PUC is a letter dated 9^{th} April '2015 received from the Deputy Secretary (Planning), A & N Administration enclosing therewith a copy of letter No. U-13034/34/2013/ANL/dated 8.4.2015 regarding updated status/action taken report on the decisions taken in the 12th and 13th of Island Development Authrority. We are requested to furnish updated action taken report on the decision taken in the 12^{th} & 13th IDA meetings. The Agenda Points may kindly be seen at page 259-261/cor.

The updated status report as on 10.4.2015 on the agenda points 12 & 13th IDA meetings relating to Tribal Welfare department is discussed as under:

12th IDA Meeting:

Agenda Point: Sixth Schedule status to Tribals of Nicobar Group of Islands.

There is no change in the status.

13th IDA Meeting:

Agenda Point: Amendment of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) Regulation 1956:

No change in the status.

If approved, we may furnish the report on the above lines to the DS (Plg). Accordingly, a draft letter is submitted for approval please.

JRO TOMIS

AC (TW)/ Director (TW) May pl. approve 55 & 56/M.

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