5.10. <u>IHARKHAND</u>

5.10.1 COMMITTEES

STATE LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEE

State Level Vigilance & Monitoring Committee was reconstituted under the Chairpersonship of the Chief Minister to review the implementation of the PoA Act

DISTRICT LEVEL VIGILANCE AND MONITORING COMMITTEE

At District Level, Committee function under the Chairpersonship of District Collector. During the year 2011, 19 meetings were held in 14 districts of the State.

5.10.2 APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS

A. NODAL OFFICER

The Secretary, SC/ST/OBC & Minorities Welfare Department, Government of Iharkhand has been appointed as a Nodal Officer

B. SPECIAL OFFICER FOR DISTRICTS HAVING ATROCITY PRONE AREAS

The Additional Collector, Giridih, Godda, Jamtara and S.D.P.O., Lateher districts have been appointed as Special Officers.

5.10.3. SPECIAL POLICE STATIONS

Special Police Stations are functioning in 22 districts in the State, viz. Ranchi, Bokaro, Deoghar, Garhwa, Giridih, Palamu, Hazaribagh, Chaibsa, Latehar, Simdega, Dhanbad, Jamtara, Gumla, Lohardaga, Saraikela, Koderma, Chatra, Dumka, Godda, Sahebgang, Pakur and Jamshedpur.

5.10.4. IDENTIFICATION OF ATROCITY PRONE AREAS

In the State, no area has been identified as atrocity prone area.

5.10.5. SPECIAL COURTS

The Special Court have been set up in 22 districts viz. Chatra, Giridih, Gumla, Jamtara, Lohardagga, Latehar, Kodarma, Daltangang at Palamu, Pakur, Sahebgang, Sariakela, Simdega, Hazaribagh, Deoghar, Bokaro, Ranchi, Chaibasa, Jamshedpur, Garhwa, Dhanbad, Dumka and Godda.

5.10.6. PUBLICITY & SENSITISATION OF OFFICERS

For creating awareness amongst public, number of Publicity/awarness programme were organized. 573 Police officials and 06 other officials were also sensitized.

5.10.7. RELIEF TO ATROCITY VICTIMS

During the year, 29 atrocity victims were provided relief.

5.10.8. LEGAL AID

During the year, legal aid and other facilities were provided to 106 persons subjected to atrocities to enable them to avail themselves of justice.

5.10.9 TRAVELLING AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES TO WITNESSES AND VICTIMS OF ATROCITIES

During the year 2011, under the scheme, 29 victims of atrocities and witnesses availed traveling and maintenance expenses.