

PUC is a Note dated 30.11.2013 received from Secretary to LG dated 30.11.2013, wherein by enclosing the copy of newspaper report in "Andaman Chronicle" dated 21.11.2013, regarding "Jarawa in Tirur: Irreversible Cultural Damage", it has informed that the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, A&N islands has desired a report on the matter.

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Accordingly, the Tribal Welfare Officer of Tirur area was directed to enquire the matter and submit a report immediately. The outcome report says the following -

- (i) The involvements of four poachers with headquarter and termed "all the tenderers" as 'poachers' is false and misleading.
- (ii) The case of Saurab Biswas was handled by the Coast Guard/ Police and produced before the Hon'ble Court/ Later he was released by the Hon'ble Court. After the incident, the AAJVS immediately cancelled his tender.
- (iii) The incident of scuffle between two Jarawas under the influence of liquor as reported by the newspaper is false.

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Copy of the field report is placed below as **Flag-A**.

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Further, considering the changes in the behaviour pattern of Jarawa in recent times, a proposal containing the procedure to be adopted to fulfill the demands of Jarawas and regulatory measures which can help in enforcement of law was submitted to the Chief Secretary, is also placed in the file as **Flag-B**.

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The report placed at flag 'A' & 'B' are on the News item published in the 'Andaman Chronicle' dt. 21.11.2013 regarding 'Jarawa in Tirur: Irreversible cultural damage'. If approved, we may furnish the same to Secy to LG for the perusal of Hon'ble Lt. Governor.

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