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GRAM PANCHAYAT TUSHNABAD, S/ANDAMAN.

To

The Chief Secretary

Secretariat,

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Dated the 02ndNovember, 2012

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Sub: - Suggestion and demands of Pradhan to solve the problem of loot done by jarawas in revenue village Collinpur, South Andaman. Regd:-

Sir,

With high regards I want to attract your attentions towards, the incident of mid-night of 31st November, 2012. When 10-15 Jarawas came in the revenue village Collinpur, broken back door many houses and collected household items as well as agriculture tools which are of every day use for cultivation.

The villagers are depressed and furious after this incident took place which is not first time, Jarawas are now coming in routine wise to allotted land, plantation and taking every crops such as coconut orange, banana, sugar cane etc.

This is first they have done large scale, I appreciate your effort of reconsideration and refix of Buffer Zone boundary for which committee you have set-up, which conducted a general meeting few days ago at Herbertabad Community Hall with villagers.

In this juncture, keeping in mind about the situation and crucial period of Jarawa Poicly as well as Buffer Zone boundary marking, I have following suggestion and demands:-

- The villagers of Collinpur, Herbertabad, Tirur, Templemeo, Kurma Dera, Manpur are staying in their house and doing agriculture work, if Jarawas are looting the domestic utensils and plantational crops then immediate compensation should be provided in stipulated period of time by administration after conducting proper assessment of damage.
- 2. At present AAJVS department is most important to play a key and vital role in this crucial period and important international issue. But they have very low staff strength so their strength can be increased immediately by appointing daily rated staff by 40—50 numbers and preference can be given to local educated youths who knows even jarawa language.
- 3. The departments of Police have an outpost in Collinpur village, it was established in very important location whose diagram I have attached herewith but after Tsunami, in the year of 2005 it was sifted to 1 km apart in hill top and isolated place from where it is difficult to check the Jarawa movement, so it should be sifted to old place near Canal where it was established after consideration of various aspect such as only pasage of Jarawas from tribal area to revenue village through Sea-shore, easy to check the poaching activity of villagers in the tribal area and reserve forest, easily reachable position through water as well as road.
- 4. AAJVS department should be directed to be proceed every work and step of development keeping in confidence with Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Tushnabad. As department of agriculture of doing for better result of every work and scheme to implement in this Panchayat. But at present we have no idea as the nature of work AAJVS department doing to decreased human and Jarawa tribe conflict.

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