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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From M.R.Ry. P. KRISHNA RAO, Avargal, B.A., B.L., President, Taluk Board, Cuddalore, to the President, District Board, South Arcot, dated Cuddalore, 14th July 1893, No. 338.

I have the honour to request that the sanction of Government may be obtained for the formation of a union at Nellikuppam, comprising the villages mentioned in the margin. The union will be a major union, and the taluk board has resolved to levy house-tax at half the scheduled rates.

1. Sholavalli.
2. Kilpattambakkam.
3. Nellikuppam.
4. Portion of Melpatti known as Morai with the houses attached to the factory as southern boundary.
5. Tulukapalam, hamlet of Kilpatti.

2. Of the villages mentioned in the margin, Nellikuppam and Sholavalli are big villages, the residents of which carry on a fair amount of trade. There are several streets which require improvement and the conservancy establishment will also have to be strengthened and lights put up. This the taluk board is hardly able to do, and it has therefore proposed the introduction of house-tax.

3. The taluk board proposes to establish and work the union from 1st October next, and the number of members for the union may be fixed at 11.

4. A copy of the taluk board's resolutions on this subject is enclosed, together with the sketch, &c., required by Government memorandum, dated 4th June 1890, No. 317.

ENCLOSURES.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Taluk Board, Cuddalore, passed at a meeting held at Cuddalore on the 28th April 1893.

No. 4. Read letter, dated 3rd April 1893, Mis. No. 186, from the President, District Board, requesting that the question of making a union either at Nellikuppam or Kurinjipadi should be put before the taluk board and opinion taken on the matter.

Resolution.—The Board is of opinion that a union may be formed at Nellikuppam. The question of which villages should be included in the union will be considered at the next meeting.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Taluk Board, Cuddalore, passed at a meeting held at Cuddalore on the 17th June 1893.

No. 8. Read taluk board resolution, dated 28th April 1893, No. 4, resolving that a union may be formed at Nellikuppam and that the question about the villages which should form the union will be considered at the next meeting.
And also resolution, dated 29th May 1893, No. 7.

Resolution.—Resolved that Sholavalli, Kilpattambakkam, Nellikuppam, portion of Melpatti known as Morai with the houses attached to the factory as the southern boundary, and Tulukapalam of Kilpatti, be included in the proposed union.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Taluk Board, Cuddalore, passed at a meeting held at Cuddalore on the 1st July 1893.

No. 7. Read memorandum, dated 27th June 1893, of the President, taluk board, proposing that 1st October 1893 may be fixed as the date on which Nellikuppam, &c., villages be constituted into a union and that house-tax be levied there at half the scheduled rates.

Resolution.—The board approve of the President's proposals of the constitution of the union from the 1st October and the levy of the house-tax at half the scheduled rates.

Pre. R. No. 391—93.

Submitted to Government for sanction, with a copy of the district board's resolution, dated 29th July 1893, No. 25.

CUDDALORE,
2nd August 1893.

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
President.

ENCLOSURE.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the District Board, South Arcot, passed at a meeting held on the 29th July 1893.

No. 25. Read letter from the President, Taluk Board, Cuddalore, dated 14th instant, No. 338, requesting that Government may be moved to sanction the formation of a union at Nellikuppam from 1st October next, and the levy of house-tax at half the scheduled rates in that union.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

From M. HAMMICK, Esq., President, District Board, South Arcot, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Cuddalore, 23rd October 1893, Ref. on Regr. No. 518-Pre.

With reference to memorandum, dated 25th August 1893, No. 575, I have the honour to enclose, for the information of Government, a copy of the Cuddalore Taluk Board President's letter, dated 25th September 1893, No. 469. The whole villages may well be included in the new union.

ENCLOSURE.

From M.R.Ry. P. KRISHNA RAO, B.A., B.L., President, Taluk Board, Cuddalore, to the President, District Board, South Arcot, dated 25th September 1893, No. 469.

With reference to your endorsement, dated 29th August 1893, on Government memorandum (herewith returned), dated 25th August 1893, No. 575, I have the honour to report that Tulukapalam and Morai, hamlets of Kilpatti and Melpatti, respectively, had never separate headmen or munsifs of their own so as to constitute separate revenue entities. In recommending their inclusion in the union of Nellikuppam, I thought that hamlets or portions of villages might be included or excluded under special circumstances as the Government apparently approved of Vriddhachalam taluk board's resolution to exclude the Komanandi street from Mannargudi union—vide G.O., dated 9th April 1892, No. 876 L.

2. It was thought that inclusion of the whole villages of Kilpatti and Melpatti would be inconvenient and the inclusion of the thickly-populated hamlets of Tulukapalam and Morai, which adjoin Sholavalli and Nellikuppam, was sufficient. If the hamlets alone cannot be included in the union, I now recommend that the entire villages of Melpatti and Kilpatti may be included in the union. The sanction of the taluk board will be obtained at its next meeting and submitted.

3. The Cuddalore Tahsildar's arzi, dated 19th September 1893, No. 4056, is herewith submitted.

ORDER—dated 9th November 1893, No. 2510 L., Local and Municipal.

The proposal to constitute the Nellikuppam union and the imposition of house-tax therein at half the maximum rates from 1st April 1894 are approved, and the following notification will be published in the Fort St. George and South Arcot District Gazettes. It is understood that the sites of the main villages of Kilpatti and Melpatti are within the prescribed distance of the union centres. The distances given in the list are those of the hamlets of Morai and Tulukapalam:—

NOTIFICATION.

Under sections 6 and 122 of Act V (The Madras Local Boards Act) of 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages of Nellikuppam, Kilpattambakkam, Kilpatti, Melpatti and Sholavalli, in the Cuddalore taluk, shall be a union for the purposes of the said Act, and to direct that the provisions of the said Act regarding panchayats shall come into force in the said union from the date of this notification and that the maximum number of members to be appointed for the panchayat of the said union shall be, for the time being, 11.

2. The usual draft notification should have been submitted by the President.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the President, District Board, South Arcot.

„ Collector of South Arcot.
„ Director of Public Instruction.
„ Accountant-General.
„ Surgeon-General.
„ Sanitary Commissioner.
„ Sanitary Engineer.
„ Superintendent, Government Press.

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Union.

Ordering the publication in the Fort St. George and South Arcot District Gazettes of a notification constituting Nellikuppam and certain other villages into a —, and approving the levy of house-tax therein at half the maximum rates from 1st April next.