

This Administration feels that the Ranchi community is far more advanced than even the most advanced of the Scheduled Tribes of these Islands namely the Nicobarese, let alone the other five primitive tribal groups.

However, the representation of the Jharkand Mukti Morcha and the opinion of the Administration thereon are brought to the notice of Ministry of Home Affairs for further necessary advice in this regard.

Yours faithfully

Enclosed; - A/a

I am directed to forward herewith the letter No JMM/

Secretary (TW)

Copy alongwith a copy of the representation dated 18.11.2006 of the State President, Jharkand Mukri Morcha, Port Blair is forwarded to the Secretary to the Govt. of India, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, 6th floor, 'D' Wing, Loknayak Bhavan, Khan Market, New Delhi - 110003 for information and further necessary advice in this regard.

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Therefore, the case of Ranchis was not recommended to the Govt. of India vide Administrations letter No. 1-581/9/TW/1317 dated 18th October 1994 (copy enclosed).

view has been reiterated. Accordingly the opinion of Administration thereon was also communicated to the United Ministry of Home affairs vide Administry of Home affairs vide Administrations letter.

554/2004-TW/1317 dated 20th July 2005 (Copy enclosed)