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MOST URGENT
SUPREME COURT MATTER

No. DIGP/HQ/2013/16
पुलिस उप महानिरीक्षक का कार्यालय (मुख्यालय)
OFFICE OF THE DY INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE (HQ)
अण्डमान तथा निकोबार द्वीपसमूह
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS
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Port Blair dated the 2nd Feb., 2013

To
The Secretary Tribal Welfare
Andaman & Nicobar Administration
Port Blair

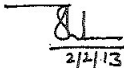
Sub: Clarification about use of ATR -reg.

Sir,

In the interim order passed by Hon'ble Supreme Court in the SLP No. 12125 of 2010 dated 21/01/2013(copy enclosed), the Hon'ble Court has allowed entry of the government officials and the persons who are settled within the Reserved area. The movement of vehicles required for transportation of essential commodities meant for Jarawa Tribe and other communities living in the Reserved area are also permitted. However, the court has ordered that no private individual or tourist shall be allowed to pass through the road by using vehicles or otherwise for going to the caves.

Therefore it may be clarified apart from tourists, which private individuals are not allowed to use ATR passing through Jarawa Reserve Area. Since the Court order is also silent about friends and relatives of the persons settled in the North & Middle Andaman District, this may also be clarified. An early reply in this regard will be highly appreciated.

Yours faithfully


21/2/13
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