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Tribal Welfare Department.

Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribes(Prevention Sub: -Atrocities Act, 1989 - reg.

PUC(P/3c): is a d.o.reminder received from Shri N.K.Bhatak, Joint "inistry of Tribal Welfare, NewDBlhi regarding materials for parliamentary Committee on the Welfare of Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribes Atrocities of Schedule Caste and Schedule Tribes and pattern of social crime and also requested the following information;

- 1. Number of cases registred under the Protection of Civil Right Act 1955 during the last three yrs.
- Number of cases registered under the Schedule Castes and the Schedule Tribes Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1 989 together with the broad category of cases such as murder, hurt, rape, kindapping or abduction, dacocity, robbery, arson etc in the last three yrs.
- 3. Number of cases yearwise in the last three yrs, where conviction under these two Acts have taken place.
- 4. The average time taken for securing conviction seperately under these Acts.
- 5. Number of special courts set up in the State to try offences under these two Acts.
- 6. Problems faced in expediting finalisation of these cases and bring down them to their local conclusion.

In this connection, it is mentioned here that we had forwarded the d.o.letter alongwith its enclosures to DC, Port Bla DC. Nicobar and IGP, Port Blair with the request to send the required information to this department for onward transmission to the Ministry vide letter at p/ ( ). Only the IGP Port Blair has sent their reply at plan Pages 6-7/c

If approved we may send the same to the Ministry for further action.

is added for approval