

- 4) In Baratang, Ram-Nagar, Hanspuri Campbell Bay and other places Chotanagpuri tribals are settled under the various Government settlement schemes. While settling these tribals the Government must save & provide the minimum status of STs, the constitutional rights which they were enjoying in the original place of living before they were brought and settled in these Islands.
- 5) The Karens & Bengali refugees were notified for OBCs under the Andaman Administration. Recognizing the contribution of Chotanagpur tribals for the development of these Islands they should be notified for the scheduled tribes of the Andaman & Nicobar islands.

**Our request for:-**

- (i) Immediate visit of the National Commission for STs to identify the Chotanagpuri tribals in Andaman & Nicobar Islands together with other STs
- (ii) Constitution of A & N commission for Scheduled Tribes. Since Andaman & Nicobar is scattered in small Islands where theses tribals are working. The State Head Quarter Bhubenswar is out of our route hence difficult to approach the State Head Quarters for the problems/atrocities.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

*Epiga*  
(President)

**Ranchi Association  
A & N Islands,  
Port Blair.**

**Copy to:-**

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A & N Islands.
2. Member of Parliament,  
A & N Islands.
3. The Chief Secretary,  
A & N Islands.
4. The Director,  
Tribal Welfare,  
A & N Islands.
5. The President,  
J.M.M, A & N Islands.