

Reference page 296-316/C

65 PUC is the U.O No.F.109G-I)/70/Vol.II/620 dated 5.11.07 alongwith the recommendation, page 1-20 contained in part I of the Report of Scientific Expert Committee on the "Status of Forests and other Allied Matters in A & N Islands" received from the PCCF & Secy. (E&F). We are requested to furnish our comments on the Report.

66 It is mentioned here that the Tribal Welfare department is concerned with point No. 31 at page 310/C regarding Jarawa reserve and Andaman Trunk Road. It is stated that to prevent the open sky movement of non-tribal particularly tourist for the protection and welfare of the Jarawa and to stop the so called Jarawa tourism a notification has been drafted declaring the existing belt of 30 meters from the central line on the either side of ATR as Reserved area (except at Nilambur - Middle Strait and Uttara -Gandhi Ghat where the existing Jetty and Port facilities) and the same has been circulated to the concern departments i.e. PCCF, DGP, DC (SA), DC (N&M), Spl. Secy. (Tourism), Dir (IP) and ES, AAJVS to furnish the comments. After obtaining the comments/views of the departments the notification will be notified.

67 If approved, we may furnish our comments on point No. 31 on the above lines to Forest department.

68 Submitted please.

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