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Port Blair, dated the 12th December, 2001.

To

- The Superintendent of Police(D), Andamans District, Port Blair
- 2. The Superintendent of Police(AP), Port Blair.

Sub: Study of Jarawas in pursuance of the direction of Hon'ble High Court of Calcutta -reg

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of 3 VHF sets provided by Police Department in connection with subject mentioned above. The concerned Members of the Composite Groupswere trained by your technical person to use VHF sets., before the teams left for the respective fields on 10.12.2001.

The three teams are to study the Jarawas of Tirur area, RK Nallah area in South Andaman and Middle Andaman Island. Accordingly, one team has left to western coast of South Andaman by M.V Shompen which is presently anchor near Bada Balu. Other team is camping near Middle Strait and third team is camping near Lakra Lungta near Kadamtala in Middle Andaman Island.

As intimated earlier, regular communications with these study teams is necessary. In this context kindly issue necessary technical advice/direction to all concerned to establish the communication channel between the Directorate of Tribal Welfare and three study teams in the field so that the requirements are reached and the directions/advice to the study teams are also communicated, apart from monitoring the progress made by these study teams.

It may be mentioned here that the Administration is required to appraise the Hon'ble High Court about the progress being made in the study of Jarawas.

Yours faithfully,

Executive Secretary(AAJVS)

12.12.2001 (C.F.No.: (T1-208)

Copy to: The Police Radio Officer, Port Blair for information and necessary action.

Executive Secretary,

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