

- (g) Increased ~~also~~ participation of Voluntary and non government organisation in the tribal welfare activities should be encouraged.
- (h) Considering the natural and close association of forests and tribals, the Forest Department with the participation of tribals should re-develop the forest. Nistar like traditional rights in the case of forest produce enjoyed by the tribals should be restored to them. From the point of protection of crops in paddy cultivation etc. small tanks, bandharas etc. should be constructed so that they will be useful for afforestation and forest development also.

Govt. Resolution: After detailed examination of the recommendations made in the report of the Sub Committee of the State Planning Board, and having accepted all the recommendations, Government directs that the recommendations should be implemented in the Annual Plan 1993-94. Government, in this context, has taken the following decisions:-

- 1) The Planning Department should allocate a definite Outlay for the Tribal Sub-Plan (the size of which would not be less than 9% of the total size of the State's Annual Plan) and the responsibility to finalise the Tribal Sub-Plan should be entrusted to the Tribal Development Department. According to this decision initially for the year 1993-94, 7% of the total size of the State's Annual Plan should be made available to the Tribal Development Department and gradually the Outlays should be increased to 9% of the total size of the State's Annual Plan in subsequent years.
- 2) After deciding the intersectoral priorities under Tribal Sub-Plan, the Tribal Development Department should communicate the break up of outlays (made available for T.S.P.) to the concerned Administrative