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DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE

Port Blair, dated the February, 2013

IMPLEMENTATION OF HON'BLE SUPREME COURT'S INTERIM ORDER DATED 21.1.2013 ON USE OF ATR

1) Movements of the Vehicles

In pursuant to the order of Hon'ble Supreme Court on use of Andaman Trunk Road (ATR) for tourist, the Administration has issued direction to all concerned departments namely Police, Tourism, Transport, Deputy Commissioners (South Andaman/ North & Middle Andaman Districts) and Forest. As result of strict enforcement of the ban on use of ATR by tourists, the movements of the vehicles user of viz., ATR has significantly brought down to the extent of 50% compared to the movement of vehicles prior to Supreme Court's order. The movement chart of vehicle, settlers / villagers of North and Middle Andaman prepared by the Police is enclosed as Annexure-I

- ATR cell has been formed for collecting information related to ATR on day today basis
- 3) Four CCTV camera has been installed at entry point of Jarawa Reserve on ATR at Jirkatang to monitor the vehicular movement on ATR passing through Jarawa Reserve area
- 4) 10 flex boards has been placed at Airport Arrival Gate, conspicuous places in the Port Blair City, Jirkatang & at Middle Strait notifying the Supreme Court's order about non entry of Touristan ATR.
- 5) Two picket points has been made one at Joda Kalan & other at Dhanikhari Junction much before entry of Jarawa reserve on ATR for checking of all vehicles to ensure no tourist passes through the ATR. At the entry point near Jarawa reserve i.e. at Jirkatang, the entries of all vehicles, No. of person traveling is recorded in the register and it is confirmed that no person travels without identity card.