

PUC is an application received from Ms Anita Banerjee, Assistant Professor, Andaman Law College, Port Blair requesting to permit her to interact with Onges for a brief period of 15 minutes in order to enable her to gather a little information regarding their improved life styles, post government intervention etc.

In this context, it is submitted that Onge tribe inhabits in the Dugong Creek, Little Andaman which is a Reserved Area, under Section 7 of the A & N Islands (Protection of Aboriginal Tribes) Regulation, 1956, the Deputy Commissioner of the District is the authority to consider the application for the Tribal Pass.

With regard to permit her to interact with the Onge tribe it is submitted that in the first instance we may request Ms Anita Banerjee to submit a brief script alongwith a questionnaire on 15 minutes interaction which she shall be having with the Onge tribes in order to take decision in the matter.

Subject to approval a draft letter is submitted for approval pl.

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