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This is a letter received from the Social Worker, Strait Island regarding employment to Andamanese. We have employed Shri Loka as helper of Power House to assist the Switch Board Operator-cum-Engine Driver at Strait Island. But he is not attending his duty since 21.12.88. The Social Worker has brought this matter to the higher authorities during his duty-cum-tour to head quarter. He has been instructed to engage Shri Elphe S/o Jirake as helper in place of Shri Loka and he is working since 1.7.89. (88)

Approval may kindly be accorded to issue proper order in his favour.

Ex./Secy.

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Please put up with details of terms and conditions (89) of appointment of Shri. Elphe in place Shri. Loka.

M. J. Rao

29.8.89

The Andamanese/Onge Tribes were appointed on consolidated monthly payments without any service conditions. The order issued in favour of Sri Loka s/o late Elphe, Andamane may please be see at Flag 'A' in the linked file. (90)

Encl.