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~~LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL~~

DEPARTMENT.

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 1038 M

~~FROM~~

THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
MADURA.

No.

ENCLOSURES ~~Three~~. 4 (one plan)

Dated } 5th March 1896.
Received }

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE
6 MAR 96
MADURA

No. 17

SUBJECT.

Submitting for the orders of Government copy of resolution of the Municipal Council, requesting sanction for exemption from the pay of ~~regarding the~~ water tax ~~assessment on~~ ~~future operation~~ certain villages within the Municipal limits, [illegible] not supplied with water.

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32 Genl 25-2-96
1915 Genl 11-95
1491 Genl 9-9-95
1436 Genl 4-9-95
1289 Genl 9-8-95
1561 Genl 24-9-91
93 Genl 2-2-88

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Submitted, with translation of the Tamil letter of the Municipal Council herein referred to.

J. Twigg.

Collector.

8.3.96

UNDER SECRETARY
8 MAR 96
PUBLIC & C DEPTS.

P.S. In answer to my enquiries the Chairman has informed me that the total water tax demand is Rs 25307.4.0: and that the tax remission of which is now proposed is Rs 672.0.0.

J. Twigg.

Madura } 27.3.96 } Collector.

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Local & Municipal
CURRENT No. 1038 M

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Municipal Office
Madura, 5th March 1896

No. 17

From,

M.R.Ry. K. Ramachandra Row Av. B.A.
Chairman, Municipal Council
Madura

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,
Madras.

Through The Collector of Madura

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a copy of resolution no: 29 of the Municipical Council, dated 28th January 1896, for the orders of Government. The resolution was based on a letter (copy enclosed) from Councillor M.R.Ry. Saiyid Gulam Ali Sahib Avergal; the reasons given by him are that the five villages in question are situated away from fountains and that they are situated on the bank of the Vaigai river. At a meeting presided by Mr. Fischer, the above resolution was passed with but one dissentient vote (of the Chairman).

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DEPARTMENT.

The reasons urged by the Councillor are good as far as they go but I may mention for the information of Government that there are several other places equally if not more distant from fountains (E.G. Mahalipatti the District Jail &c.). Water tax is being levied in these places. The Council has not only to repay the loan but has to meet also excess expenditure over the estimate. Attention is also invited to G. O no: 1915 M. Mis dated 20th November 1895 and the connected papers.

5. A Sketch shewing the situation of the villages is enclosed.

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

M Ramachandran
5 Mar
Chairman

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura, passed at the meeting held on the 28th January 1896.

29. Read proposal of Councillor M.R.Ry Saiyid Gulam Ali Sahib Avergal that Pellur, Shathaneri &c. 5 villages forming part of the 10th Ward be exempted from water tax for reasons stated therein.

Resolved that the water tax be not levied on the five villages as they are not within the reach of the Municipal water supply, and that the Government be addressed on the subject.

Chairman dissenting.

(Signed) R. Frischer
Chairman.

(True copy)

M Ramachandran
5 Mar
Chairman

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal [illegible] Madras [illegible] meeting held on the 26th January 1876

24. Read proposal of Councillor [illegible] Sayyid Sulaiman that the inhabitants of the 5 villages forming part of the [illegible] Ward be exempted from water tax [illegible] reasons stated therein.

Resolved that the water tax [illegible] levied on the five villages as they are not within the range of the Municipal water supply and that the Government be addressed on the subject.

Chairman dissenting.

(Signed) [illegible]
Chairman

True copy

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ENCLOSURE NO. 8

In a letter

FROM,

THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
MADURA.

No. 17
Dated 5th March 1896
No.

Copy of resolution of the Municipal Council No. 29 dated 28th January 1896.

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இந்த முனிசிபாலிடி 10 வது வார்டானது வில்லேஜ்களைச் சேர்த்து ஒரு வார்டாக ஏற்படுத்தப்பட்டிருக்கிறது. அந்த வார்டில் தத்தனேரி-1- செல்லூர்-1- திருவாப்புடையார் கோவில்-1- மதிச்சியம்-1- சாத்தமங்கலம்-1-. இதுகளுக்கு தண்ணீர்க்குழாயே போடப்படவில்லை. தவிரவும் அது கிராமங்கள் அதிக தொலையில் [illegible] இருக்கிறது. அப்படியிருக்க அதுகளுக்கு தண்ணீர் வரி போட [illegible] ஏற்படுவது ஜனங்களுக்கு மிகுந்த கஷ்டத்துக்கும் நிர்ப்பந்தங்களுக்கும் இடமாகிறது. ஆகையால் அந்த வரியைத் நீக்கப்பட வேண்டும்.

26. 12. 95.

(ஒப்பம்) [illegible]
கவுன்சிலர்.

(True copy)

Manachanan
3 Mar
Chairman

ENCLOSURE NO. 2.

In a letter

FROM,

THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
MADURA.

No. 17
Dated 5th March 1896
No.

Copy of the Councillor letter.

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Translation of letter dated 2[illegible]th December 1895 from Municipal Councillor Saiyid Gulam Ali Sahib to the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura.

The 10th ward of this Municipality is constituted of villages. In this ward the villages of 1. Thathaner 2. Sellur 3. Thiruvappadayar Kovil 4. Mathichyam 5. Suthamangalam are not supplied with water-taps. They are further situated on river-bank. Consequently it will be causing injustice and difficulty to the inhabitants of these villages to assess them to water-tax.

For Collector

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

189 , No.

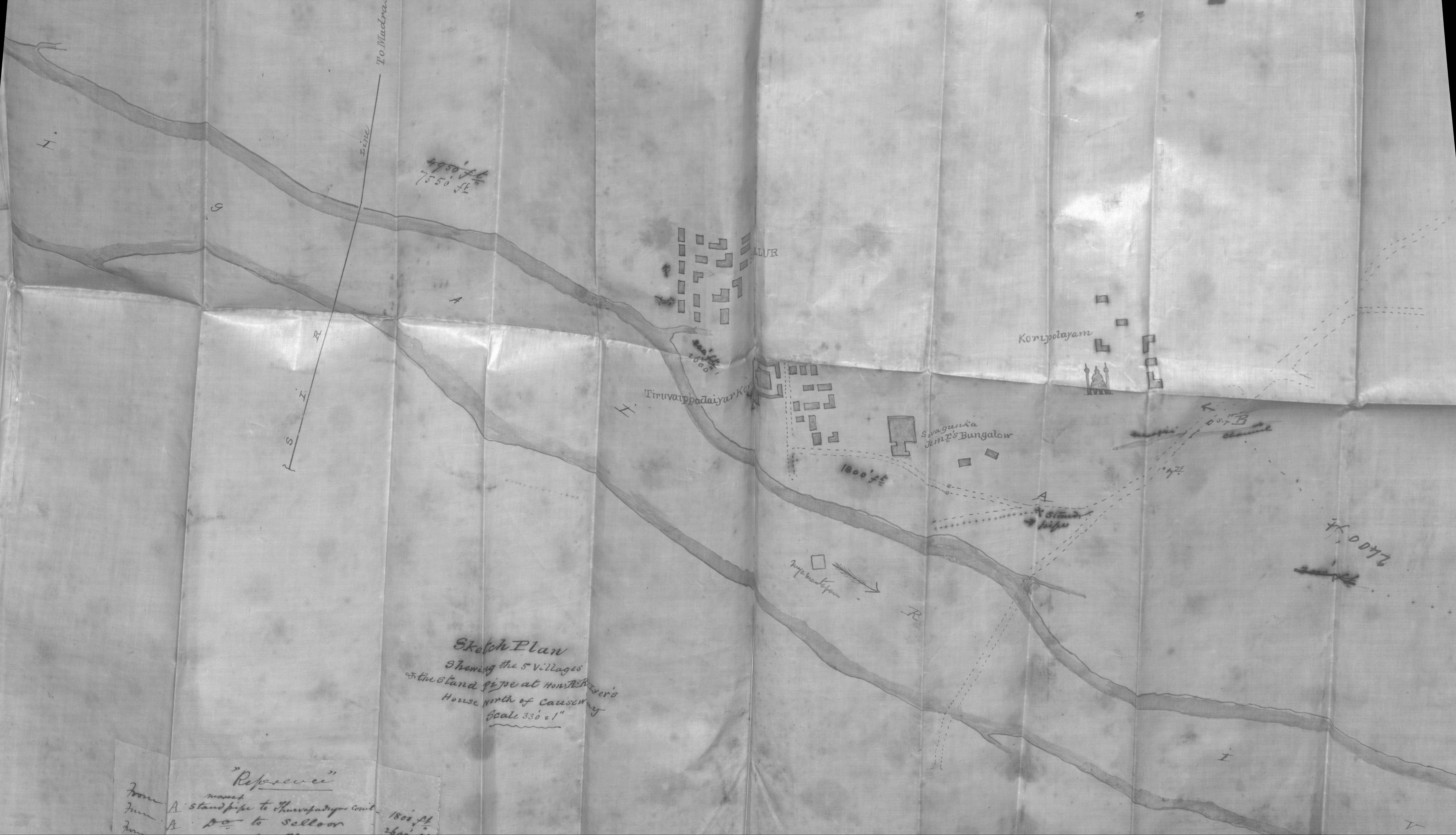
Again G.O., dated

Current No. 1038 M. of 1896, dated 5th March — from the Chairman, M.C. Madras.

Current No. of 189 , dated from the

FOR ORDERS.

The circumstances under which
the levy of the water-tax was ex-
-tended to all the buildings and
lands in the town will be found i
the notes and orders in G.Os N
1471 M. dated 9th September 1895 a
1915 M. dated 20th November 1895.
villages which it is now propos
to exempt from water-tax app
to be situated at a distance, v
-ing from 1,600 to 7,500 feet fro
nearest stand-pipes, but the f
that they are not supplied w
water is not in itself a suf
reason for claiming the exemp
as "the water rate is not an e
-valent for water supplied
-dividuals or specific premi
a rate to pay for what is a b
to the whole community." Vid
Henry Stokes' remarks in G.O
71 L, dated 19th January 1893.



Sketch Plan
Shewing the 5 Villages
& the Stand pipe at Hon: R. R. Iyer's
House North of Causeway
Scale 330' = 1"

"Reference"

From A nearest stand pipe to Thuruvapadiyar Covil – 1800 ft
From A Do. to Selloor 2600' "
From

ollector, however, states that the loss of revenue which would result if the exemption were granted will be only Rs 672.

V.R.
7/4/96

The water-supply scheme was financed on the supposition that water-tax wd. realize Rs 19,200, but the chairman now states that the total demand is Rs 25,307-4-, so that the loss of Rs 672 will not be much felt. The chief objection to exempting these villages is that other houses will also claim exemption, & it will be very hard to draw the line, unless the original order that houses ore than 150 yds from a hydrant hall be exempt, is restored (G.O. ny dt 2.2.88) According to the n [illegible] letter of 6.10.95 (in G.O. ad dt 20.11.95) the result of mpting houses more than 150 yds. m hydrant wd. be Rs 4262-8 ich would still leave the demand at 44-12, which exceeds the Rs 19,200 ially calculated. Submitted therefore t the present proposal can be tioned, & if further exemptions sked for, the question of the ds. rule can then be considered.

C.S.D.
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I submit that the

Just what I was going to say — Put the suggestion to the Mnl. Cl.

22/4/96

But course would be to assess all houses more than 150 yards from a hydrant at half rates. Houses which never get a drop of water and there will be at [illegible] not exempt and in Madras other houses nowhere near the water supply or hydrants have for years paid water rates.

I do not see why houses in [illegible] should be entirely exempted.

20/4/96

Order. No 729 Mun. dt 1-5-

The Govt. ~~does not consider~~ regrets that it cannot agree with the Munl. Council that it desirable to wholly exempt any houses from payment of water t but is of opinion that all bu & lands at a distance of more th 150 yds. from a hydrant should be assessed at only half rates. The M Council will therefore be requested reconsider its resolution No. 29. 28.1.96 with a view to adopting suggestion. ~~& to state whether it willing to adopt the above sugge~~

(from orders)

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W.W.S.
23.4.96.

To
the Chairman, M.C. Madura. ✓

Despd. 6/5/96

C. F. 73—580,091—30-10-28.

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Levy of water-tax

Madura municipality.

From

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