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Government of Madras.

Industrial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
5th February 1866.*

No. 42. Read the following letter from the Acting Magistrate of the Kistna District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Gudivada, 6th January 1866, No. 6.

I have the honor to inform you that, with reference to Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, dated 29th November 1865, No. 1696, I left, at Masulipatam, Mr. Glenney, one of the Assistants in this District, but now find that, as he has not the full powers of a Magistrate, he is not competent to deal with cases which Magistrates of full powers can alone settle. For instance, the Acting Superintendent of Police has requested me to admit of an approver, under Section 209 of the Criminal Procedure Code, in a case of Dacoity which happened lately in Masulipatam.

2. I, having to be absent some distance from Masulipatam, on account of the Jumma-bundy, and having my whole time fully occupied, cannot order the case to be sent to me for inquiry.

3. And, with the exception of Mr. Wilkins, Judge of the Small Cause Court, who being a Sudder Ameen, and not capable of taking up cases originally, there is no Magistrate of full powers in the large town of Masulipatam.

Section 356, Criminal Procedure Code.

4. Neither of the Assistants, Mr. Glenney or Mr. Newman (who is with me) have passed the examination, and therefore I cannot request that either of them should be vested with full powers.

The only person remaining, who, from ability, experience, and the fact of his being obliged to be always stationary at Masulipatam, I can recommend to be vested with the full powers of a Magistrate is T. Durmaroya Moodelly, the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury. He has at present the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the 1st Class.

5. The Deputy Collector, K. Jaganatham, in charge of the Treasury of the Godavery District, has full powers, and as I am acquainted with both, I am in a position to state that I consider T. Durmaroya Moodelly to be in every way as qualified for the full powers of a Magistrate as K. Jaganatham.

6. I have, therefore, the honor to request that T. Durmaroya Moodelly may be vested with the full powers of a Magistrate.

No. 43. ORDER THEREON, 5th February 1866, No. 165.

The Governor in Council is not prepared to confer on T. Durmaroya Moodelly the full powers of a Magistrate, as it is desirable that the Deputy Collectors in charge of Treasuries should be occupied as little as possible with Magisterial work.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of the Kistna District.
,, Revenue Department.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Recd 18 Feb 1886

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The Magistrate of the Fisha &c
Revenue District — 30/8/86

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