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Financial **DEPARTMENT**

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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 9th November 1858.

No. 22. Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Agent to the Governor at Vizagapatam; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Nursepatam, 15th October 1858, No. 63.

SIR,

Para. 1. I beg to submit an application from Captain Owen for the permanent entertainment of 2 Bheesties for the Golgondah Sibundies at a total monthly expense of Rupees 14.

2. I regret that the necessity for the employment of these men did not occur to Captain Owen before sending in his late return, but as I am of opinion with him that the Bheesties are really required, especially, at seasons where water is difficult to be had which is the case both here and at Palcondah (the post to be hereafter occupied by the Sibundies) I feel that I have no alternative, and accordingly I beg to recommend for sanction the application now forwarded.

From Captain W. G. OWEN, Commanding Golgondah Sibundy Corps; to C. W. READE, Esq., Agent to the Governor at Vizagapatam, on Circuit at Nursipatam, dated 14th October 1858, No. 147.

SIR,

The want of supply of water for patients in hospital has long been experienced and of course much more so since the strength of the Sibundies has been more than doubled, I have therefore the honor to request you may be pleased to recommend that two Bheesties may be allowed for the Golgondah Sibundy Corps, one for Nursipatam and one for Palcondah, the pay of each Bheestie would be seven Rupees per month. I am aware that you are averse to any increase to the permanent establishment of the Sibundy Corps, but the services of these Bheesties are really so necessary that I am induced to hope you may view their employment as an exception to the general rule.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. W. READE,
Agent to the Governor.

No. 23. ORDER THEREON, No. 1580; dated 9th November 1858.

The Government sanction the entertainment of 2 Bheesties for the Golcondah Sibbundies at a total monthly cost of Rupees (14) fourteen.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Govt.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No. 1580.

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Fort St. George
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Sir
Your most Obed. Servt.

Archd Russell

Agent to the Governor

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