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

Port Blair, dated the 13th Sept, 2011.

NEWS ITEM

This is for the information of the General Public and Commuters traveling Andaman Trunk Road from Jirkatang to Middle Strait and vice-versa that the Administration has taken a decision to re-schedule the convoy timing as below:-

	<u>From Jirkatang</u>	<u>From Middle Strait</u>
First convoy	0600 hrs	0630 hrs
Second convoy	0900 hrs	0930 hrs
Third convoy	1200 hrs	1230 hrs
Fourth convoy	1430 hrs	1500 hrs

The earlier restriction of next day return of the vehicles from Jirkatang to Middle Strait and vice-versa has been removed and now the vehicles can return on the same day. The permit fee charged by the Police Department for providing police escort will not be collected from the vehicles traveling in the above route.

It is warned that violating the convoy system and interacting with the tribals on the road will be dealt seriously and action against vehicle owner/driver shall be initiated including impounding of the vehicles under the relevant rules.

All the above decision shall be implemented from 25th Sept, 2011.

(Som Naidu)
Director (TW)

To

1. The Director (IP&T), A&N Administration with the request that above press release may kindly be published in "The Daily Telegram & Dweep Samachar".
2. The Station Director, All India Radio, Port Blair for broadcasting the News Item in the news.
3. The Station Director, Doordarshan kendra, Port Blair for broadcasting the News Item in the news.
4. The Sr. Correspondent, IP Division for necessary action.
5. The Chief Editor "The Daily Telegram & Dweep Samachar" for publish it as news item.

Copy to:-

1. PS to Chief Secretary for information of CS.
2. PA to Commr-cum-Secretary (TW) for information of Commr-cum-Secretary (TW).

Director (TW)