

TOUR NOTE OF EXECUTIVE SECRETARY AAJVS VISIT TO ALIPUR, SOUTH ANDAMAN ON 19-06-2014

Self alongwith Dr. Pronob Kumar Sircar, Tribal welfare Officer, AAJVS left Port Blair on 19-06-2014 at 1430 Hrs and reached Alipur village at about 1520 Hrs. Inspected the area where as per request was made for storing 2 Nos Explosive magazines of 5000 Kgs. We interacted with the villagers there to enquire about the visit of Jarawas. Some villagers informed that the Jarawas came one year ago in the area while others said 2-3 years ago. They said that they observed that the Jarawas come to their place but not frequently. They further said that there is no particular time or season for the Jarawas to enter into their area; they may come at any time. It is noteworthy that there is deep forest within the vicinity of the village.

We left Alipur village at about 1615 Hrs and reached Port Blair at 1700 Hrs.

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