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G.O., No. 1055 M

DATED 4th July 1895

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License fees.

Passing orders on the subject of levying ----for dangerous and offensive trades in the Calicut Municipality.

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Malabar Collector's office
Calicut 13th May 1895.

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 1616 M

From,

H. Moberly Esq
Ag Collector of
Malabar

To,

The Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Depth
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a letter from the Chairman Calicut Municipal Council dated 6th April 1895 No. 337 submitting proposals for license fees on

(1) Depôts of kerosine oil and other explosives substances.
(2) Places for bleaching ginger
(3) Places for the storage of fish.

2. According to the Chairman's letter of 19th January 1894 No. 152 it was proposed to tax

(a) places for storing Explosives (kerosine oil)
(b) places for storing Gunpowder

Kerosine oil is not an Explosive and does not fall within the Indian Explosives act - Government evidently regarded the Council's proposal to license places for storing Explosives as

Equivalent to a proposal to license kerosine oil stores, for in its order of 20th March 1894 No. 364 M. Mis it said nothing about licenses for places for storing explosives and referred only to kerosine oil stores. Places where coloured fires, crackers and fireworks are sold should undoubtedly be licensed; but the fee of Rs 5 proposed by the Council is some what heavy. In my opinion a fee of Rs 2 would suffice. Persons selling gunpowder have to pay a license fee of Rs 10.

3. As regards kerosine oil stores, the Council's proposal to exempt retail dealers selling petroleum by the bottle, if their stock at any time does not exceed 2 cases or 4 tins is open to objection. Each tin contains 4 gallons. A place where only 16 gallons of oil are kept can scarcely be called a kerosine oil store. By the Petroleum Act no person in Calicut may keep more than 500 gallons of petroleum on the same premises except under a license. Following the act I would suggest that no place be treated as a kerosine

oil

oil depôt unless it be used for storing 500 or more gallons. If this proposal cannot be accepted it will still be necessary to define what is meant by "kerosine oil depot" or "place for the storage of kerosine oil". The license fee proposed by the Council for kerosine oil depots appears to be reasonable.

4. Ginger-bleaching yards. The Council has omitted to state on what principles they propose to class ginger-bleaching yards. The proposal to class yards according to the state of business is, in my opinion, meaningless. I cannot understand why the space usually occupied for bleaching ginger cannot be measured and the fees regulated according to the area.

5. Places for the storage of fish. I support the Council's proposal to tax these places.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obdt servant.

T. Varadarao

For Collector.

B.H.

O.C.

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From

The Collector of
Malabar

To,

The Chief Secretary to Govt
L & Mul Dept
Madras.

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Forwarding ~~Calicut municipal Chairman's~~ letter from the Ch. M. Calicut dated 6th April 95 No. 337 submitting proposals for levying license fees on the dangerous and offensive trades in the municipality

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Proceedings of the Municipal Council Calicut at a meeting held on the 5th April 1895

Present

T. Varada Rao Esquire. I.C.S. Chairman
M.R.Ry. S. Swaminatha Iyer Avargal Rao Bahadur
H. W. Brown Esquire
M.R.Ry. T. Chekkutti Kurup Avargal
" O. A. Krishna Menon "
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J. J. Srinivasa Pillai Esquire
M.R.Ry. M. Kunhamed Avargal
" Cowasjee Ardeshir "
Revd. Dr. Leibendoerfer
M.R.Ry. M. A. Subramania Iyer Avargal
" M. Chappu Menon "
" K. Krishnan Nair "

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6) Read office note from the

the Chairman on the subject of the license fees levied for dangerous and offensive trades in this municipality.

The following license fees will be levied.

1) Kerosine oil and Explosive Substance stores.

500 cubic feet and less — Rs 5 - " "

For every additional 500 C. ft. — 5 - " "

maximum — " " 25 - " "

Retail dealers having not more than 2 cases or (4 tins) selling by bottles are exempted.

2) Bleaching Ginger

As it is impossible to estimate the superficial area the following rates will be levied according to state of business.

I. class Rs 25
II class Rs 15
III class Rs 10.

3) The Council is of opinion that the fish curing yards are places for the storage of fish and liable to obtain licenses.

1 Re for every 100 square feet.

(Sd) T. Varada Rao

Chairman

(True Extract)

T. Varadarao

Chairman

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No 337
1895

Municipal Office
Calicut 6th April 1895

Lo... & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 1298 M

From

T. Varada Rao Esquire. I.C.S
Chairman, Municipal Council
Calicut

To

The Honorable J. F. Price. C.S.I.
Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Department
Madras

Sir,

The Scale of license fees levied in this Municipality was revised in 1894 and received the sanction of Government in G.O's dated 20th March 1894 No 364-M. Mis and 3rd October 1894 No 1378-M. Mis.

The Government did not then approve of the manner in which the Municipal Council pro to the storage of kerosine oil or other explosive substances and places used for bleaching ginger.

But a revision was made in the case of kerosine oil store u/o G.O. dt 16-7-94 No 900 M =

In my letter, dated 8th February 1895 No 98 I said that "as there are only two months for the close of the current year the Council is of opinion that a fee of Rs 5/ be levied for each license for bleaching ginger and storing kerosine oil instead of regulating the fee according to the extent of space occupied as directed by Government in its order dated 20th March 1894 No 364 - M. Mis. the scale is proposed to be regulated according to the space occupied from the beginning of the next official year for which proposals

622 Rk
6-4-95

"Course -"

This scale has now been determined and approved of by the municipal council at a meeting held on the 5 April 1895 and is as follows -

(1) Depots of kerosine oil and other explosive substances 500 cubic ft and less } Rs - a 5 - -

On every additional 500 c. feet. 5 - -

The maximum fee leviable hereunder will be Rs 25. Retail dealers selling petroleum oil by bottles will be exempted from obtaining a license provided that their stock at any time does not exceed 2 cases or 4 tins.

2) Places for bleaching ginger.

As it is impossible to estimate even approximately the extent of space occupied by ginger bleaching the Council respectfully requests Government to reconsider its orders in this matter. The quantity of ginger bleached in the very correctly the extent to which the trade interferes with the public health and safety. It has always been found necessary to take special care of the drains leading from ginger bleaching yards and secure constant cleaning and a proper outfall for them to the sea.

The rates proposed are as follows.

I class — Rs 25
II do — 15
III do — 10

and the Council is assured that this fee will not be considered excessive.

In section 188 clause (i) of Act IV of 1884, a place for storing hides, fish, horns and skins from which offensive or other unwholesome smells arise is included within the category of dangerous and offensive trades. The Council proposed to levy a license fee in respect of every place used for the storage of fish but Governmen in G.O. dated 20th March 1894 No 364-M. it is declared that the licensing of places for sale of fish is inadmissible. I am aske to respectfully invite the attenti of the Government to the terms of the section which seems to autho the levy of license fee for the storag of fish and to request sanct for the levy of a rate of 1 Rupee f every 100 square feet in respect of places used for that purpos

There are two fish curing yard in Calicut in which fish are store for salting.

Lime Kilns are to be licens at Rs 5 each as stated in m letter dated 8th February 1895.

GO M 6-4-95
No 622 M.

I have the honor to

to request the issue of
early orders on this letter
to enable me to publish
the requisite notification
before levying the licenses fees
proposed –

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

T. Varadarao
Chairman

Local & Municipal Dept.
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From,

The Chairman
Municipal Council
Calicut

To,

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Local & Municipal Dept.
Madras.

Dated 6th 4. 95
Recd 8- 4. 95
Read

CHIEF SECRETARY GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
11 APR. 1895

Submitting proposals
for the levy of license
for dangerous
& offensive trades
is municipality and
uesting sanction
to the same.

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No. 565

Returned to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Calicut, for submission through the Collector.

By order,

C. Todhunter
Ag. Assistant Secretary

26. IV.

V.R.
29/4/95

Fort St. George
29th April 1895

To,

The Chairman, Municipal Council,
Calicut.

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x For Orders.
The limit in Madras is 40 gallons
I dont think it necessary for a license to be taken out for a place where less than 40 gallons is stored

12/6/95

ORDER.

With reference to para 3 of his letter read above the Collector will be informed that ~~the~~ Government ~~does not~~ sees ~~any~~ no necessity for an exact definition of a kerosine oil store nor any objection to the maximum quantity which the Council propose to allow to be retained in stock without a license. Their proposed reduction of the fees sanctioned in G.O dated 16th July 1894 No 900 M cannot, however, ~~be sanctioned without good cause shown~~ be approved in the absence of sufficient cause ~~; and~~ this ~~point~~ proposal will be referred ~~back~~ to them for further consideration, together with the Collector's suggestions in para 2 of his letter ~~regarding~~ touching the licensing of places for the storage of other explosives.

2. As regards ginger bleaching yards Government has already directed in G.O. dated ~~10th January 1894 No 49 M~~ 20th March 1894 No 364 M that the license-fee should be fixed with reference to the area occupied and this order it sees no reason to modify.

3. A license fee for places for the storage of fish has already been sanctioned in G.O. dated 20th March 1894 No 364 M. It was a separate proposal for the imposition of a fee for selling fish that was disallowed.

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ORDER. 4-7-95 No. 1055 Mis

Government concurs in the view expressed by the Collector in para 3 of his letter read above that the prohibition to keep more than 4 tins or 16 gallons of kerosine oil ~~with~~ in stock without a license is ~~too great a restriction~~ carrying restriction too far, ~~and~~ he considers that the limit should be ~~raised~~ fixed ~~to~~ 40 gallons, as ~~in~~ is the case ~~of~~ in Madras. The rate of fees for kerosine oil depôts sanctioned in G.O. dated 16th July 1894 no 900 M seems reasonable and the reduction proposed by the Council cannot in the absence of sufficient cause be approved. This point will be ~~referred~~ relegated ~~back~~ to them ~~for further consideration~~, together with the Collector's suggestions in para 2 of his letter touching the licensing of places for the storage of explosives, for further consider

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The Chairman M. C. Calicut

The Collector of Malabar. Approved 2/7/95 CHO

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NOTICE.

It is hereby notified that persons selling kerosine oil, by retail will not be allowed to keep more than 40 galls. or five cases on their premises either during day or night without license from the President of the Municipality.

Persons who store more than the above prescribed quantity in unlicensed places will be prosecuted for storing without license.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
MADRAS, 1st *April*, 1896. 5?

(Sd.) G. M. J. MOORE, LT.-COL.,
President, Municipal Commission.

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NOTE FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY.

Ask) Note the maximum amount of kerosene oil which persons are allowed to keep in their without a license.
29/5

40 gallons.
Please see notice attached
H.C. 7.VI

~~Have you any means of ascertaining this here? If not please send to Madras at once~~ 30.V.

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