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- ONGE. (1. Habitat: Little Andaman;
2. Population: 101;
3. Social type: Hunting-Gathering).

Action:
D.H.S.,
DAH&VS,
A.C.(TW) &
ES, AAJVS.

While reiterating the need for vigorous implementation of health-care programmes for the Onges, the Chairman said that a demonstration unit consisting of twenty to thirty birds should be set up at Dugong Creek in order to popularise poultry among the Onges. The demonstration unit should function under the supervision of the Senior Social Executive, Dugong Creek.

Action:
P.E., APWD.

The Chairman said that the road from Hut Bay to Dugong Creek should be ready by June, 1989. He added that proper road-connexion should be established between Hut Bay and South Bay.

- ANDAMANESE (1. Habitat: Strait Island;
2. Population - 27;
3. Social type: Settled hunters).

Action:
D.H.S. &
ES, AAJVS.

The Chairman observed that the existing practice of weekly medical check-up of the Andamanese should continue.

The following decisions were taken:

A. JARAWA:

Action:
DHS, &
ES, AAJVS.

Action:
AC(TW),
Jarawa Contact
Party.

Action:
A.C.(TW), &
A.S.I., Port
Blair.

SP(BP), SP(Distt.),
and AC(TW).

A.S.I., Port
Blair, S.P.(BP),
and A.C.(TW).

Director(T.W.),
A.C.(TW), E.S.,
AAJVS, AIR(Port
Blair).

1. Jarawa Contact Party to be thoroughly examined by medical team before every visit.
2. Contact Party to remain in Jarawa area from morning to evening.
3. A team of dedicated volunteers to spend a night with Jarawas with the proviso that this is not done prematurely.
4. No punitive action against Jarawas.
5. Proper orientation of Bush Police, A.S.I., Port Blair and Shri A. Sarkar, Assistant Commissioner (TW) to take steps in coordination with all concerned.
6. Publicity campaign for education of general public. Shri A. Sarkar, Assistant Commissioner (TW) to co-ordinate efforts.

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