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**ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION**  
**DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE**

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Port Blair, dated the 21<sup>st</sup> January, 2011

To

The Deputy Commissioner,  
Nicobar District  
Car Nicobar.

**Sub:- Implementation of provision of A & N Islands (Tribal Councils) Regulation 2009- reg.**


Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 2-71(47)/ITDP/TCR-09/2010-2011/Main/1334 dated 4-9-2010 addressed to Election Commissioner for UTs, GOI, New Delhi and copy among others to Secretary(TW), A & N Administration on the subject mentioned above and to say that Andaman & Nicobar Islands (Tribal Councils) Regulation 2009 published in the Official Gazette on 31-12-2009, has been republished in the Andaman & Nicobar Gazette on 17-3-2010. The Regulation provides for establishment of Tribal Councils in the Nicobar District of UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands to provide greater autonomy for the Nicobari Scheduled Tribes in managing their force and for matters connected therewith.

As per provisions contained in the above said Regulation, Administrative Rules for running the Administration of Tribal Councils is to be framed, besides Election Rules, delimitation of physical limits of various constituencies viz. Ward Member Constituencies, Village Councils and Island Councils and Electoral rolls for conducting Elections are to be prepared as per schedule framed by the District Office, Car Nicobar.

It is, therefore requested that Administrative Rules and Election Rules as per provision contained in Tribal Council Regulation may kindly be framed / prepared and sent to this Administration for according approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
Assistant Commissioner (TW)

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