

<p>to be worked out in respect of each of these means taking into account the conditions of the particular tribal area, the educational level of the target group, the terrain, economic level etc.</p>	
<p>COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES</p>	
<p>3. A key issue in the present context is creating a communication system between the agencies administering or promoting development of tribal people and tribal areas on the one hand and the target group on the other. Often, the agencies concerned do not take adequate care to convey to the members of the target group relevant messages which are understandable by them. In other cases, where such care is taken, they are sometimes conveyed in a language which is little known to the tribal group. A number of facets are involved: cultural, linguistic, technical, psychological etc.</p>	<p>There are six Scheduled Tribes. Of them Nicobarese is the progressive tribe and have joined the main stream, while the rest five are classified as Primitive Tribes.</p> <p>So far as the Nicobarese are concerned there is no language barrier as majority of them are educated and understand Hindi.</p> <p>With regard to Primitive Tribes, the Central Institute of Indian Language, Mysore has prepared primers in the languages of Great Andamanese, Onges and Shompens to be introduced for imparting formal education. A dictionary in the language of the Jarawa tribe has been prepared to facilitate communication between them and the functionaries of the Govt.. The language barrier between the Primitive tribes and the implementing agencies will be overcome in course of time.</p>
<p>4. Have the State Government examined the question of communication strategy in the tribal context relative to the different aspects in different sectors? If so, please give a gist of it.</p>	<p>The Central Institute of Indian Language, Mysore has been engaged in preparation of dictionary and grammar in the Nicobari language. This will go a long way in breaking the communication barrier in between the different departments and the tribals.</p>
<p>5. With reference to agriculture and horticulture sectors, have the extension agencies considered the agro-climatic conditions of the particular tribal tract, examined the suitability of specific crops and inputs, undertaken trials and experimentation etc. before communicating recommendations to the extension agencies for propagation among the tribal groups?</p>	<p>Agriculture deptt. conducts different trials, demonstration in different agriculture zones of this UT including Tribal tract to ascertain the feasibilities under agro-Climatic conditions.</p> <p>The departmental extension staff deployed in tribal area are assessing the requirement of inputs considering Agro-Climatic conditions of the Tribal area and there after distribute the inputs among farmers.</p>