Sea sand lifted form Tribal Reserve used for building construction

APWD Contractor cheats Great Andamanese and Government of India

Port Blair, June 20: Recently the Andaman PWD had conferred the construction work of 11 numbers of type III quarters for families of Great Andamanese Tribal Community in Strait Island to a private contractor. According to reports, APWD is supervising the construction work, which cost nearly 2 crores rupees.

But, it has been learnt from reliable sources that the said contractor is using fresh stolen sea sand lifted form the shores of the tribal reserve island, to make huge profit. Obviously, the booty would be shared with some officials of APWD and Forest Department, who are keeping their eyes closed in this matter. As per records the contractor didn't carry any quantity of 'Pulverized Sand' from Port Blair as per the agreement and allegedly in-connivance of APWD, Forest, Tribal welfare staff

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Coast Guard Declares Port Blair as a Selection Centre for Recruitment of Officers

Port Blair, June 20: Coast Guard Headquarters has declared Port Blair as selection centre for conduct of preliminary selection for the post of Assistant Comm-andant. Though direct re-cruitment into the Coast Guard started in 1979, however, due to poor resp-onse from these islands, sufficient candidates were not available, for declaring Port Blair as a centre for preliminary selection of offi-cers.

recruitment for the officers is conducted every six months through advertisement in leading news-papers. The minimum edu-cational qualification for applying for the post of an Assistant Commandant is Graduation in any discipline with Mathematics and Physics upto 12th standard and age group between 21 to 25 years with 05 years relaxation for SC/ST candidates and 3 years for OBC candidates.

complete application forms should be sent to reach on or before 11 Jul 2008 to The Director (MPR&T), Post Box No. 127, Noida (U.P) – 201301, Under Postal Certifi-cate (UPC) only. Reg-istered letters & Speed Post will not be accepted. Eligible and short listed candidates will be issued call letters for PSB by 2nd week of August 2008. Candidates from Andaman & Nicobar Islands may fill choice of centre at Port Blair

Power house at Bangaon village

Port Blair, June 20: The Electricity Department had established a Power House at Bangaon village and is being operated and maintained by the village Pradhan & villagers as Community Power House.

The Power House started functioning from 05.06.2008 and provides electric supply to consumers for five hours daily between 1700 Hrs and 2200 Hrs covering 14 service connections and 10 street lights.

Masters & Bachelors of Computer Applications from IGNOU

Port Blair, June 20: With basic objectives of opening up a channel to Computer courses for the students who are interested in taking up careers in information technology, IGNOU has launched Masters & Bachelors of Computer Applications (MCA & BCA) for the session starting July 2008 informed Shri. S. Saunand, Regional Director, IGNOU Regional Centre, Port Blair.

The broad objective of MCA & BCA is to prepare graduate students for productive careers in software industry, academia etc. The MCA programme is designed with a semester approach and the student will receive PGDCA certificate after successful completion of first year courses. The MCA degree has also been recognized by AICTE as a technical qualification.

The development of the course structure for the BCA programme has kept in mind, the current trends of encouraging students at the Bachelors degree level to have exposure in some areas beyond their immediate specialization said Shri. S. Saunand. On the other hand MCA programme has been designed for developing skills in High End Computing with core courses such as Advanced Internet Technologies, Assembly Language Programme, Data Communication & Networking etc.

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