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No. 3-1/99-Estt/DF/
ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
Directorate of Fisheries

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Port Blair, dated the 17th April, 2000.

To

The Director(Tribal Welfare),
Department of Tribal Welfare,
Andaman and Nicobar Administration,
Port Blair.

Sub:- Lok Sabha Provisional starred Question Dy. No.16800 raised by Shri P.D.Elangovan to be replied on 18-04-2000 regarding Self Employment Scheme for tribals.

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.1-360/95-TW(PF)/369, dated 14-04-2000 on the above mentioned subject, the comments on the questions raised by Shri P.D. Elangovan are as under:-

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| 1. | Lok Sabha Question No. | : | Dy.No. 16800 |
| 2. | Starred /Unstarred | : | Provisional Starred |
| 3. | Date for sending reply | : | 18-04-2000 |
| 4. | Name of the M.P. who raised the Lok Sabha Question | : | Shri P.D. Elangovan |
| 5. | Date of answer in Lok Sabha | : | |

PROFORMA

Sl No.	Question/	Proposed reply
(a)	The steps taken by the Government to improve the standard of living of Tribals particularly the Lambadi tribes in South India;	No Lambadi tribes are available in A & N Islands. There are six recognised tribes in A & N Islands of which two tribes Viz, Nicobarese and Shompen belong to Mongoloid race and remaining four tribes namely, Great Andamanese, Ongese , Jarawas and Sentinalese belong to Negriot Origins.
(b)	Whether the Government propose to launch any new schemes to provide Self Employment opportunities for the tribals in the country;	No
(c)	If so, details thereof;	Does not arise.