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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

To:

The Chief Secretary
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Sub:

State level review meeting of National Commission for SCs & STs with Chief Secretary and other senior officers of Government of UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration

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I am directed to say that Vice-Chairman, National Commission for SCs & STs, New Delhi will hold a review meeting with Chief Secretary and other senior officers of Government of UT of Andaman & Nicobar Administration during second week of June 1999 in order to know the progress of implementation of constitutional safeguards and socio-economic development for SCs & STs. As you are aware the National Commission for SCs & STs has been set up under provisions of Article 338 of the Constitution of India to investigate and monitor all matters relating to the safeguards provided for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes under Constitution or under any other law for the time being in force or under any order of the Government and to evaluate the working of such safeguards, to inquire into specific complaints with respect to the deprivation of rights and safeguards of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, to participate and advise on the planning process of socio-economic development of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. The Commission sent a questionnaire in 1996 for sending the information in the questionnaire. So far no reply has been received from the UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands. A set of questionnaire is sent herewith for sending the information to the Commission by 1.6.99 positively. Exact date of the meeting and the tour positively. programme will be communicated later on.

Yours faithfully,

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(S.P.Maurya)
Director