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Marine DEPARTMENT.

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11TH NOVEMBER 1884, MIS. NO. 496, MARINE.

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Copy forwarded to—

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The Chief Commissioner, British Burma,

In continuation of Marine Department No. 716, dated the 5th July 1884, for information and necessary action.

The Director of the Indian Marine for information.

(By order.)

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Offg. Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

11TH NOVEMBER 1884, MIS. NO. 496, MARINE.

ORDER—dated 11th November 1884, Mis. No. 496, Marine.

Communicated to the Master Attendant, in continuation of G.O., No. 349, 5th August 1884.

(True Extract.)

E. F. WEBSTER,
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