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MINUTES OF THE COORDINATION MEETING HELD IN THE CHAMBER OF
CHIEF SECRETARY ON 18th JULY, 2005

List of Officers, who attended the meeting is enclosed in the Annexure

- 1) The demand of Tribal Council leaders to provide Cell phones may be examined by the Tribal Welfare Department. (Secretary, Tribal Welfare)
- 2) The Tribal Council leaders of Nancowary have demanded that due to lack of adequate facilities the Science stream students should be shifted to Port Blair. The Education Department may examine the request. (Secretary (Education))
- 3) It was considered that one more boat might be provided for Chowara Island. (Secretary Shipping)
- 4) It was brought to the notice of Chief Secretary that wages for construction of intermediate shelters have not been paid so far at some of the places. It was desired that this should be paid within a week positively. (Chief Engineer, APWD)
- 5) The Chief Secretary expressed concern over the fact that the jetties at all places have not been made functional so far. The CE, ALHW informed that due to reclassification of CRZ work could not be started at some of the places. The Chief Secretary directed that this work should be taken up on top priority basis as the same is already delayed too much. (PCCF/Chief Engineer, ALHW)
- 6) The residents of Teresa have requested that road from Bangali to Safed Balu should be extended up to Luksee (CE, APWD)
- 7) It was desired that uniform of Police Department and Health Department etc. should be got stitched by Tsunami affected ladies. Concerned departments should be in touch with Director, (Social Welfare). (All Secretaries / Dir (SW))
- 8) The Chief Secretary directed that the town and country planning rules should be notified without further delay. The functioning of town & country planning branch was also discussed at length and it was decided that the department of Town and Country Planning should be brought under administrative control of Local Self Government. The Secretary (PWD) may issue this order. (Secretary, PWD)
- 9) The Chief Secretary desired that transparency should be maintained in the purchases in all departments. (All Secretaries)

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