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THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH): Sir, I beg to lay a statement regarding the status of implementation of recommendations contained in Sixth Report of Standing Committee on Social Justice And Empowerment on action taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations contained in the Second Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2004-05) pertaining to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

\*I am making this statement on the status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Sixth Report of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on Social Justice & Empowerment (14<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) relating to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs, on the direction of the Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha, in pursuance of the Direction 73 A of the Directions by Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha.

The Standing Committee on Social Justice & Empowerment (14<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) examined the demands for grants of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2004-05 and presented their Sixth Report in this regard on 22 March 2005. It contained Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations contained in the Second Report of the Standing Committee on Social Justice & Empowerment on Demands for Grants- 2004-05 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

The Report contained 15 recommendations. Out of these 15 recommendations, the Standing Committee accepted the replies of the Government in respect of 6 recommendations/ observations. Again, in view of the replies of the Government in respect of 3 recommendations, the Committee has

\* Laid on the Table and also placed in Library, See No. 2733/05.

desired not to pursue the issues further. The Committee has made observations on Action Taken Reports of the Ministry on 6 Recommendations. The Statement made by me on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2005 had been on these six recommendations.

The present status of implementation of all the 15 recommendations made by the Committee is indicated in the Annexure which is laid on the Table of the House.