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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1023	Press ~~Mis.~~
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No. 3. Read the following letter from the Inspector General of Police, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Kotagherry, 31st May 1866, No. 871.

I have the honor to report, with reference to G. O., dated 11th April 1865, No. 766, that it has been brought to my notice that Inspectors of Police are in doubt whether the order in question does not exclude them from the post of Tahsildar if otherwise qualified.

2. I need scarcely argue that perhaps no service more thoroughly qualifies an intelligent man for the Magisterial and onerous duties of a Taluq Magistrate and Tahsildar than service as a Police Officer. Several Inspectors of Police have been selected by Magistrates for the post, and have given satisfaction in their position. Two have been employed as Deputy Collectors, and the Government has ruled that even for the Covenanted Service a short experience with the Police is a *desideratum*.

3. I trust, therefore, that Government will be pleased to include Inspectors of Police under paragraph 10 of that Order.

4. I fear that any implied disqualification will seriously affect the Service in respect to the class of men willing to join upper grades.

No. 4. ORDER THEREON, 2nd July 1866, No. 1023.

Under the circumstances stated, the Governor in Council is pleased to include the Office of Inspector of Police among the appointments specified in paragraph 10 of G. O., 10th* April 1865, No. 766, as those in which three years' approved service is declared to be necessary to qualify a passed candidate for the post of Tahsildar.

* Revenue Department.

(True Extract).

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Police.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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