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## OFFICE OF THE TRIBAL WELFARE OFFICER

## ANDAMAN ADIM JANJATI VIKAS SAMITI

JIRKATANG

Dated the 18 Mar. 2017

To

The Executive Secretary, AAJVS, Port Blair.

Sub: Requested to provide dept. boat for the welfare of Jarawas at Middle Straitreg.

Sir.

It has been informed by the few Jarawas and Janjati Seveks that the Jarawas has regular contact with the fishermen, when the Jarawas stay at coastal place and they exchange Jarawa reserve forest resources with them in return they get rice, oil, masala, cloths and alcohol, etc., As we don't have any dept. boat at Middle Strait/ Baratang, till date regular patrolling was not conducted at the costal place. So far, our dept. boat attached to Kadamtala was provided for shifting the Jarawas from Middle Strait jetty to coastal place and for medicine coverage at coastal areas. It is therefore, requested you to kindly arrange to provide one boat/ approval for hiring of private boat from Baratang for conducting patrolling and shifting of Jarawas from one place to other.

Yours faithfully

Tribal Welfare Officer AAJVS, Jirkatang.