4.	Proposal	(i) Framing of Shompen Policy, (ii) Review of Jarawa Policy of 2004, and(iii) Establishment of Tribal Research & Training Institute.
5.	Detailed Justification for inclusion in the IDA to be chaired by Prime Minister	,
6.	Present Status of the proposal	Ministry of Tribal Affairs formulated a draft policy on the Shompen tribe and requested the UT Administration finalise the same in consultation with Stake holders. In pursuance of the said directive, a contemporary survey is being carried out by the field officials of AAJVS under the guidance of the Group of Experts. The Report of the survey is expected by April' 2014 to finalise the draft Shompen Policy.
		Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India in its meeting held on 2.2.2012 for preparation of policies for various Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Group (PTGs) of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, while examining the question of reviewing the existing Jarawa Policy of 2004, the Committee advised the A& N Administration to carry out the empirical study on Jarawa tribe. An empirical study on Jarawas has been undertaken by the A & N Administration with the assistance of the Anthropological Experts, the Tribal Welfare