Scheme of Development of Primitive Tribal Groups (PTGs)

Sir.

I am directed to refer to your letter dted 14.10.99 in connection with release of financial assistance for setting up of health centre for Jarawa Tribe under the Scheme of Development of Primitive Tribal Groups (PTGs). The proposal has been examined in this Ministry in consultation with Intgrated Finance Division (I.F.D.) and it has been decided that the Ministry may initially consider the cost of construction of the building and equipment after getting relevant CPWD estimates.

It is, therefore, requested that the requisite information in respect of CPWD estimates for cost of building may kindly be sent to this Ministry at the earliest for further processing of the proposal.

Yours faithfully.

(P.L. Yadav) Deputy Director