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No 1880

From

J. P. Hewett Esq. b. S.
Offg. Under Secy to the Govt of India

To

Chief Secretary, to the Government
of Madras.

Dated Calcutta, the 29 December 1886.

Home Dept.
(Judicial) Sir

With reference to your letter No 3222
dated the 4th Instant on the subject of the
petition from Sri Rama Chendra Deva,
illegitimate son of the late Chief of
Godapur in the Chinna Kemedi Malahs
of the Ganjam District, I am directed to
enquire under what law the Agent to
the Governor in Ganjam directed Rama
Chendra Deva to leave Godapur and to
take up his residence at Surada and
by a subsequent order allowed him to
reside at Bamingan. I am also to ask what
procedure was observed in the issue of these orders.

I have the honor to be
Sri
Your most obedient servant

J. P. Hewett.

Offg. Under Secy to the Govt of India.

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CURRENT NO. 818

From J. G. Hornefall Esquire
Agent to the Governor
in Ganjam

To The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras
Judicial Department

Dated Camp Balinguda 10th February 1887

Sir I have the honor to reply to Govern-
ment reference on letter from the
Government of India dated 29th De-
cember 1886 No: 1880 as follows:-
2. The question of the succession to the
post of Tal Rajah of Godapur was
determined in G.O. of the 23rd January
1884 No: 216, and the agent's order ex-
pelling Ramachandra Sauto or Deo
the illegitimate brother of the young
Tal Rajah was recorded in G.O. of the
same date No: 217, and the subsequent order

it has long been the practice

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Agency and 128/86

2.1.87

From

The Govt of India.
Home

No: 1880

Dated 29-12-86
Received 4-1-87

Subject:

Enquiring under what law
the Agent to the Governor in
Ganjam directed Ramach
Deva to take up his residence
at Purada & by a subsequent
order allowed him to reside
at Balingam

4-12-86: 3222
18-8-82: 1029 mi.
23-1-84: 216-217
23-6-84: 1561
15-7-84: 1747 m
8-8-85: 2064
6-8-86: 2080/81 m.
4-12-86: 3222 m.

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Agency and 128/86

920 January 87

Forwarded to the Agent,
Ganjam, by early post
by order.

H. A. Cleant
Under Secretary

Corrected by
18.11.87

order permitting him to reside at Bani-
-migan which is only five miles distant
from the Gadapur Fort is recorded
in G. O. of the 23rd June 1884 No. 1561.

3. It was hitherto held that the agent
subject to the approval of Government
had authority to direct the removal
from the agency tracts or particular
portions thereof of any turbulent or
troublesome person such as Raman-
chandra Deo was likely to prove and
this authority has been wielded
by the agent whenever necessary
since the agency tracts were established.
Objection however was taken to this
procedure and its legality questioned
in the orders of Government dated the
15th December 1884 No. 3258 and 13th Fe-
-bruary 1885 No. 430 Confidential.

4. I consider it still indispensable
for the public peace that Raman-
chandra Deo should not take up his residence
at Gadapur though I am aware of
no means of preventing his doing so
should

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should he transgress the order which
is now held to have been issued *en*
ultra vires.

5. The letter of reference is returned
herewith.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient servant
J. S. Horsfall
Agent to the Governor
in Gaujam

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it has long been the practice

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CURRENT NO. 818

GANJAM DISTRICT.

Judicial (1887) DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR OF
FORT ST. GEORGE
IN GANJAM.

TO

THE Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras
Judicial Department

Dated 10th } February 1887.
Received 21 }

E NO. 21

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Subject.

Submitting reply to the
reference made by the
Government of India
regarding the deportation
of Rama Chandra Deva
of Godapur to Surada
and thence to Banimigam

W. H. P. M. H.

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Papers to be read in Proceedings.

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Again ^{Letter} G.O., dated 4. 12. 1886, No. 3222
Current No. 6 of 1887, dated 29. 12. 86 from The Govt. of India
Endmt. on the above 8/20. 1. 87. No. —

Current No. 818 of 1887, dated 10th Feby. from

Order 25 March 187-657.
Ordered that the following
letter be sent to the Govt. of
India.
Has
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(Hore order no. 658 of 25/3/87)

To The Sec. to Govt. of India, Home.

Sir,
I am directed to acknowledge
the receipt of Mr. Hewitt's letter
of the 29th Dec. 1886, No. 1880,
inquiring under what law the
Agent to the Governor in Ganjam
directed Rama Chandra Deva to
leave Godapur and to take up
his residence at Surada and by
a subsequent order allowed him
to reside at Banimigam.

2. In reply I am to say that
the orders in question were not
issued under any law, but
it has long been the practice

Agent, Ganjam

in the dts. of Ganjam and
Vizagapatam to issue orders of
this nature, it being understood
that disobedience ~~of the order~~
would be followed by procs.
under s. 7 of Act XXIV of 1839.

That section confers on the
Agents in Ganjam and Vizag.
the same power of making
commitments which is possessed
by the Governor of Fort St. George
in Council under the provisions
of Madras Reg. II of 1819.

2. Certain objections to this practice
were brought to the notice of this
Govt. in 1884, and orders were
issued directing that in future
action shd., in the first place,
be taken under the Act of 1839,
the prisoner being subsequently
granted a conditional release
if his detention in custody was
thought unnecessary.

4. With reference to my letter
of 4th Dec. last, No. 3222, I am
to take this opportunity of stating
that ~~Godapan~~ ~~for~~ the old
name of the Chinna Kimidi estate,
within which Godapan lies, is
Pratapagiri, and this is the name
used in s. 2. of Act XXIV of 1839.

The Agent to the Governor in Ganjam was in error in stating that the
list of estates given in that section ~~of the Act~~ has been superseded by the list appended
to the Scheduled Dts. Act, 1874, for that Act has not been extended to the Scheduled
portions of the Ganjam Dt. H. 2/10/3

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C. 19/3.
R. 22/3

Note. - The mistake made by
the Agent in Ganjam was
overlooked when his letter was
forwarded. For the statement
that the old name of Chinna
Kimidi was Pratapagiri please
see the Ganjam Manual p. 24.
Mr. Sewell shd. have known
this and given Govt. correct in-
formation. H. 2/10/3

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ORDINARY, MS.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.
G. O. DATED *25 March 1877*
No. *657-58*

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[Despatch Abstract.]

*Regarding the deportation
of Ramachandra
of Godavari to Aurada
and thence to Kamini
jam.*