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This is a reply of this office letter received from the Director General of Police, A & N Islands, Port Blair in connection with depletion of traditional food resources of Jarawas due to poaching activities.

In this regard he has informed that a special drive against poachers in the Jarawa reserve area has been launched. During these anti- poaching operations, the employees of AAJVS and Forest also accompany the Police team. Further has informed that, In addition day and night patrolling in and around creeks in the concerned area, using PMF. Boats and more surprise inspections of fishing dinghies and vessels have been conducted by the local Police and local fisherman have been warned not to venture around prohibited areas.

He has enclosed herewith a list of cases detected by the Police in the last two months i.e. June and July, 2013. Against 14 person's case has been registered in Police Station Kadamtala, Baratang under PAT regulation 1956 and against 05 persons case has been registered in P. S. Ograbraj under wild life protection act 1972. The drives against the poaching activities in the prohibited area will continue by this team (Task Force Committee).

Submitted for kind information please.

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In response to D.O. Ltr from Chief Secretary regarding poaching activity, ^{dt 21.8.13} response has been received from D.G.P. (A&N). In the enclosures he has given the list of persons apprehended for poaching activities in Jarawa area.

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