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OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES

Andaman and Nicobar Islands
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Port Blair, dated the

Feb, 12th 1999.

The Superintendent of Police,
(District)
Port Blair.

195/1999(T.D.)
12/2/99

Sub:- Damage of property and life by
Jarawas - Regarding.

SIR,

I invite a reference to the letter No. M.I.I
dated 12th February, 1999 from the Secretary, Malabar Coop
Coconut Farming Society Ltd, Agrobraj addressed to this office
and copy endorsed to you on the subject mentioned above which
is self explanatory.

It is apparent from the letter that a group
of Jarawas entered into the society's plantation at Khuims
Dera on 11.2.99 at about 9.30 A.M. They not only damaged
the plantation but also attacked one of the labourers of
the society brutally and caused injury to him who has been
admitted in nearby hospital at Tusonbad. This incident
caused mental tension to other co-workers of the society
and they have stopped working in the plantation.

This is not the first incident where
a group of Jarawas entered into the plantation and
attacked the labourers. In recent past during the 1st
part of November, 1998, group of Jarawas entered into
other plantation at Horm Dera which is close to the above
named coop society and taken away their food items and
other agricultural tools and implements with them. A
report has also been made to you vide this office letter
No. RCS/8-8/99/3042 dated 27.11.98 for providing shelter
to the workers of the said society.

Until and unless a concrete steps is not taken
by posting some Police Personnel or instruct the nearby
Out Post to extend patrolling duty to the area of the
plantation, this incident will not be stopped and no
labour will like to work there and ultimately it will hamper
the society's work.

of the I, therefore, request you to look into the
matter personally and extend necessary assistance to protect /
the workers and property of the society from the Jarawas.

Early action is requested.

Yours faithfully,

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Registrar