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new Jarawa Ward is being constructed in PHC, Baratang.

- (ii) In order to provide the resource base of Jarawas, the Jarawa reserve area has been increased to 1028 sq. kms in 2004 from 847 sq. km earlier vide A & N. Gazette Notification No. 159/2004/F. No. 1-752/2002 -TW(PF) dated 15.9.2004
- (iii) Exclusive marine resource base has also been increased by declaring coastal waters upto 5 kms from the high tide line on the western side of the South and Middle Andaman Island from Constance Bay to Lewis Inlet Bay as Tribal reserve vide A & N Gazette Notification NO. 159 /2004/F.No.1-752/2002-TW(PF) dated 15.9.2004.
- (iv) Jarawa Tribal reserve has been demarcated taking into account natural features like hill ranges peaks, creeks etc. and boards have been erected to educate the non-tribals and to prevent them from interacting into the reserve.
- (v) Andaman Trunk Road belt has been decreased from 200 metres on either side of the road to <sup>only</sup> ~~any~~ 30 mtrs. From the Central line of the road