

It is to state that I/C JPP. Jirkatang has reported that on 3/6/11 at 0930 hrs a convoy of trucks had left from Middle Strait to Jirkatang & when the convoy reached near Punna Nallah, a few Jarawas (15-20) stopped the convoy and tried to get into the truck, however PC/1071 Mohd. Basheer on escort duty did not allow the Jarawas to get into the truck. As such the Jarawas got annoyed and threatened the constable to attack with arrows if he did not allow them to get into the truck. There was no AAJVS staff present near Punna Nallah & due to absence of AAJVS staff, the Jarawas are stopping the convoy frequently.

It is, therefore, requested that sufficient AAJVS staff may kindly be posted between Middle Strait and Jirkatang to avoid such incident in future.

Yours faithfully

Superintendent of Police South Andaman District