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ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION  
DIRECTORATE OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY  
AND VETERINARY SERVICES

Dated at Port Blair, the 26/6/1998

✓ To

The Director(TW),  
A & N Administration,  
Port Blair.

Sub: Inspection report of poultry farm at Strait Island -reg.

Sir,

I am directed to inform that in response to signal No.38 dated 7/6/98, Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, Havelock visited Strait Island on 19/6/98. A copy of the inspection report is enclosed which is self explanatory.

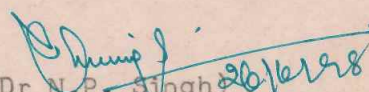
Out of 100 layer birds supplied on 25/3/98 only 42 birds are remaining and are in healthy condition with egg production of about 60%. Out of remaining 58 birds 5 were issued to chief for marriage purpose and 3 had died while shipment from Port Blair. Remaining 50 birds are reported to be missing/consumed by Andamanese.

The Social worker posted at Strait Island is fully responsible for maintaining day to day stock of birds, feed consumption, Medical, death etc of the farm apart from regular up keep and maintenance of farm. For 50 layer birds which is reported to be missing/consumed the social worker may be asked to furnish the detailed account and the birds lay profitably for 52 weeks before being culled ~~then~~ for table purpose.

The Chief has again demanded 100 birds which we are in a position to supply provided proper arrangement is made for upkeep and maintenance of birds at Strait Island.

All Veterinay services/health cover will be provided by the department including medical of birds.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Dr N.P. Singh)  
Sr.Veterinary Officer(P)

Copy to:

The Executive Secretary(AAJVS), Port Blair with the request to look into the matter personally and send requisition for 100 Layer birds at the earliest.

Sr.Veterinary Officer(P)