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## कार्यालय कार्यपालक सचिव अण्डमान आदिम जनजाति विकास समिती सचिवालय परिसर, पोर्ट ब्लेयर

July 2006 5-7/AAJVS/2005/293 Dated, the

The Divisional Forest Officer Baratang Middle Andaman.

Sub: Construction of Jarawa ward-reg Sir.

May please recall our telephonic discussions apropos to your letter number: G-96/BT/404 dated 10/7/2006, on the above mentioned subject and say that the Jarawas inhabited in Middle Strait areas are facing serious problems with regard to hospitalization as there is no hospital close to the habitation which can provide exclusive treatment to them. Presently, they are either shifted to Primary Health Centre Tushnabad or G.B. Pant Hospital, Port Blair, which is quite a distance.

Considering the sensitive issues of the Jarawas and requirement of isolated and exclusive treatment to them, it has been decided to construct a traditional Jarawa ward out of minor forest produces in the Primary Health Centre complex of Baratang as requested to you vide our previous letter dated 1/5/2006.

It is therefore requested to kindly prepare an estimate for construction of a 20 bed semi-permanent Jarawa ward made of timber, with toilet, bath room and a kitchen. Sufficient funds are available with AAJVS to meet the above expenditure. Yours faithfully

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests with a request to kindly take necessary steps for completion of the Traditional Jarawa ward at Primary Health Centre, Baratang in the line of Jarawa Ward at Primary Health Centre Kadamtala

2. The Secretary (TW)

3. The Secretary (Health)

4. The Director (TW)