

Minutes of the meeting of District Vigilance and Monitoring Committee on SCs and STs for North & Middle Andaman held in the chamber of District Magistrate/ Deputy Commissioner, N&MA on 29.06.2011 at 1500 Hrs.

The DM/Deputy Commissioner, North & Middle Andaman, Shri. Udit Prakash, IAS chaired the meeting.

The following were present in the meeting:

- 1. Shri. Sham Chand, Assistant Commissioner (HQ)/ SDM, Mayabunder.
- 2. Shri. Anyesh Roy, Dy. S.P, North Andaman.
- 3. Dr. Mohd. Sammi, Medical Officer i/c, N&M Andaman.
- 4. Shri. Mohd. Ismail, Tehsildar, Rangat.
- 5. Shri. G.P. Mondal, Executive Engineer, NACD, APWD, Mayabunder.
- 6. Smti. Arati Mondal, Pramukh, Panchayat Samiti, Mayabunder.
- 7. Shri. Anup Kr. Mondal, Tribal Welfare Officer, AAJVS, Kadamtala.
- 8. Shri. Rizwan Hassan, SHO, Police Station, Kadamtala.
- 9. Shri. Sushen Mallick, Assistant Education Officer, Mayabunder.
- 10. Shri. Deepak Ram, BRP, DEO's Office, Rangat.
- 11. Shri. Bidhan Roy, PST, DEO, Rangat.

At the outset, the District Magistrate, N&MA District welcomed all the participants present in the meeting and informed that this meeting being convened as per the provision of the Protection of Civil Rights Act 1955 and the SCs & STs (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.

 The District Magistrate, N&MA showed his displeasure on the absence of the Divisional Forest Officer, Mayabunder who is the member in the said committee.
He desired than an explanation may be sought from DFO, Mayabunder in this regard.

(Action by: AC(HQ)/Member Secretary)

2) The DM has enquired about any kind of atrocity on any of the tribal employees working in Govt. Departments. The members informed that no complaints against any of the tribal employees have been received so far. However, the DM urged all the members to see that there is no atrocity on the tribal employees.

(Action by: AC(HQ)/Member Secretary/All Members)

3) It was observed by the DM (N&MA) that despite issuing an instructions to the Director (Fisheries), he has not mentioned a clause in the fishing licence to curb the entry of fishermen into Jarawa Reserve Area and Buffer Zone. The DM directed the Member Secretary to send a reminder letter to the Director/AD (Fisheries) in this regard.

(Action by: Member Secretary)