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b)	Number of cases unearthed regarding selling land illegally to non-tribal people during the last three years;	No instance of illegal sale of land of the tribals to the non-tribals has come to the notice of the Administration.
c)	The extent of land returned to tribal groups in each State on the initiative taken by concerned State Government; and	Does not arise in view of reply (b) above.
d)	The number of cases of return of land together with the number of such persons which are under consideration in those States as on December, 2006 and the details of the initiative taken by the Central Government in this regard?	Does not arise in view of reply (b) above.

If approved, we may send a reply to the Govt. of India on the above lines. Accordingly a draft reply is placed in the file for perusal and approval please.

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