

16. The Mazdoors appointed on contract basis to manage the Jarawa situation have gained the working knowledge in Jarawa language and now they could to some extent communicate with the Jarawas. They requested to increase their wages as the present consolidated pay of Rs.2200/- is not sufficient. In this context it may be mentioned here that the request of Mazdoors, also came up for discussion during the meeting of the Expert Committee which met on 5.4.2002. There was a suggestion to increase their wages. Keeping in view the fact that they have learnt Jarawa language to some extent, the Mazdoors could now be treated as semi skilled and accordingly their wages could be calculated as per the Notification of the Administration under Minimum Wages Act. This matter be examined in the file.

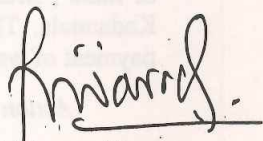
Action: Executive Secretary, AAJVS, T.W.O., K/Tala, P/I, B/Tang.

17. Along the ATR between Ferrargunj and Middle Strait considerable number of labours are working in laying Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) of the Telecommunication Department. While they are working the Jarawas camping near the ATR are interacting with the labour force. There is a need to ensure that there is no such interaction.

Action : Executive Secretary, AAJVS, P/I, Baratang, In-charge Police Outpost, Jirkatang.

18. Tribal Welfare Officer, Kadamtala and Plantation In-charge, Baratang should be provided with adequate quantity of POL for their motorcycles. Quantity could be decided on the basis of the distance in terms of kilometers. This should be put up in the file for approval. 30 liters for Tribal Welfare Officer, K/Tala and 70 liters for Plantation In-charge, B/Tang could be adequate which could be examined.

Action by : Executive Secretary, AAJVS.


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