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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
16th April 1862.

No. 126. Read the following letter from W. GREY, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; to L. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Legislative Department, dated Fort William, the 24th March 1862, No. 1,550.

Home Department.

With reference to my letter of the 22nd instant, returning three Laws passed by the Council of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay with the Assents thereto of the Governor General, I am directed to point out that in forwarding a Law for the Assent of the Governor General it is desirable that either on the face of the authentic copy of the Law, or in the transmitting letter it should be specifically shown that the Law has received the formal Assent of the Governor.

2. With respect to the three Laws above referred to, this was left to be inferred from the statement in the transmitting letters that they were sent by Order of the Governor.

3. I am desired to suggest the following as perhaps the most fully correct form in which a Law may be submitted for the Governor General's Assent.

(1.) At the end of the Bill a Certificate by the *President* of the Meeting at which the Law was passed stating that "this Bill was passed in the Council of the Governor "of Bombay at a Meeting for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations "on the ."

(2.) Following this Certificate the formal record of the *Governor's* Assent, *e. g.*

"I assent to this Bill."

A. B.,
Governor of Bombay.

and (3.) A Certificate of the proper Officer of the Council to the authenticity of the copy sent up.

No, 1,551.

Copy forwarded to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, for information.

By order,
(Signed) A. M. MONTEATH,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 127. ORDER THEREON, 16th April 1862, No. 608.

Communicated to the Clerk of the Council for making Laws and Regulations, for information and guidance. It appears to the Government that the form No. 1 is superfluous, and it need not be adopted. The Assent of the Governor may be taken as sufficient evidence that the Bill has properly passed the Council.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

(2) Following this Certificate, the formal record of the Governor's Assent, e.g.

"I assent to this Bill"

A.B.

Governor of Bunbury

And (3) A Certificate of the proper Officer of the Council to the authenticity of the copy sent up.

Kane Jun.
Sy. W. Grey
Secy to the Gov. of Sunda

A 1537

Copy forwarded to the Chief Secy to the Govt of Fort Stirling for information. —

By order

Alex Grantcastle

Attending to the Gov. of Sunda

Should this assent of the Governor be sufficient evidence that the Bill was duly passed in the Council

Certificate and Order.

Sub. Govt. Bill
Transmit Copy
Asst Govr Secy
Letter Govt. Sunda
1537

A 1537
Sunda 24 Oct 1862
Sy. Govt. Sunda

A 677

Transmits for information Copy of Ordinance passed by the Legislative Council of Sunda on the 16th April 1862 relative to the Petitions to the Council of Sunda attested by the Governor & Council of Sunda

No. 608 — 16 April 1862

Communicated to the Clerk of the Council for Making Laws & Regulations for information & guidance. It appears to me that the Clerk of the Council for making Laws & Regulations has no power

sept 16th

Assembly Papers

and it never was adopted - For
assent after forms may be
Evidence of Official evidence
that this Bill has properly passed
the Council. JP

[illegible] of the Bill a Certificate by the
President of the Meeting which the Law was
passed stating that the Bill was Read with
Council - like Manner & Meeting at which
for the Purpose of Enacting Laws and Regulations
on the [illegible]