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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Dated	20. 2. 1858.	

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No. 10. Read the following Endorsement from the Under Secretary to the Government of India.

Sanctioning an increase to the Magisterial Department of the Office of the Collector and Magistrate of Salem, involving a temporary cost of Rupees 260 per mensem. } (Here enter 20th January 1858, No. 157.)

For particulars—Vide Judicial Consultation, 8th December 1857, No. 5.

No. 11. ORDER THEREON, No. 224; dated 20th February 1858.

Ordered to be communicated to the Magistrate of Salem and to the Offices of Account and Audit, in reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation, 6th August 1857, No. 962.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT.
Chief Secretary.

Extl. F. Cartledge.

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No 2414.

Transmitting an increase to the Magisterial Establt of the Office of the Collector and Magistrate of Salem increasing a temporary Cost of Rs 180 per Mensem.

Forth an Order

No 2214.

Ordered, that a Copy be communicated to the Magistrate of Salem and to the Offices of Account and Audit in reference to Ext. Mins. Comrs. 6th August 1857 No 962.

In the Name of the Governor,
20th February 1858

Copy to Magistrate of Salem
" Accountant Genl.
" Civil Auditor
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	Year.	Revenue. Ordinary.	Revenue. Extraordinary.	Charges. Ordinary	Charges. Extraordinary.	Total. Revenues.	Total. Charges.	Net. Surplus.	Net. Deficit.
F. 1264 or.....	1854-55	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,
F. 1265 or.....	1855-56	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,
F. 1266 or.....	1856-57	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,	1,23,544	,,	,,
F. 1267 estimated.....	1857-58	,,	,,	1,23,544	2,600	,,	1,26,144	,,	,,

These charges are exclusive of the Pay and Allowances of the Covenanted Officers.

Extract from Home Dept. Govt. of India. No. / Date / Office to which the proposition refers.

Office of the Collector and Magistrate of Salem. 26 Dec. 1857. 2695

Proposition.

Nature of Charge.	Present Scale. Rs. A. P.	Proposed Scale. Rs. A. P.	Permanent. Increase per month. Rs. A. P.	Permanent. Decrease per month. Rs. A. P.	Temporary. Increase per month. Rs. A. P.	Temporary. Period.	Temporary. Decrease per month. Rs. A. P.	Temporary. Period.	Casual or Extraordinary.
Land Revenue establishment.....	9,128 8 0	9,128 8 0							
Talook Tappal do...	60 0 0	60 0 0							
Treaury Guard Sepoys.....	374 12 6	374 12 6							
Travellers' Bungalow Sepoys.....	69 14 9	69 14 9							
Pay of Sweepers at the Travellers' Bungalows.....	52 0 0	52 0 0							
Establishment for collecting the tax on timber in the Denkencottah Talook.	26 8 0	26 8 0							
Toppoor Choultry establishment Talook	16 8 0	16 8 0							
Medical Subordinate.	124 15 0	124 15 0							
	9,853 2 0	9,853 2 0							
Magisterial Department.		*Magisterial Department.*							
1 Writer.....	35 0 0	1 Writer..... 35 0 0							
1 Javabneviss.....	28 0 0	1 Javabneviss..... 28 0 0							
2 Goomastahs.....	35 0 0	2 Goomastahs..... 35 0 0							
1 Roysom.....	14 0 0	1 Roysom..... 14 0 0							
1 Police Ameen.....	30 0 0	1 Police Ameen..... 30 0 0							
1 Cutwal.....	10 8 0	1 Cutwal..... 10 8 0							
15 Police Roysoms in the Talooks.....	154 0 0	15 Police Roysoms in the Talook.. ..... 154 0 0							
1 Jailor.....	12 0 0	1 Jailor..... 12 0 0							
6 Jail Peons at 5 Rs..	30 0 0	6 Jail Peons at 5 Rs. 30 0 0							
1 Duffadar.....	5 8 0	1 Duffadar..... 5 8 0							
1 do.....	5 4 0	1 do..... 5 4 0							
5 Peons at 4 Rupees.	20 0 0	5 Peons at 4 Rupees. 20 0 0							
18 Peons at 3½ Rs...	63 0 0	43 Peons at 3½ Rs... 150 8 0	87 8 0						
		10 Peons at 6 Rs..... 60 0 0	60 0 0						
Total...	10,295 6 3	25 Peons at 4½ Rs... 112 8 0	112 8 0						
		Total... 10,555 6 3	260 0 0						Extraordinary.

Grounds of Proposition.

The total number of Talook Peons in the Salem District, for Revenue and Police duties together, consists of 799 Peons with 35 Duffadars. This number allows about 12 men for every 200 villages, supposing all were employed in the Police Department, which is not the case. Some of them are permanently stationed as Tanadars, in different parts of the District, a single Peon to a single Tannah. They are therefore utterly ineffective as a body of men to defend people from violence, or apprehend robbers in the act; and adverting to the increasing number of gang and highway robberies that occur in the District, the Magistrate proposes to entertain for a period of 3 years 60 additional Peons at a total cost of Rupees 260 per mensem. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council fully concurring in the expediency of the measure, has authorized the Magistrate to employ the Peons, subject to the sanction of the Government of India. He now solicits the confirmation of that authority to the increase of Peons authorized by him, pending the reorganization of the Police ordered in the Despatch of the Honorable Court of Directors, dated 30th September, No. 13 of 1857. Extracts from the Magistrate's report on the Return of gang and highway robberies committed in his District during the second quarter of the current year, are also submitted in illustration of the circumstances under which the present application is made.

Local Government's recommendation. Favorable.

Orders of the Government of India.

Home Dept. Remarks. No objection. No 241

Financial Department Remarks. Sanctioned By Order of the Governor in Council.

Financial Department Orders.

Fort St. George, the 2nd December 1857.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1571.

Forwarded for sanction to the Home Department of the Government of India.

Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No. 157

Forwarded to the Govt of Madras for information

By order

W. Dalrymple Maclean

Under Secretary

Fort St. George
The 20th January 1860.