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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 28th April 1857.

No. 10. Read the following letter from C. HUGH LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 15th April 1857, No. 1516.

SIR,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council to forward herewith an Extract, para: 2, from a letter from this Government to the Government of Bombay, No. 1513, of this day's date, and with reference thereto to request that you will be good enough to move the Right Honorable the Governor of Madras in Council, to cause this Government to be informed whether a supply of Copper Coin can be furnished from the General Treasury at Madras, for use in the Presidency of Bombay.

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Extract from a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Financial Department, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, No. 1513, dated 15th April 1857.

Para: 2. In reply I am desired to intimate, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Honorable the Governor of the Straits' Settlements will be directed to remit to Bombay as soon as practicable as much of the Copper Coin as is at present available in the Treasuries under his control, and that the Madras Government will at the same time be asked whether any help can be afforded from there, and if not, that the Mint Authorities at Calcutta will be directed to forward some of the Copper blanks expected from England as soon as they arrive.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

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No. 11. ORDER THEREON, No. 247; dated 27th April 1857.

The Accountant General is requested to state whether a supply of Copper Coin can be furnished from the Madras General Treasury, for use in the Bombay Presidency, and, if so, how much can be sent, and by what opportunity.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,

Chief Secretary.

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