

The Secretary,
Ministry of Culture,
Government of India.

Respected Sir,

With respect to your e-mail, with the attachment of the letter DO No. 1-272/2018-TW dated 18th July, 2019, from the Chief Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, I wish to submit that the book titled People of Andaman & Nicobar Islands (which carries a Foreword from the Hon. Lt. Governor of Andaman and Nicobar Administration), which the Anthropological Survey of India has published, has not been circulated, as was advised by the Chief Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Administration, on 19th June, 2019. However, five of its copies were given to the Andaman & Nicobar Administration for perusal. On the verbal advice of the Chief Secretary, each of its copies were submitted to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India, and the Chairman, National Commission for Scheduled Tribes for comments.

I also wish to submit that the Anthropological Survey of India has been conducting researches among the communities of Andaman & Nicobar Islands since 1946 with responsibility and has never violated any of the codes of conduct and rules. The sole purpose of the book in question is to sensitize the readers with the diversity of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, its people and ecology.

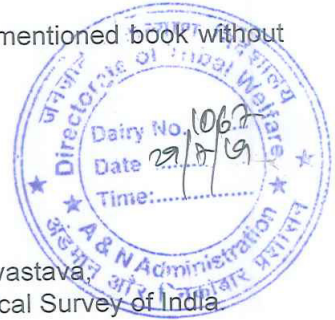
I once again want to confirm that the above mentioned book has not been circulated.

The Anthropological Survey of India will not circulate the above-mentioned book without explicit permission of the Government of India.

With regards,

सचिव (.....) का निजी अनुभाग
Perl Section of Secretary (.....)
प्राप्ति संख्या..... दिनांक.....
R.D. No. 437 Dt. 24/7/19

Yours faithfully,
Vinay Kumar Srivastava
Director, Anthropological Survey of India



On Tuesday, July 23, 2019, 05:12:21 AM UTC, Arun Goel <secy-culture@nic.in> wrote:

----- Original Message -----

From: Chief Secretary Andaman and Nicobar <cs-andaman@nic.in>
Date: Jul 22, 2019 6:05:31 PM
Subject: DO FROM CS, ANI
To: secy-culture@nic.in

Sir,

Kindly find enclosed herewith DO from CS, ANI

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Sr PS to Chief Secretary,
Andaman & Nicobar Administration,