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ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION,  
DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE.

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Port Blair, dated the      March, 1999.

**ORDER No.**

Of recent the Jarawas of South Andaman and Middle Andaman Island are coming into the non-tribal areas including Andaman Trunk Road more frequently in the day time resulting in inter-action of the Jarawas with the non-tribal people. Such indiscriminate mixing of the Jarawas with the non-tribal people would be harmful to the Jarawas as they would become victims of such inter-actions which may include the road accidents etc. Apart from this entering of the Jarawas to non-tribal areas and coming on to Andaman Trunk Road required to be managed more efficiently, quickly as at times it becomes the law and order issue.

Apart from the other agencies of the Administration like District Administration and Police the AAJVS is also now required to function with full alert and on continuous basis. Since the AAJVS presently has a single Officer, the Assistant Commissioner (TW) has already been designated as a Link Officer to Executive Secretary, AAJVS vide this office Order No.108 dated 13.05.99.

However to bring about automatic and quick linking of the Officers and to ensure smooth functioning of the AAJVS a modification to the above said order is needed. Therefore, further to this Office Order No.108 dated 13/05/99 it is ordered as under:-

1. Assistant Commissioner (TW) will continue to be the Link Officer for the Executive Secretary, AAJVS and vice-versa.
2. The Assistant Commissioner (TW) shall assume the responsibilities instantaneously in the event of unscheduled / sudden absence of regular Executive Secretary, AAJVS from office at Port Blair on account of health etc.