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Comments of the Agriculture Department on Point No.5
" Transfer of Cashew Plantation at 5 KM on Kamorta -
Pilpillow Road to Tribal Development Cooperative
Society Ltd.

Regarding transfer of cashew plantation at 5 KM on Kamorta - Pilpillow road to Tribal Development Cooperative Society Ltd., it is to intimate that, a cashew plantation under the Special Central Assistance scheme was started during the year 1978-79 at Kamorta by the Agriculture Department. On attaining bearing stage it was already handed over to the Tribal Cooperative Society namely Manula Matai Ltd. on 16.2.1989 as per the plan scheme. Since then Manula Matai Ltd. itself shoulders the responsibility of its maintenance directly and the Agriculture Department is not in any way connected with its further maintenance. It is also mentioned here that Agriculture Department is not having any scheme for sending the tribal youths to mainland for training in cashew processing.
