

to the Administration to submit a report on the issues arising out of Buffer Zone Notification 2007, keeping in view the objectives of the Jarawa policy, 2004, the A&N Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) amended Regulation, 2012 and the concerns of settler communities residing in revenue settlement villages in the buffer zone. The committee was directed to submit its report within 15 days.

15. That this High Level Committee met on 22.8.2012 and decided to constitute two committees namely a Sub-committee and a Field level Committee to go into details and consult Stake holders including Jarawa and Local villagers for revisiting the Buffer zone 2007. The Secretary (Tribal Welfare) was nominated as convenor of the sub-committee. The Director, Department of Tribal Welfare was nominated as Convenor of the Field Level Committee by the Order No. 379 dated 24th August 2012. The sub-committee was asked to