

Reply: Yes. An MoU has also been executed with Manidha Naeyam Free IAS, IPS Academy, a charitable trust located at CIT Nagar at Chennai, for preparing aspirants belonging to Nicobarese tribe for Civil Services Examination, the expenditure of which is being borne by the Administration through the Integrated Tribal Development Agency headed by Deputy Commissioner (Nicobar)

11.2 Please give the number of employees sent for specialized training abroad during the last three years and the number of Scheduled Tribes employees among them in each year.

Reply: No ST employee has been sent for specialized training abroad during the last three years

12. Please also state whether instances have come to the notice where persons have obtained employment in your organization on the basis of false caste certificate? If so, please indicate the number of such cases, action taken and present position of each case. Also, please indicate the steps take to avoid the occurrence of such cases.

Reply: No such case of false caste certificate has been reported to the Directorate of Tribal Welfare during the last 5 years.

13. Whether a paragraph relating to representation of Scheduled Tribes (as also of Scheduled Castes) in services/posts in your organization and also in the attached and subordinate offices and PSUs is being incorporated in the Annual Report of your Ministry/Department/Organization.

Reply: No. The said point has been taken into consideration and shall issue instruction to all the Departments/ PSUs/ Autonomous a paragraph relating to representation of STs should be included in the Annual Report.

14 (i) Pleases give the details of the various schemes/activities undertaken by your Ministry/Department/Organization for the welfare and socio-economic development of Scheduled Tribes under the Tribal Sub-Plan of the Ministry/Department/Organization like development in tribal areas.

Reply: The following schemes/activities undertaken by various departments of the A&N Administration for the welfare and socio-economic development of Scheduled Tribes under the Tribal Sub-Plan

1	Agriculture Department
1	Upliftment of Traditional Cultivation of Plantation, Spices, Horticulture & Field Crops in Tribal Area
	Total Plan
2	Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services
1	Animal Health Programme
2	Cattle Development Programme
3	Poultry, Piggery and Goat Development Programme
4	Strengthening of Department of AH&VS
5	Fodder Development Programme
	Total Plan
3	Fisheries Department
1.	Creation of Infrastructure facilities
2.	Dev. of capture and culture fisheries and resources.
3.	Human Resource Development, Extension in Fisheries and welfare of fishermen families
4.	Strengthening and re-organization of Fisheries Deptt.
	Total Plan
4	Forestry & Wildlife
1	Regeneration & Dev. Of NTFP.
1	Forests Resources, Survey Consolidation and working Plan
2	Forest Extension and publicity
3	Biodiversity, wildlife conservation and Eco Development