

Herewith, we give you the extract of the proceedings of the meeting where it was resolved to pass to request the Administration for the followings:

1. Providing Helicopter service at Kamorta Island atleast once in a week;
2. to provide 50% quote in Cabin & Bunk allocation in every voyage of the passengers vessel for the Supreme Tribal Council who in turn will give the names of the Tribal passengers either from Nancowrie group of Islands to Port Blair or from Port Blair to Nancowrie group.
3. to keep a permanent sea-worthy vessel, viz MV Teresa at Nancowrie on lease basis in order to despatch essential commodities and rations from Kamorta/Champin to various Islands of Nancowrie group of Islands and the copra from various Islands to Kamorta/Champin.
4. to keep Panton at Teresa Island permanently which shall be maintained and stevedored by MML.
5. to construct a permanent Supreme Tribal Council Office-cum-Community Hall at Champin by the fund of Jawahar Rozgar Yojana or relevant schemes.
6. to get the approval from the Supreme Tribal Council before issuing any Tribal Pass entry to any non-tribals other than Govt. servants.
7. to stop the illegal trade of agro-products and sea-products of the tribal areas by the non-tribals immediately.
8. not to entertain any letter and telegrams given by any of the baised village Captains of our Islands and in such cases such letter and telegrams should be referred to the Supreme Tribal Council for the necessary verification and comments.

We shall be greatly thankful to your goodself if you look into the above referred matters and make necessary arrangements for recognising our Island (Tribal) Council and Supreme Tribal Council of Nancowrie group of Islands which is a very old historical and traditional customs of our Islands which we would like to preserve it without any interference from any authorities as per the provisions laid in our National Constitution.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully

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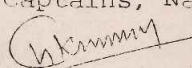
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Copy to all Tribal Leaders and Village Captains, Nancowrie groups of Islands.


Assistant Commissioner
Nancowrie.