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To,

The Director (TW)  
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**Sub: Parliament starred question -reg.**

Sir,

With reference to your note number 1-360/2007-TW/1313 dated 13/3/2007 in connection with a Parliamentary Starred question Dy. No.10577 for 20.3.2007, kind find the reply as requested:-

S. no	Question	Reply
(a)	whether a housing programme is being taken up by the government for the Scheduled tribes particularly Jarawa (PTG tribe) in the Jarawa tribal reserved after Tsunami	Housing programme is taken up only for the Onges and Great Andamanese and no programme is taken up for the Jarawas, Shompens and Sentinelese as they are hunting and gathering nomadic tribes and do not have permanent villages.
(b)	If so, the details of the tribal families provided with houses till date	26 Old Onges at Dugong Creek were renovated after Tsunami and 43 traditional houses has been built on high ground far away from sea shore at Dugong Creek.  8 old houses were renovated for the Great Andamanese after Tsunami and 10 New houses are under construction at Strait Island at high ground far away from sea shore