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No.64-1/99-PW  
Andaman & Nicobar Administration  
Secretariat  
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Port Blair, dated the 11 Jan., 2001

To  
The Secretary (TW)  
Andaman & Nicobar Administration  
Port Blair.

Sub:- Filling up of the vacant posts reserved for ST's -regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to invite your kind attention to your D.O.L.No.9-9/99-TW/1229 dated 26.12.2000 on the subject mentioned above and to furnish the bifurcation of posts reserved against ST in respect of Secretariat Administration as under:-

**Group 'C' posts**

LGC	-	38
Steno(OG)	-	14

Total- 52

**Group 'D'** - NIL

A Combined Recruitment Examination to fill up these posts was held on 18.06.2000 with the assistance of SSC, New Delhi. As per the final result received from the SSC, no ST candidate have been declared qualified against these posts except 1 (one) ST candidate for the post of LGC. Therefore, the reserved vacancy against ST will remain as 51 in respect of Group 'C' post and Group 'D' Nil.

However, while furnishing the vacancy as on 01.01.2000, the ST vacancy against Group 'D' was wrongly shown as 1 (one) and the bifurcation of 71 Group 'D' posts shown therein is as under:-

1. Peon	-	48
2. Daftry	-	13 (Promotional post)
3. Chowkidar	-	3
4. Khalasi	-	3
5. Sweeper	-	4

71 posts (71-13= 58)

The post of Daftry is a promotional post. Hence the posts to be reserved for ST comes to 7 (Seven) only as against 58 posts. Since there posts are duly filled with 7 (Seven) Nicobari Tribals, there is no shortfall in Group 'D' posts, so far as Secretariat Administration is concerned. However, Administration is on the move to launch a special Recruitment Drive to fill up the vacancies in the post of Steno(OG) with the assistance of SSC, New Delhi.

Yours faithfully,

(S.K.Biswas)

Assistant Secretary (Perf)