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PUC is a letter from the Under Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi regarding Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 491 for Answer on 26.2.2002 about exploitation of tribal girls/women raised by Shri Janeshwar Mishra, MP. The Govt. of India has desired this Administration to send the part-wise information at the earliest. The gist of Question is reproduced below:-

- (a) Whether it is a fact that the girls/women of various tribal areas are being exploited on the pretext of deploying them as house maids in various metropolitan cities;
- (b) Whether it is also a fact that these tribal girls/women become the victim of ill treatment while working in various reputed families; and
- (c) If so, what action is being taken by Government to ensure a dignified life for these tribal women/girls?

Since the required information is not available in this department, we may called for the same from the DC, Nicobars, DC Andamans and IGP, if approved. A draft letter is put up for approval please.

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