

ANDAMAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY F.No. 24-2017/ACCI/1661

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Shri Anindo Majumdar, Chief Secretary, A&N Administration, Port Blair.

Sub: Issuance of Tribal Pass beyond three months - reg.

Respected Sir,

During the 50th Annual General Meeting of the Chamber held on 9th July, 2017 at TSG Emerald View, in which the Hon'ble Lt. Governor Prof. Jagdish Mukhi was the Chief Guest and the Hon'ble Member of Parliament Shri Bishnu Pada Ray was the Guest of Honour, the members suggested that the issuance of tribal pass which is normally issued for three months may be issued for a longer period.

In this connection, they have mentioned that Contractors who are awarded to undertake Government work in the tribal area for 2 - 3 years, often they find it difficult to renew the tribal pass or getting the new pass. In such case, tribal pass may be issued for a longer period so that frequent applying for renewal/issuance of Tribal Pass and time consumed on this account can be saved. Moreover, the work can be completed within the time prescribed as any delay because of issuance of tribal pass can be saved.

Such being the case, those who have been awarded the work in the tribal area and it will take a long time to complete the work, in whose case, tribal pass may be issued for a longer period till the completion of the work or the time specified in the work order whichever is earlier.

You are, therefore, requested to kindly examine the matter and instruct to issue tribal pass for the period specified in the work order to those who have been awarded the work in the tribal area.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully

(Girish Arora) President

Copy to

The Secretary (Tribal Welfare), A&N Administration The Deputy Commissioner, South Andaman District, Port Blair.

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