

PUC is a letter from Deputy Director, Ministry of Tribal Affairs addressed to Secretary (TW), A&N Administration is regarding release of Grant-in-aid under Central Sector Scheme of development of Primitive Tribal Groups during 1999-2000. The A&N Administration has sent two proposals to the Govt. of India titled "*Project regarding Establishment of Staging Posts for the Protection of Jarawas - procurement of vehicles and communication equipments*" and the second project entitled "*Project regarding Health Care for Jarawas and Other Primitive*" Govt. of India placed the above two projects before its selection committee in its meeting on 19/11/99 in which Secretary (TW) from this administration has attended. Now the Ministry seeks certain clarification and justification on all the components of the proposal specially the financial components recurring as well as non-recurring expenditure. The Govt. of India also desired to have a confirmation that this administration shall fully bear the committed liabilities of the project. For setting up of the health institutions separately for the primitive tribes which will be setup at Middle Strait, the Ministry has laid a condition that the recurring cost of running of the hospital will be borne by the UT administration. The administration has proposed the first project titled establishment of staging post for the protection of Jarawas with the following financial outlay: -

Non Recurring Expenditure :-

(Rs. in Lakhs)

a.	Purchase of 4 mini trucks	Rs. 22.00
b.	Purchase of Communication set	Rs. 8.00
d.	Purchase of two wheelers (8 Nos.)	Rs. 2.00
e.	Purchase of Furnitures for the staging post.	Rs. 2.00
f.	Purchase of Speed Boat (2 Nos.)	Rs. 20.00
g.	Construction of Staging Post (4 Nos.)	Rs. 10.00
Total :		Rs. 64.00