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allotting them land and they should be provided with proper food. If Jarawas would be given food they would not come out.

The undersigned has informed that the matter will be conveyed to the AAJVS.

Shri Mohammed Ali, villager Jirkatang: -

He stated that he has got plantation at Jirkatang No.6. Last year he has got only 43 sacks of areca nuts and this year only 12. To bring the fruits from his plantation he seeks the help of police who accompanies him. Earlier when there was sufficient staff in Jirkatang the police accompany them whole day. But now there is shortage of staff as such In-charge sometimes does provide the staff to bring the fruits but could not let the staff to be free for whole day as plucking of areca nuts from plantation takes whole day. He requested that staff of Jirkatang may be augmented so that villagers who have plantation at Jirkatang No. 6 could be accompanied by police and they could work at their plantation without fear and their plantation would be safeguarded.

The undersigned has directed SI Karthikeyan, In-charge JPP Jirkatang to put up requisition for augmentation of staff at JPP Jirkatang.

Sukh Bahadur, Janjati Sevak Jirkatang: -

On being asked Sukh Bahadur, Janjati Sevak has informed that whenever Jarawas tries to flee away with the articles of villagers we suggest Jarawas to refrain from doing so but they don't listen to them in the matter of food. The Jarawas are solely dependent on hunting and forest produce as such they usually come out of the jungle in search of food. He pointed out that only two Janjati Sevak is posted for Jirkatang area. If one Janjati sevak avails weekly off then only one remain on duty. With only two staff it is not possible to effectively control the movement of Jarawas and 8 more additional staff should be posted for Jirkatang area.

Listening to the villagers so far, one could easily come to the conclusion that the main reason forcing Jarawas to come out of