

the A & N Islands so that AAJVS is able not only to function like a trustee is the interest of Jarawa (enlarged to cover all other PTGs) and also to advise Administration regarding protection and welfare of the aboriginal tribes including Jarawa. Establishment of Jarawa Tribal Development Authority was not considered necessary.

Further as decided in the Executive Council Meeting of AAJVS held on 12th August, 2009, the National Productivity Council, Kolkata has been entrusted to undertake a man power study to revamp AAJVS. ^{1st phase} of the study was conducted from 25th Feb to 5th March 2010. The report / recommendation of the NPC is awaited.

Yours faithfully,

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