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पुलिस अधीक्षक का कार्यालय
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE
जिला दक्षिण अण्डमान
SOUTH ANDAMAN DISTRICT

पोर्ट ब्लेयर Port Blair दिनांक dated the 8th July, 2013

To

The Director Tribal Welfare
A & N Administration
Port Blair

Sub:-Detention of police personnel and escort vehicle by Jarawas at ATR road-reg.

On 27/06/2013 a convoy consisting of 28 vehicles left Middle Starit for Jirkatang at 0930 hrs under proper police escort. At the end of the convoy a Bolero Jeep bearing No. AN 01G-0026 driven by HG (Driver) namely Selva Kumar accompanied by IRBn Ct.453 Abinash Mondal was following the convoy. When the convoy reached near Potta Tang the said police vehicle which was at the tail was stopped by some 23 Jarawas (including female & children). The Jarawas asked the Driver (HG/450 namely Selva Kumar) to take them along with their goods in the escort vehicle and drop them near to their camp. Since it is not in our mandate to transport Jarawas from one place to another so he refused to oblige them. On this, one of the Jarawa hit Selva Kumar on the chest with the blunt side of the Dah though the driver was not seriously harmed so he was not subject to medical examination. After about one hour the driver and the Constable were allowed to leave with the escort vehicle with the direction that the vehicle should be sent for them and also blamed that the funds meant for them is being misappropriated.

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