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[Action: Ministry of Environment and Forest]

Based on assessment of the manpower and other logistic requirements of the A&NI Administration for this purposes, the Ministry of Environment and Forests will submit by 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2011 a comprehensive proposal for the approval of the Cabinet.

[Action: Ministry of Environment and Forest]

**Revised Agenda Item-8:** Issues arising from the Notification relating to Island Protection Zone issued on 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2011

Minister of Environment and Forests will, in consultation with the Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission, resolve the issues raised by the A&NI Administration to the satisfaction of all stakeholders by the 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2011. In this process the views of the local Member of Parliament will also be taken into consideration.

[Action: Ministry of Environment and Forests and Planning Commission]

**Revised Agenda Item-9:** Repatriation of people rescued in High Sea and lodged in open poachers camp in Andaman & Nicobar Islands

Ministry of External Affairs will separately brief the Prime Minister on this matter and issue further direction as considered appropriate.

[Action: Ministry of External Affairs and PMO]

In conclusion, the Hon'ble Prime Minister directed that all new issues raised by Members of Parliament from both A&NI and Lakshadweep should be taken up for discussion in the next meeting of the Standing Committee of IDA alongwith the various other alive issues and resolution.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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