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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 116. Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 24th August 1863, No. 61.

I have the honor to forward an application from the principal inhabitants of the town of Coimbatore, and its suburbs, Ooppilipolliem and Annaperpolliem, requesting that the provisions of the Municipal Act XXVI of 1850, may be put in force within the above limits.

The inhabitants alluded to have formed themselves into a Committee, and the application now sent, has been transmitted to me by the Secretary. I beg to support their request and commend it to the favorable consideration of Government.

From W. PONNOOSAMY, Secretary to the Municipal Meeting, Coimbatore; to P. GRANT, Esq., Collector and Magistrate, Coimbatore, dated Coimbatore, 14th August 1863.

I beg to forward herewith an application to the address of Government, signed by the members of a Meeting held in the town of Coimbatore on the 9th instant for Municipal purposes, praying to enforce the Municipal Act (XXVI of 1850) within the town of Coimbatore, and its neighbourhood, viz., Ooppilipolliem, and Annaperpolliem; and to request that you will be pleased to submit the same to Government with your kind support.

Translation of a Petition addressed to Government by the undersigned inhabitants of Coimbatore and its suburbs, viz., the Fort and Annaperpolliem, dated 9th August 1863.

We the undersigned being desirous of improving the streets and sewers in the town of Coimbatore and its suburbs, viz., the Fort and Annaperpolliem and of cleaning the town occasionally from the dirty water and refuse that accumulate, most humbly pray that Government would be pleased to sanction the enforcement of the Act XXVI of 1850 in the town of Coimbatore and its suburbs.

(Signed) ABDOOL RAHEMAN SAIB,
Principal Sudder Ameen.
&c. &c. &c.

(True Translation.)

(Signed) P. GRANT,
Collector and Magistrate.

No. 117. ORDER THEREON, 15th September 1863, No. 1,485.

Resolved accordingly that the preliminary Notification required by Section III, Act XXVI, 1850, be published in the Government Gazette, and that a period of three clear months be allowed to the inhabitants to declare themselves for or against the extension of the Act, for Municipal purposes, to the town of Coimbatore and its suburbs, Ooppilipolliem and Annaperpolliem.

2. The Notification should be republished in the District Gazette, with a translation in the Vernacular, and the Magistrate will cause it to be made known by public proclamation in the town and suburbs.

3. As indicated in the Notification, books should be opened, in which the inhabitants should be invited to record their assent to, or dissent from, the measure. The greatest care should be used to ensure the free expression of the public feeling on the subject, and no influence exercised or inducement held out.

4. On the expiration of the three months allowed by the Notification, the Magistrate will submit a report to the Government, and, if the result is such as to warrant his recommending the introduction of the Act into the town and suburbs of Coimbatore, he will at the same time submit the names of the gentlemen to be associated with him as Commissioners.

5. Mr. Grant will communicate to the Committee, with whom the proposal originated, the satisfaction felt by the Governor in Council at the prospect of the conservancy and improvement of the town being undertaken by the inhabitants.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMeeny.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Magistrate of Coimbatore — Inter 24th Augt 63 No 61

Order — No 1485 of 15th Septr 63.

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The Magistrate of Coimbatore with Tamil addication returned } dated 17 " 23. with the Notification dated 17

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PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT,

Dated 15th Sept 1863

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Passing necessary orders on the application made by the Inhabitants of the Town of Coimbatore for the extension thereto of Act XXVI of 1850.-

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