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May please peruse paras 241/N to 246/N.

On receipt of the information over telephone on 02.07.2003 morning we have issued the directions by Signal (copy placed at page No. 191/C to 193/C) to both the Social Workers of Dugong Creek and South Bay respectively. Tahsildar, Hut Bay has also been requested for the supervision and smooth function not only for distribution of ration articles but also for all other matters. He has already taken necessary step for smooth function and distribution under his supervision.

It is further to add that there is no local controlling authority for AAJVS staff including both the Social Workers posted at Dugong Creek and South Bay like that of Campbell Bay. It is absolute necessary as proposed vide para 243/N that the Tahsildar, Little Andaman may function as Officer-incharge of AAJVS staff for the best interest of the welfare programmes of Primitive Tribes. Therefore the above proposal at para 245/N may be approved.

In case of opening of 01 branch of OMPCS at South Bay and also inclusion of South Bay Onges as a Member of the OMPCS, it is to say here that there is no legal bar for taking Onges of South Bay as a Member in the Society as per OMPCS Bye-Law No. 4 (a) since the area of operation of the Society is entire Little Andaman Islands vide OMPCS Bye-Law No. (2). Here it is proposed that we may request the Management of the Society to pass a resolution to accept the admission of South Bay, Onges as a Member of the Society and also opening of a OMPCS branch at South Bay with the consent of Co-operative Department. In this regard we may also request the RCS to issue necessary instruction to the Inspector or Sub-Inspector posted at Hut Bay for further action.

Submitted for approval.

Executive Secretary, AAJVS 04.07.2003 (CF No.51-8134)

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