

- (iv) Reservation for scheduled castes and scheduled tribes issued by the department of personnel in respect of posts/services under the central government is also applicable to posts/services under the Pondicherry Administration.
- (v) Also as such SC / ST candidates from outside Pondicherry should also be eligible for vacancy reserved for SCs / STs in Union Territory Administration.
- (vi) Andaman and Nicobar Union Territory and Pondicherry Union Territory are standing on the same footing hence the migrated tribes from Chotanagpur in Andaman & Nicobar Islands are eligible for vacancies reserved for scheduled Tribes in Andaman & Nicobar Union Territory Administration.
- (vii) The D.O letter No. V-16012/6/80-ANL dated 5.10.1981 from Shri R.V.Pillai joint Secretary, Ministry of Home Affair, addressed to Shri B.K. Singh Chief Secretary A & N Administration (A copy of intimation is given to this association) reads us under: -

According to available figures of appointments under the Administration there should be move than 3000 scheduled tribes employees in group 'C' & 'D' post alone where on 1.1.1980 the number of such employees was only 269. The letter further says that the reservation orders should be followed strictly, the reserved vacancies to be widely circulated through central exchange.

- (viii) The Administration & Nicobar Administration issued a letter No 1-24/80 TW on the 22<sup>nd</sup> July 82 to all heards of Departments/ Offices to follow the above instruction of the government of India strictly.
- (ix) This instruction existed till 1984 some vacant post were filled up by migrated tribes and was stopped without intimation to our Association, through several letters were written to this administration asking the reason for sudden breaking/non-implementing the instruction of the government of India. This concerns much to this tribal community.
- (x) The reserved vacancies for scheduled tribes under Andaman & Nicobar Union Territory are filled up only by the STs of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The migrated STs having the local certificate & legal ST certificates are not considered for the above said vacancies The Supreme Court judgment and order will help the administration to follow the instruction of government of India.
- (xi) Scheduled caste and scheduled tribes are entitled to derived benefits of the All India services or admission in the education institutions controlled/administrated by the central government, irrespective of the state they belong. The Regional Engineering Collegerare controlled and administrated by the central government. There are reserved quotas for ST students of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. The migrated scheduled tribes candidates also be eligible for this reserved quota. The Administration banned the admission of migrated STs against the reserved STs