

JHARKHAND MUKTI MORCHA

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MB-13/4, KALIMANDIR ROAD, PREM NAGAR, PORT BLAIR.

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Ref No. ...J.M.M./12/06

Date ...18/11/06

To

The Lt. General (Retd) M.M. Lakhera,
Hon'ble Lt. Governor of
Andaman & Nicobar Islands,
Raj Niwas, Port Blair.

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Sub:- Requisition for recommendation to include Chotanagpuri Tribals, Oraons, Mundas, Kharias, Santhalis, Lohras, Chik-Baraiks and others in the scheduled tribe list of Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

Hon'ble Sir,

With our aspiration for the consideration in accordance with the criteria laid in context of the proposed comprehensive revision of the scheduled castes and scheduled tribes vide No. 120 16/30/96 SCD (R/cell) Govt. of India, Ministry of Welfare & Kalyan Mantralaya, furtherance to any amendment in the existing list of scheduled castes and scheduled tribes can be done only through an act of parliament in view of articles 341(2) of the constitution.

We Chotanagpuri tribals residing in Andaman & Nicobar Islands urge upon the authorities concerned for recommendation to consider the inclusion of the Chotanagpuri tribals Oraons, Mundas, Kharias, Santhalis, Lohras, Chik-Baraiks and others in the tribal list of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, as above contented stating our grievances as follows:-

1. Notwithstanding any thing contrary to the rules, regulation and laws constitutional provision in favour of scheduled tribes, the 100% Ranchi Chotanagpuri Tribals including the Ranchi settlers who have severally been victimized with the gross loss on the valuable lives of the members of their families by the Jarawa Attack while working dedicatedly in the Forests at Jirkatang, Potatang and Poona Nallah denouncing all sorts of facilities privileges required for Social Life since 1918 when they were brought from mainland for collecting timbers for Chatham Saw Mill and cleaning the jungle to set up township as well as settlement area and construction of roads through the Jungle, are still deprived from their long cherished said recognition of ST in A & N Islands. Consequently our movement with the same object has already been gaining grounds, Ranchi Association A & N Island is registered on the 11th April, 1975 vide registration No. 88 to uplift ourselves. Jharkhand Mukti Morcha was revived in 2004, working for the development of the poor specially for the Chotanagpuri Tribals. Since 1918 our men were brought by the Administration in the following chronological situation.

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MHA. 1) to look into this case.
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