However, necessary prevision has been made in the Revised Estimate for 1994-95 to meet the expenditure of Rs. 3.61 lakhs. Therefore, the estimates for Rs. 3.61 lakhs for the purchase of furnitures for the Nicobarese Guest house may kindly be approved. The Honeble Lt. Governor is the competent authority for to accord the approval.

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the CE, APWD vide his letter dated 21.6.1994 at page 91/cor. has submitted a rough cost estimate for R. 2,17,000/- for running, maintenance and upkeep of Nicobarese Guest House at South Point, Port Blair. An amount of R. 0.10 lakhs has been provide under sector- "Welfare of SCs, STs and OBCs " during the year 1994-95 for running and maintenance of Tribal guest house. which may kindly be seen at flag 'Y'. Now, a decision may be taken with regard to running and maintenance of Nicobarse Guest House. Perhaps, the Tribal Council of Car Nicobar may be taken into confidence.

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Further, it may be mentioned that APWD has exceeded the estimates originally sanctioned by the Adm mi tration for the Guest House (Expenditure upto 31.3.1994: Rs. 38.31 lakhs as against estimate of Rs, 26.81 lakhs). But no revised estimates for the same have been received from APWD to obtain the sanction of the competent authority.

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In regard to dismentling the old wooden structure in front of newly constructed Guest House at South Point, the DC(N) vide his signal dated 1.8.94 at page 95/cor has informed that apprently there appears to be no obejection on the part of tribals for dismentaing the old structure. A decision may betaken to dismantle the old structure so that the EE, Port Blair North Disision may be informed accordingly.

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