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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

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FROM

THE HON. W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Referring to the Resolution of the Government of India, Financial Department, No. 614, dated the 30th May 1873, I am directed to transmit copy of a letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, and to state that the relaxation of the Financial Resolution, No. 842, dated 7th February 1873, prescribing revised forms of certificates to be attached to contingent bills, as proposed by the Government of Bengal and sanctioned by the Governor-General in Council, may, in this Presidency, be extended to the District Superintendents of Police and to the other officers recommended by the Accountant-General, and if it would be of any relief to the Accountant-General's Department, this Government consider that the relaxation might also be extended to Magistrates of Districts.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

OOTACAMUND,
27th June 1873.

Chief Secretary.

From F. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Accountant-General, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 17th June 1873, No. 134.

Audit Department.

With reference to your endorsement under date the 9th instant, upon the Financial Resolution of the Government of India, No. 614, dated the 30th ultimo, I have the honour to state that the relaxation of the rule laid down in Government of India, No. 842, of the 7th February last, in favour of the Police District Superintendents, might, it appears to me, be extended to the officers noted in the margin, as regards the bills drawn by their subordinates, which are now sent to the Board of Revenue for countersignature with their vouchers.

Collectors.
Director of Revenue Settlement.
Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

2. Judicial, Magisterial, and Ecclesiastical bills are sent direct to this office for audit without any countersignature, and, in the Educational and Medical Departments, the Inspectors of Schools and Deputy Inspectors of Hospitals, respectively, countersign the bills of their subordinates, while their own are sent to the Director of Public Instruction and the Inspector-General of Indian Medical Department.

3. The officers who countersign the bills for the other Departments are given below :—

Money Order Department...	Assistant Accountant-General.
Paper Currency	Do. in charge of Currency.
Meteorological Observatory	Superintendent of Observatory.
Marine	Master Attendant.
Jails	Inspector-General of Jails.
Registration	Do. Registration.
Vaccine	Superintendent of Vaccination.

Encl. J. Wright,

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To

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Dated 27th June 1873.

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Enclosure.

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Explanation

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