NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR SCHEDULED TRIBES Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi

NCST/TP/2014/`17

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Subject: Tour note for visit to Lohardaga Jharkhand on 23/9/2014 and 1/10/2014 to Gumla, Jharkhand

22/09/2014

I) Incident of Killing of tribals in CRPF Firing

During the field visit incident of firing by the CRPF Personnel came to notice in which two tribals were reportedly killed and one tribal got injured .Discussions were held with the Superintendent of police Gumla . It was informed that compensation to the aggrieved family was announced.

Action: Detailed report on the above and action taken on it may be called from the S.P. Gumla by NCST Secretariat.

23/09/2014

2) Damages of standing Crops and Houses of Tribals

During visit to Kumba Toli and Kundo villages, under Kundu block of Lohardaga district, incident of damages of standing Crops and Houses of tribals by elephants was discussed. Text of above issue reported in the news, for records, is as under.

"Elephants damage huts fields and fodder in Jharkhand

Lohardaga, Sep 22 (ANI): A herd of about sixteen elephants created havoc in a village of Lohardaga district in Jharkhand as they rampaged through huts and fields, forcing people to flee out of fright. A resident, Shadik Khan, said that the villagers, especially children are scared. The herd comes in the evening and people run out of their homes for their lives. The elephant menace is giving villagers sleepless nights, he added. Meanwhile, Divisional Forest Officer (DFO), Ashok Kumar Singh, said they would assess the damages done to get the villagers compensated by the government.

Above matter was taken up by the undersigned, vide D. O letter dated 26/9/2014 (copy enclosed), with the Chief Secretary Government of Jharkhand and District Collector Lohardaga

Action: As a follow up to above, report may be called from the District collector, Lohardaga by the NCST Secretariat.

1/10/2014

- 3) Incident of land grabbing of tribals resident of Khadiapadda, Gumla.
- i) Shri George Kujur & others resident of village Khadiapadda, Gumla, Jharkhand vide their petition submitted their land has been fraudulently sold by broker (Shri Samu Gope) in connivance with the retired employee (Shri Sita Ram Rao) of revenue Deptt.

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Copy of the petition submitted by Shri George Kujur & others, Gumla is enclosed for action of NCST Secretariat.

Action: Report on the above matter may be called from the Disctrict Collector, Gumla, by NCST Secretariat.

4) Incident of duping of PVTGs of Bishunpur Block, Gumla by the **LIC Agent**

It was informed that Asurs (PVTGs) of Bishunpur Block, who got compensation for their land from Hindalco were duped by one Life Insurance Agent of the Bishunpur Block, Gumla, Jharkhand. Matter was discussed with Suptd., of Police Gumla.

I may visit the villages to study the issue.

Action: NCST secretariat may call for factual report from S. P. Gumla and action taken in the matter.

7.10.2014

5) Non allotment of pattas under the Forest Rights Act

A delegation of Nageshia tribals, under the leadership of Shri Vijender Pohan of village Pakhar ,Kisko block, Lohardaga district, narrated that they are in possession of the forest land since more than 25 years, but are not getting Pattas.

I may visit the villages to study the problem.

Action: NCST to call for a report from District Collector/ D.F.O Lohardaga.

> Chairperson, NCST 14/10/2014

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