

6. That in order to further protect the Jarawas from the harmful effects of exposure and contact with the outside world, an area upto 5 kms around the Jarawa Tribal Reserve on the land ward side has been declared as a Buffer Zone by the A&N Administration in October, 2007, prohibiting any commercial and tourism activities in this zone, effectively increasing the area of Jarawa reserve substantially vide A & N Gazette Notification No. 234/2007/F.No. 1-752/2007 -TW dated 30.10.2007. to

Annexure P- 8.

A copy of order is enclosed hereto and marked as Jarawa Reserve area.

5. That to protect the food resources in reserved area, three Task Force Committees comprising of Officials of AAJVS, Police and Forest Department have been constituted at Tirur, Middle Strait and Kadamtala vide AAJVS order No. 200 dated 27.9.2006. they conduct regular anti poaching patrolling in the Jarawa Reserve area.

Annexure P- 7

A copy of this notification is enclosed hereto and marked as