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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 12th March 1863.

No. 56. Read the following letter from C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Madras; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 12th February 1863, No. 26.

1. With reference to the Order of Government, dated the 16th July last, No. 1,121, I am directed to report that the Acting Civil Judge of Tanjore has requested sanction for the retention of the Additional District Moonsiff's Courts at Combaconum and Paupanassum for another year.

2. It will be observed from the accompanying Statement that although the permanent and additional District Moonsiffs have disposed of a large number of suits, the state of the files is nearly double what it was when the additional Courts were first applied for.

3. Under these circumstances it is absolutely necessary that the two additional District Moonsiffs should be retained, and I am accordingly directed to recommend that sanction be granted for their retention for another year, at the close of which period, the High Court will be better able to judge of the effect which the Court of Small Causes and the proposed Act, if passed, for investing the District Moonsiffs with Small Cause Court jurisdiction, will have upon the files of the Courts, and be in a position to make arrangements accordingly.

No. 57. ORDER THEREON, 12th March 1863, No. 385.

The Tabular Statement received with this letter will be forwarded to the Government of India.

2. The Additional District Moonsiffs' Courts of Combaconum and Paupanassum have been sanctioned to 30th April next. The Civil Paymaster is authorized to pass the charge for May and the succeeding months, in anticipation of sanction.

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

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No.	Date.	Extract from Home Department, Government of India.	Office to which the Proposition refers.	Nature of Charge.	Present Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposed Scale.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposition. Permanent. Increase per month.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposition. Permanent. Decrease per month.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposition. Temporary. Increase per month.	Rs.	A.	P.	Proposition. Temporary. Decrease per month. Period.	Rs.	A.	P.	Casual or Extraordinary.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	Order of the Government of India. Home Department. Remarks.	Order of the Government of India. Financial Department. Remarks.	Order of the Government of India. Financial Department. Orders.
			Zillah of Tanjore.	Salary of Civil and Session Judge...		2,333	5	4	Civil Judge and Establishment as particlarized in preceding column... ...	2,993	5	4																					
				Establishment of do. ...		660	0	0																									
				Salary of the Judge of the Small Cause Court... ...		1,400	0	0	Small Cause Court Judge and Establishment... ...	1,640	0	0																					
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				Salary of Additional Principal Sudder Ameen... ...		500	0	0	Additional Principal Sudder Ameen and Establishment	648	0	0																					
				Establishment of do. ...		148	0	0	District Moonsiffs and do....	2,020	0	0																					
				Salary of 1st Class District Moonsiff...		300	0	0	3 3rd Class Additional District Moonsiffs at 200 Rupees each...	600	0	0																					
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				Salaries of 5 3rd Class District Moonsiffs... ...		1,000	0	0																									
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				Total...		9,338	5	4		9,338	5	4																					

The following Statement shows that the number of cases pending on the 31st December 1862, on the files of the Courts of Combaconum and Trevady, to relieve which the 2 additional Courts were established, exceeded those pending on the 30th June 1859, when those Courts were first applied for, by 2,188 suits, although in the interval between the 1st May 1862, the commencement of the present sanction and 1st January 1863, (8 months) 3,076 cases were disposed of in the 2 old and in the 2 new Courts.

Number of suits pending on the dates mentioned below.

30th June 1859.	Combaconum...	1,333	Vide first application for the Additional Courts.
	Trevady... ...	1,247	
		2,580	
30th Sep. 1860.	Combaconum...	1,140	Vide application for sanction for another year.
	Trevady... ...	1,317	
		2,457	
31st March 1862.	Combaconum...	3,258	Vide application for retaining the additional Courts up to the end of this Official year 16th April 1862.
	Trevady... ...	3,350	
		6,608	
1st Jan. 1863...	Combaconum...	2,792	
	Trevady... ...	1,976	
		4,768	

Statement of suits pending, filed and disposed of between 1st May and 31st December 1862.

	Combaconum.		Trevady.		
	Permanent Moonsiff.	Additional Moonsiff.	Trevady Moonsiff.	Additional Moonsiff of Papanassum.	Total.
Pending on 1st May 1862...	2,257	910	1,937	918	6,022
Filed up to 31st Dec. 1862...	305	812	305	400	1,822
Total...	2,562	1,722	2,242	1,318	7,844
Disposed of between 1st May and 31st Dec. 1862... ...	777	715	773	811	3,076
Balance...	1,785	1,007	1,469	507	4,768

Provision for these Courts has been made in the Government Column of the Estimate, Law and Justice for 1863-64, as the retention of the Moonsiffs is absolutely necessary. Sanction is accordingly solicited for the charge for another year. At the end of that period the High Court will be better able to judge of the effect which the Court of Small Causes and the proposed Act, if passed, for investing the District Moonsiffs with Small Cause jurisdiction, will leave upon the files of the Courts and be in a position to make the arrangements accordingly.

Favorable.

Fort Saint George,
12th March 1863.

Exd. T. McMootry.

No. 58.

No. 386.

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

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

No. 385 — 12th March 1863.

The tabular statement received with this letter will be forwarded to the Govt. of India.

2. The Additional District Moonsiffs Courts of Combaconum & Paulpanassum have been sanctioned to 30th April next. The Civil Paymaster is authorised to pass the charge for May & the succeeding 5 months in anticipation of sanction.

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In a letter from the
Registrar of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras
dated the 12th February 1863 —
No 26. —

To the Secretary to the
Govt of India
Home Dept
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Tabular
Statement.

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Judicial Department.

No.	Date	Officiating Establishments.	Nature of Charge	Present Scale	Proposed Scale	Proposition: Permanent Increase per Month	Proposition: Permanent Decrease per Month	Proposition: Temporary Increase per Month	Proposition: Temporary Decrease per Month	Grounds of Proposition
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	
			Salary of Civil & Sessions Judge	2333 5 4	Civil Judge & Establishment as particularized in preceding column.	2993 5 4				The following Statement shows that the number of cases pending on the 31st December 1862 on the files of the Courts of Combaconum & Trevady to relieve which the 2 Addl. Courts were established, was more than those pending on the 30th June 1859 when those Courts were first applied for by 2188 suits, although in the interval between the 1st May 1862 the commencement of the present sanction and 1st January 1863 (8 months) 3076 cases were disposed of in the 2 old & in the 2 new Courts:—
			Establishment of Do	660 " "						
			Salary of the Judge of the Small cause Court	1400 " "	Small Cause Court Judge & Establishment	1640 " "				
			Establishment of Do	240 " "	Principal Sudr Ameen & Establishment	1077 " "				
			Salary of Principal Sadr Ameen	500 " "	Addl Principal Sadr Ameen & Establishment	648 " "				
			Establishment of Do	577 " "	Distt Moonsiffs & Do	2020 " "				
			Salary of Additional Principal Sadr Ameen	500 " "	3 3rd Class Addl Distt Moonsiffs at 200 Rs each	600 " "				
			Establishment of Do	148 " "	Establishment of Do	360 " "				
			Salary of 1st Class Distt Moonsiff	300 " "						
			Establishment of Do	120 " "						
			Salaries of 3 2nd class Distt Moonsiffs	1000 " "						
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	Combaconum		Trevady		
	Permanent Moonsiffs	Addl Moonsiffs	Trevady Moonsiffs	Addl Distt Moonsiffs & Pudiyamadam	
Pending on 1st May 1862	2257	910	1937	918	6022
Filed up to 31st Dec. 1862	305	812	305	400	1822
Total	2562	1722	2242	1318	7844
Disposed of between 1st May & 31st Dec. 1862	777	715	773	811	3076
Balance	1785	1007	1469	507	4768

Local Government Remarks

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pending on 1st May exceeded the number of cases pending on 1st May 1863 by 2188 suits, although in the interval between the 1st May 1862 and the 1st January 1863 (8 months) 3076 cases were disposed of in the 2 old & in the 2 new Courts:—

Number of suits pending on the dates mentioned below:

30th June 1859	Combaconum	1333	Vide first application for Addl Courts 1846.
	Trevady	1247	
		2580	
31st September 1860	Combaconum	1140	Vide application for the sanction for a year 1861.
	Trevady	1317	
		2457	
31st March 1862	Combaconum	3258	Do Do for retained until 1862
	Trevady	3350	Addl Courts up to this current year.
		6608	
1st January 1863	Combaconum	2792	16th
	Trevady	1976	
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Government Columns of Moonsiffs is absolutely for another year.

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