

F.No.2-8/2006-PR

अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन

ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION

सचिवालय

SECRETARIAT

Port Blair, dated the 27th May, 2009.

R.D.No. 1036 Date 27/5/09

Secretary (Labour/ Ind)

A&N Administration

Secretariat

Immediate Pl.

To,

The Secretary (Tribal Welfare),
A & N Administration,
Port Blair.

Sub: Amendment of the Andaman & Nicobar Islands
(Panchayats) Regulation 1994-reg.

Madam,

This is with reference to your Department's letter No. 1-505/2007-TW/365 dated 25.05.2009 on the subject cited above. In this regard, the position explained in Panchayat Department's File No. 2-8/2006-PR (PF) which was marked to Secretary (Tribal Welfare) by Chief Secretary on 13.05.2009 may kindly be seen. It appears that Tribal Welfare Department has not yet submitted reply to MHA's letter dated 15.04.2009.

After going through the draft A & N Administration (Tribal Council) Regulation 2009, I am of the opinion that the provision given under section 94 and the definitions of Election Commission and Election Commissioner under section 2(i) and (j) in the draft Regulation need to be changed as in the manner given below to take care of the elections of the Tribal Council by the Election Commissioner appointed under section 185 of the A & N Panchayat Regulation, 1999 and same may be intimated to MHA.