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(As per list attached)

Subject: Minutes of the meeting of the Project Appraisal Committee held on 31.01.2017 with Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration through video conferencing at the Conference room, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith minutes of the meeting of the Project Appraisal Committee (PAC) held under the chairpersonship of Secretary (TA) on 31.01.2017 through video conferencing at Conference Room, to consider the proposals of Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration in respect of Development of PVTG Scheme of the Ministry for the year 2016-17.

Yours faithfully,

(Shyla Titus)
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4. Secretary, Department Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries
5. Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
6. Secretary(DARE) & Director General (ICAR), Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
7. Adviser, Social Justice Division, NITI Aayog, New Delhi
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9. Economic Adviser(SS), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi
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11. Secretary, Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration

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Andaman & Nicobar Islands Project Appraisal Committee (PAC) Meeting (2016-17) Minutes

PAC meeting was held on 31.01.2017 through video conferencing for appraisal of proposals of Andaman & Islands Administration for funding under the Scheme of ‘Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)’. The following officers were present:

Ministry of Tribal Affairs:
1. Secretary TA, Sh. Anoop Kumar Srivastava (PAC Chairman)
2. Joint Secretary (MKP), Sh. Manoj Kumar Pingua
3. Economic Adviser, Ms. Sunanda Sharma
4. Director (Finance), Ms. Nivedita
5. Deputy Secretary (NGO), Smt. Shyla Titus
6. Under Secretary (Grants) Sh. P. K. Sahoo

Andaman & Nicobar Islands Administration
1. Sh. Deepak Mohan Shukla, Secretary, Tribal Welfare
2. Sh. Mohan Kuruvilla, Administrative Officer
3. Sh. S.A. Awaradi, Consultant-cum-Director, ANTRI

2. The Chairman welcomed members and informed the Committee that the fund share of Andaman & Nicobar Islands, under the Scheme of ‘Development of PVTGs’/CCD Plan is Rs 250.00 lakhs for 2016-17. During item wise discussion of proposal earlier submitted by them, Secretary Tribal Welfare, Andaman & Nicobar Administration informed that the U.T has already got funding for most of the items/activities proposed earlier in the CCD Plan Proposal for 2016-17 and funding is now required by them only for 2 activities.

3. Details of activities now proposed for funding by the U.T Administration and decision of PAC thereon is as under:-

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<th>S.No</th>
<th>Activities Proposed 2016-17</th>
<th>Decision Taken/Amount Approved</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Construction of new Onges houses at high grounds, piped water supply</td>
<td>An amount of Rs 200.00 lakhs was approved for this activity. PWD norms would be followed.</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Mobile Medical Unit for Jarawas</td>
<td>Since this was a new activity proposed and no details had been sent to the Ministry, U.T Administration was asked to submit a proposal amounting to Rs 50.00 lakhs for this activity.</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>200.00</strong></td>
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**Overall Comments:** Out of the total fund share of Rs 250.00 lakhs for Andaman & Nicobar Islands, activity amounting to Rs 200.00 lakhs was approved by the PAC. Andaman & Nicobar Administration was asked to urgently submit a proposal with details for an amount of Rs 50.00 lakhs for the Activity at Sl No 2.