Action points emerged from the meeting held on 4.3.2015 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (TW), A&N Administration to discuss the issues related to Protocol of Surveillance for the Jarawa tribe constituted vide Order No. 405 dated 28.11.2014

The following were present: -

The Secretary (TW), A&N Administration

2) The Director (TW), Port Blair

3) The Divisional Forest Officer, South Andaman

4) The Director (ANTRI)

15 PM Executive Secretary, AAJVS

The team of Protocol Surveillance shall ensure effective and intensive patrolling both on land and sea. There shall be round the clock surveillance / patrolling in the area, on sea as well as on the road / jungle

In South Andaman District, six teams consisting of officials from AAJVS, Police and Forest department shall be put on duty round the clock. Three teams shall be patrolling on the sea and three teams on the road / jungle. Executive Secretary, AAJVS shall oversee the preparation of roster of duty accordingly for a period of 45 days for each team.

Each team shall consist at least one official from each department

Each team shall be deployed on a shift of 8 hours.

They shall maintain a handing over / taking over register. Each team shall properly record the activities they have monitored during their duty.

AAJVS shall increase its manpower and engage persons on daily wages, preferably from the local population

Executive Secretary, AAJVS shall provide adequate number torch lights, uniforms, raincoats, boot / shoes, GPS, cameras and other tools / equipments as required by the AAJVS workers.

h) AAJVS shall look into and draw up protocol for providing ration for the Tribal Welfare Officer and Janjati Sevaks deployed on patrolling duty in the same lines that of Police and Forests.

- AAJVS shall engage three engine dinghies with operators for the patrolling / surveillance.
- j) Police and Forest officials shall utilize GPS and communication equipments available with their departments during the exercise. Divisional Forest Officer must ensure that at least one person in each team should know the handling of GPS and camera etc. Police / Forest personnel shall carry the VMF set while performing the patrolling duty.

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