No. 14040/127/10-UTP
Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs,

North Block, New Delhi
Dated, the 16th January 2013

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Constitution of Security Commission for the Union Territories in pursuance of the
directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in WP(C) No.310/1996, titled Pakash Singh & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors.

The undersigned is directed to say that in the light of the recommendations/observations contained in the report submitted by the Justice K. T. Thomas Committee to the Hon'ble Supreme Court, the matter relating to constitution of Security Commission for the Union Territories has been re-examined in this Ministry. Accordingly, in partial modification of this Ministry's Office Memorandum No.14040/127/2010-UTP dated 10th January, 2011, it has been decided to keep composition of the Security Commission for Union Territories, other than NCT of Delhi, as under :-

i) Union Home Secretary ............. Chairman

ii) Chief Secretary, A & N Islands ......... Member

iii) Chief Secretary, Puducherry ............ Member

iv) Representatives of other UTs(according to the requirements of the agenda of the meeting) .... Member

v) 5 Independent Members to be nominated by the Central Government ............. Member

vi) Joint Secretary(UT), MHA ........ Convenor


3. The tenure of the Independent Members, nominated by the Central Government, shall be for a period of two years. An Independent Member may be removed by the Chairperson of the Commission for reasons to be recorded in writing.
4. The Independent Members may be paid sitting fee at the rate of Rs.3000/- per sitting subject to the condition that the amount may not exceed Rs.4.6 lakh per annum. They may also be entitled to TA/DA as admissible to the Secretary to the Government of India.

5. Necessary provisions regarding Security Commission are being made in the Delhi Police Act. Till the Delhi Police Act is suitably amended, action may be taken in the matter as aforementioned.

6. This issues with the approval of the Union Home Minister

(A. K. Saxena)
Joint Secretary(Delhi)
Telefax:23094387

1. Shri Anand Prakash, Chief Secretary, Secretariat, Port Blair-744101.
2. .Smt. M. Sathiyavathy, Chief Secretary, Govt. of Puducherry, Puducherry.
3. Shri K. K. Sharma, Adviser to the Administrator, Chandigarh Administration Chandigarh.
4. Shri B. S. Bhalla, Administrator, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Silvassa
5. Shri B. S. Bhalla, Administrator, Daman & Diu, Moti Daman
7. Jt. Secretary(PM), MHA, New Delhi.

Copy forwarded for information to
i) PPS to HS/PPS to JS(U)T  
ii) NIC for uploading on the website of MHA.