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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 1837.M.

Recd *Order* *No. 1130 M. Mis 923-6-98*

From The President,
Municipal Commission
Madras.

The point will be noted
for consideration when the act is
next amended.

G. No. 101

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Dated 31st May 1898

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding extract from the
proceedings of a general
meeting of the Commission
held on 27th May 1898, re
amendment of section 67
of Act I of 1884 by sub-
stituting 8 for 7.

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The President, Munl Comm.
supd. 17/6/98 Madras

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Extract referred to.

M.R.Ry. M. K. Lakshmana Charlar Avergal proposed the resolution of which he had given notice seconded by Mr. J. DeCaster to the effect that Government be moved to amend Section 67 of Act I of 1884 as amended by Act II of 1892 by substituting 8 for 7. One member to be elected from each Division.

Carried.

G. No. 101

MUNICIPALITY OF MADRAS,

General Department,

Madras, 31 May 1890.

From

LIEUT.-COL. SIR GEORGE MOORE, KT., C. I. E.,
President, Municipal Commission.

To



Local and Municipal Department,
Fort St. George.

SIR,

Enclosure.

*Please see para
2 (b) of the G.O. &
also the sketch
on page 6 -*

In forwarding the accompanying extract from the
Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Commissioners held
on 27th May 1898, I have the honour to refer to G.O. No.
1240 M. Local and Municipal, dated 1st November 1888.

2. It is unnecessary for me to offer any re-
marks at present as the resolution will doubtless be con-
sidered with others when the existing act is revised.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Geo Moore Lieut.-Col.

President, M. M. C.

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250-18-2-98.

C. No. 1837m.

SUBJECT.

Amendment of section 67 of the
City of Madras Municipal Act.FOR ORDERS.

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Under section 67 of the City of Madras Municipal Act I of 1884, as amended by Act VII of 1884, the Standing Committee consisted of the President, two Vice-Presidents, and five members to be elected by the municipal commissioners from among their number. When the question of amending this act was under consideration, the municipal commissioners suggested that the number of members of the Standing Committee to be elected, should be increased from five to eight and the Government approved this proposal. But the Select Committee which sat on the Bill which was passed into Act II of 1892 (an act to amend Acts I and VII of 1884) did

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vide page 6 of the Tabular statement in
G.O. No 1240-m.
1-11-88.

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not approve this proposal, observing as follows:—

"Among the proposals originating with the Commissioners, and approved in a modified form by Government, is one to increase the size of the Standing Committee. That body, consists at present of the President, the two Vice-Presidents and five non-official Commissioners. It is now proposed to raise the strength to nine, namely, the President and eight nonofficial members. We are unable to see any reason for this increase; on the contrary, seeing that the whole commission has been itself reduced in numbers, a reduction in the Standing Committee also would seem more natural. We have therefore left the Standing Committee unaltered in numbers and it will now consist of the President and seven non-official members; this we have done the more readily that the commissioners in the first instance proposed that the Standing Committee should contain eight non-official members on the understanding

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that it would also contain four official members; but as the President will in future be the only official on the Committee, it is obvious that no such overwhelming majority of nonofficials is required."

This recommendation of the Select Committee was accepted and section 67 of the Act was altered accordingly.

2. The present proposal is to increase the number of Commissioners on the Standing Committee from seven to eight, so that one Commissioner may be elected from each Division. The words underlined seem to imply that the member for each Division should be elected from among the Commissioners for that Division. This proposal seems to be reasonable and may be noted for consideration when the Act is amended.

3. The draft order on the current is submitted for approval.

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from each division. The increase
is said to imply that the number
for each division should be eight
from among the Commissioners
that division. This proposal
be reasonable and may be well
consideration when the Act is
The draft order on this
is submitted for approval.

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