## No. 55-3/2005-PW अण्डमान तथा निकोबार प्रशासन ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ADMINISTRATION सचिवालय/SECRETARIAT

13次 June, Port Blair, dated the May, 2006

## **CIRCULAR**

Sub:- Policy guidelines for rotational transfer of Govt, servants to Southern Islands from Andamans.

As per the existing transfer policy formulated by this Administration vide Circular of even number dated the 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2005, the employees posted in the Tsunami affected area of Southern group of Islands /Little Andaman are to be shifted by transferring the employees from Andaman District on rotational basis for a period of 6(six) months in first batch. After the first batch of employees have completed six months duty in Southern Islands, they are to be replaced by second batch of employees from Andaman for duty for next 6(six) months in these Islands. Thereafter, first batch will be posted to Southern Islands for a period of 1(one) year However, teaching staff shall be posted to these Islands for a period of 10(ten) months at a stretch to coincide with academic year.

The employees working in the Southern group of Islands /Little Andamans have been shifted immediately thereafter by posting of employees from Andaman District on transfer for a period of 6(six) months on rotational basis in first and second batch and next batch is to be posted for a period of one year as per the aforesaid transfer policy.

Representations have been received from various Service Associations pointing out the difficulties faced by the Govt. employees due to lack of infrastructure facilities available in Southern group of Islands and requested to reconsider the tenure of posting keeping in view of the prevailing situation in these Islands at present

The matter has been reviewed in a meeting held in the Chamber of Chief Secretary and it has been decided that the existing system of transfer to Tsunami affected Southern Group of Islands for a period of six months on rotational basis shall continue for one more year. The policy will be reviewed again at the end of financial year viz. March, 2007. However the existing system of posting of teachers for one academic year will continue for the Academic Session 2006-07.

The above instructions may be followed strictly.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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