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ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION
DIRECTORATE OF TRIBAL WELFARE
SECRETARIAT COMPLEX

Port Blair, dated the 4th Jan., 2006.

09/15.

To

Shri Preveen L. Gowda,
Camp: Hotel Bay Island,
Marine Hill,
Port Blair.

Sub:- **Tribal pass for Strait Island – Reg.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 30/12/2005 regarding the subject mentioned above. As you are aware of the fact that the Andamanese tribe constitute a small population of surviving souls which require effective protection. In this context, visit to the Strait Island inhabited by the Andamanese is controlled in the interest of the tribe.

Further, it may be mentioned here that the language of Andamanese is being studied by the professional linguists belonging to Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, Anthropological Survey of India and the Central Institute of Indian Languages. The permission / concurrence from the Government of India is obtained before the professional researchers belonging to reputed Research Institutes or Universities are allowed to visit the Strait Island.

Under the above circumstances, your request could be considered on the receipt of full details about you including the following :-

- (i) Name of the University or accredited Research Institute to which you belonging to.
- (ii) Name of the project and organization / Government sanctioning the project (copy of the document be attached).
- (iii) Details of the research done by you so far (copies of the research articles published in the professional Journal be given).
- (iv) Permanent address.

Yours faithfully,


Research Officer (TW)
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