

With regard to the modification in the Draft amendment to Andman & Nicobar Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) Regulation 1956, the matter regarding inclusion of the word **establishment** in the draft regulation had been discussed during the meeting held on 18th August, 2011 with the Hon'ble Lt. Governor along with the Principal Secretary (TW) and during discussion it appeared that a large number of villagers are residing in and around the said buffer zone and they are doing small business like selling of grocery items/tea and eatables etc. If the commercial activities are stopped, in that event the local people will also be affected and for that reason only tourism activities/establishment including opening of hotels, bars are to be banned and other commercial activities may be allowed to continue in order to protect the villagers at large within the buffer zone. In order to clarify the matter, the words tourism establishment includes opening of hotels, bar etc. should be clarified and small businesses are to be continued by the villagers of the said locality.

In view of the above facts and circumstances a communication is to be made to the MHA for defining the word tourism establishment in the buffer zone area, clarifying the matter mentioned herein above.

Accordingly, the file may be submitted to Hon'ble Lt. Governor through the Chief Secretary, for kind approval.


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Secretary (Law)

Chief Secretary

Hon'ble Lt. Governor.

As we agreed in the meeting yesterday at kg. Minna, the definition clause as proposed by us, needs to be amended.

What would be the revised wording in the issue? This may be clarified in discussion with Pr. Secy (TW) so that we could send a revised proposal to Govt of India.

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