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photoeding of the XVII GBM of DRDA NICOBAR DISTRICT HELD ON 19.6.96 IN DARBAR HALL OF THE DISTRICT OFFICE CAR NICOBAR.

The XVIIth Governing Body Meeting of DRDA Nicobar District

The list of Officers/Officials present are enclosed.

The meeting started with the welcome speech delivered by Shri. Thirunavukarasu, Project Officer (DRDA) Shri. Thirunavukarasu briefly explained the role of DRDA in development of rural poor specially persons below poverty line through various scheme of Govt of India such as JRY, IAY, MWS, IRDP, DWCRA, TRYSEM, EAS, TOOLKITS, MNP etc. Shri. Devesh Singh, Chairman DRDA then took up the agenda points for discussion.

## 1. Confirmation of minutes of 16th GBM.

Even though the proceeding of the 16th Governing Body Meeting had been circulated to all the Members/Invitees and other concerned, a copy of the same was again distributed to all the participants for their ready reference. The minutes of the XVI Governing Body Meeting were then unanimously accepted for confirmation.

2. Submission of works proposed to be under taken by the various Tribal Councils under JRY during 96-97.

Chairman explained the Aim of Govt. of India to implement all the RD Schemes. Chairman also explained the importance of the proposals and requested all Tribal Councils, Gram Panchayats and District officials to send the proposals of works they would like to take up during current financial year 1996-97. Tribal Councils were advised to send their proposals of works under JRY