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No. 9. Read the following letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Depart ent, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort William, 20th November 1871, No. 4939 :—

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 36, dated the 20th January 1871, regarding the limit within which Local Governments may deal finally with cases of loss of public money through fraud or negligence of individuals or otherwise.

2. In reply, I am directed to state that the amount of money involved in an order for writing off a sum to "Profit and Loss" is not the only point which concerns the Government of India; several of such cases arise from frauds, the perpetration of which implies defects in system, or in the mode of working it, and of such defects the Government of India desires to be kept informed by the operation of this Department's Order, No. 3537, dated 30th November 1870, to which the Government of Madras takes exception.

Order No.	Date.	District.	Amount ordered to be written off to "Profit and Loss."
	1869.		Rs. A. P.
1944, Judicial ...	9th December ...	Vizagapatam ...	1,834 9 3
3213, Revenue ...	20th "	Bellary	1,227 0 0
566, Judicial ...	8th April	Kurnool	341 7 11

3. As illustrations in point, I am to cite the Proceedings of the Government of Madras noted in the margin, which have been obtained from the Accountant-General, Madras.

Copy forwarded to the Accountant-General, Madras, with reference to his letter, No. 3521, dated 28th August 1871.

No. 10. ORDER THEREON, 5th December 1871, No. 747.

Communicated to the several Departments of the Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Military "
" Public Works "

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

&c.,

Dated December, 5th.

Recd.

DECEMBER.
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Communicating reply of the Supreme Government to the representation by this Government, respecting the limit within which Local Governments may deal finally with cases of loss of public money through negligence or fraud of individuals or otherwise.

Read 20th January 1871. No. 49-50.
- — 9th March 1869. — 52-56. Jud.
- — Do. Dec. 1869. — 236-237. Rev.
- — 6th April 1864. — 166-167. Jud.

The 20th November 1871.
5th Dec. 1871 No. 7417.
Communicated to the Secretary Department of this Sc.
for information.

Your Most Obedient Servant,

Secretary

To the Revenue Dept.
- - Military - D.
- - Public Works - D.

Under Secy to the Govt of India

Copy forwarded to the Accountant General of Madras, with reference to his letter No. 3621 dated 28th August 1871.

By Order.

Secretary to Govt.

Copy of the Supreme Government Resolution dated 6th October 1871 forwarded for information and guidance in connection with the Board's Proceedings of the 11th instant.

By Order.

Secretary to Govt.

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Govt. of {1871} Madras.

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To the Revenue Dept

Dated 5 Dec

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Encl.

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