

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,

30th April 1862.

No. 283. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Fort Saint George, 30th April 1862, No. 700.

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to acknowledge the receipt of the Resolution of the Government of India, dated the 2nd instant, No. 1,696, relative to the increase in the salaries of the District Moonsiffs of the Madras Presidency and that of their Establishment, proposed in my letter of the 4th March last, No. 169.

2. With reference to the request in paragraph 3 of that Resolution, I have to inform you that the Court of Sudr Adawlut have been requested to consider whether some of the Mooftee Sudr Ameens may not be, at once, or shortly reduced.

3. It is hoped that the effect of the establishment of Courts of Small Causes in the Madras Provinces will be to allow a reduction in the present number of District Moonsiffs' Courts, but the result of their creation has yet to be seen; and meanwhile the necessity for increasing the salaries of the present District Moonsiffs and for strengthening their Establishment is urgent, and the measure should not be delayed. This Government, I am to add, will not fail to carry out any reduction in the District Moonsiffs which may eventually prove practicable, on the Small Cause Courts coming into full operation.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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