

Please refer to your letter No.CS/PS/5(14)/2005 dated 13.1.2005 regarding Grant-in-aid to the Tribal Council of Nicobars.

2. This Ministry has no objection to the Andaman & Nicobar Administration giving grant-in-aid to the Tribal Council of Nicobars out of the approved budget of the UT Administration under the general provisions of the General Financial Rules, subject to the condition that all the expenditure may be incurred in accordance with the Government rules and procedures. The expenditure may be incurred on behalf of the Tribal Council by the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner and under the ITDP Project for Nicobars, as proposed.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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