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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 3. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Fort Saint George, 11th June 1859, No. 811.

With reference to Mr. Under Secretary Dalrymple's letter 10th September 1855, Home Department, Judicial, No. 1151, I am desired by the Honorable the Governor in Council to enquire whether, now that the Government of India has passed under the direct authority of the Crown, Military Convicts from the late Company's Army, Artillery and European Regiments, are as hitherto, when sentenced by Courts Martial to transportation, to be sent to Western Australia—or whether like Military Convicts from Her Majesty's Royal Army they are to be sent to England.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
*Chief Secretary.*

Pal P. Cambija

Madras 6th September

No 911

Secretary to Govt
Home Dept.

With reference to Govt
Order Secretary Judicial
-ptes letter 10 Sept 1855
Home Dept. Judicial No
1154, I am desired by the
Hon'ble Court of Directors
to transmit the first of Private
Soldiers under the
Sentence and Warrants of
Court Martial, Military
Convicts from the East
Company's Service
Artillery & Pensioners
Respectively, and as
Military Offenders
by Courts Martial
& Transportation, &

be sent to
Western Australia
or Western like
Military Convicts
from Her Majesty's
Royal
English Army Navy
and to be sent to
England.

Lieut. St. George
11 June 1859.