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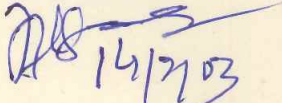
Ref : Director (TW)'s minutes at para 176/N on pre-page.

(177) A copy of the minutes of the meeting of the High Powered Committee held on 17.07.2002 under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary is placed at pages 134-136/C.

(178) It may be mentioned the High Powered Committee had noted vide para 3 of its minutes at page 134/C that the protection of the Jarawa from the harmful effects of the contact of the outsiders is a critical issue. The activities like giving of alien items like food, clothing etc. and photography/ videography, which is included under the pull factor, originates from contacts by the outsiders with the Jarawas. The Chairman (CS) had desired that all out efforts are to be made to prevent damaging effects on the Jarawas in accordance with the direction of the Hon'ble Court of Kolkata.

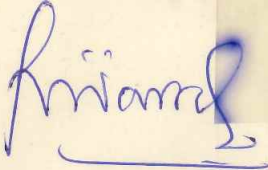
(179) There is no provision in the existing PAT Regulation to deal with those activities. Unless those activities are included in the PAT Regulation as an offence, any effort to prevent them will not be effective. So inclusion of those activities in the PAT Regulation as an offence and punishable will be an effective tool in the hands of the enforcement agency, ie. Police. Accordingly we may go in for an amendment of section 8 of the Regulation as proposed vide paras 171-175/N.

Submitted please

  
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We may get the proposal and the draft amendment vetted by the Secretary (Law).



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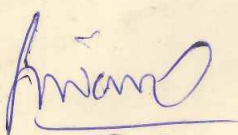
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(181) S. Secy (TW) we had sent a proposal last time also for some amendments. has it been done? 14.2.2003

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3.3.03

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28.2.03