

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1291	<u>Press</u> <u>Mis.</u>
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. REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India (Legislative), to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated India Office, London, 25th May 1861, No. 1 :—

SIR,

1. Your letter dated 25th January (No. 17) 1861, in the Revenue Department, on the subject of the repeal of Regulation XIX of 1810 of the Bengal Code, and Regulation VII of 1817 of the Madras Code, relating to the general superintendence of endowments for the support of Mosques and Temples by the Revenue Officers of Government, has been considered by me in Council.

2. In reply I have to state that I adhere to the opinion expressed in former Despatches, to the effect that the existing enactments on the subject should be repealed, and the entire superintendence of the institutions be transferred to their respective Trustees, care being taken, that such a course of procedure is provided as will enable individuals who complain of malversation to bring their case fully before a Court of Justice.

ORDER THEREON, 28th June 1861, No. 1,291.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Legislative
Dept.

India Office
London 25 May 1861.

Sir,

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dated 25th January
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Letter to Lt St George

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Received the 22nd June 1861
Wm. Mitchell