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		APWD was also asked to submit the estimates wherever required so that the same could be sanctioned and funds placed at their disposal for completing the work in a time bound manner	f) The Accountant AAJVS was directed to proceed to Strait Island with staff from APWD (E&M) and submit report of the status of electrical fittings. g) The Tribal Welfare Officer AAJVS Strait Island was directed to take over the residential / non-residential buildings immediately after completion of the repair works / electrification by APWD
	iv)	Augmentation of water supply: It was informed that there has been acute shortage of potable water,; at Strait Island as there was only one ring well and a RO Plant for meeting the entire requirement of water for the inhabitants of the island. It was also pointed out that the existing RO Plant was not hygienically maintained inspite of the request made to the Deputy Commissioner (North & Middle Andaman) and the Executive Engineer concerned of the area. In order to provide the basic need of potable water, it was decided that APWD through its field officers concerned shall take immediate action to ensure that the RO Plant and the Ring Well are maintained hygienically and feasibility explored for construction of a small check dam/water body for augmentation of the water supply in the area	It was decided that APWD shall depute staff for repair of water pump and R.O. plant at Strait Island.
II	Dugong Creek		
	i)	As regards the design, plan and estimates of residential buildings for the Onges Tribe at Dugong Creek, APWD shall take up construction of the buildings as he design finalized in consultation with Chief of Onge Tribe as documented in CD by ES, AAJVS and Director (ANTRI). It was also decided that feasibility may be explored for taking up building construction with timber for which the Forest Department may be in a position to supply the required sawn timber from Govt. Saw Mill, Chatham or either Make Shift Saw Mill Units at Port Blair on payment of its cost. It was also decided that the estimates shall be submitted by APWD for construction of Transit houses for the staff posted at Dugong Creek for protection, welfare and Accommodation development of Onges Tribe	1) The Executive Secretary, AAJVS informed that APWD had furnished the estimates for construction of 06 new houses for Onges in lieu of 06 old dilapidated houses in the same location as the new houses were to be constructed at new site on a higher grounds. APWD may be asked to construct houses at higher ground. 2) It was resolved to process the estimates for supply and installation of 15 HP diesel water pump set at Dugong Creek 3) Director (TW) / ADM was requested to look into the matter of encroachment in the land allotted to OMPCS for c/o godwon at VK Pur and get the encroachment removed . 4) APWD was requested to make barbed wire or RCC Posts fencing around the above land 5) APWD was requested to complete all the ongoing civil works at Dugong Creek be constructed without removing any coconut tree there from. 6) APWD was requested to furnish Utilization/ Completion Certificates