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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
23rd August 1866.*

No. 509. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the  
Revenue Department:—

Making certain arrangements for the acquisition  
of the land required for the supply and delivery  
channels connected with the Madras Water } (Here enter 17th August 1866, No. 2,121.)  
Supply Project.

No. 510. ORDER THEREON, 23rd August 1866, No. 2,665.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 70.

Communicated to Mr. W. Fraser,  
Executive Engineer, for information  
and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,  
*Secretary to Government.*

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.  
,, W. Fraser Esq., C. E., Executive Engineer.

**Ed. S. T. Augustin.**

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,*  
*17th August 1866.*

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No. 448. Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Sydapet, 11th August 1866, No. 155:—

I have the honor to forward a Memorandum shewing, according to the provisions of Section XXXIII. of Act VI. of 1857, the general direction of the line that will be taken by the "Madras Water Works" about to be commenced under Government Order No. 1,861, dated 25th ultimo, and to request the issue of the declaration required by Section II. of the Act.

*Memorandum of the land which will probably be required for the supply and delivery of channels from Cortilliar River to Madras, in connection with the Madras Water Works.*

Commencing at Madras, the delivery channel passes in a westerly direction, through the Spur Tank to MacNicol's road, which it crosses at the culvert over the old supply channel from the Kuam.

Thence it follows the line of the old supply channel to the village of Aminjakarai, through which it passes to the Poonamallee road, near the small Pagoda in the same village.

From the Poonamallee road the line of channel runs in a north-west direction to the Red Hill Lake, through the following villages:—Aminjakarai, crossing the bed of the tank; Peria-gudall, Mullam, crossing the Wotairy nulla on the west of the old bund; Aiyena Verrum, crossing the Railway near the village of Kunnur; Kunnur and Surrupidu, crossing the Surrupidu tank, and thence to the Red Hill Lake.

The breadth of land required for this portion of the channel will vary from seventy to one hundred feet.

The line of the supply channel between the Red Hill Lake and Cholavaram Lake is as follows:—

It enters the Red Hill Lake at its north end, about two or three hundred yards to the west of the village of Narravarrakuppam; thence runs in a north-west direction through the lands of Narravarrakuppam, Attantangal, Vijejanallur, and Nallur, joining Cholavaram lake at the south end of the present bund.

The line of channel between Cholavaram Lake and the Cortilliar is as follows:—

It joins Cholavaram lake at its north end, and thence runs in a westerly direction through the villages of Alamady, following the line of the old supply channel, Yerumai Vittupalliam, Pudukuppam, Alacharai, crossing the Tankal, Singlikuppam, crossing the Boosykal north of the village; Boosy Atipet passing north of the village; Kooluvully, Kalamy, Magaral, Tamarrapakkum, and thence through Averipakkam and Tamarrapakkum valley to the Cortilliar river.

The breadth of land required for the channel from the Cortilliar to the Red Hill Lake will vary from 120 feet to 200 feet.

There will also be required for the diversions of the Katankal and Boosykal drainage streams, land in the following villages:—

For the Katankal diversion about 200 yards in length and about 100 feet in breadth in the village of Magaral.

For the diversion of the Boosykal about 900 yards in length and 100 feet in breadth in the village of Boosy Atipet.

The line of diversion runs on the west side of the chuttrum and village of Boosy Atipet.

For the site of the proposed dam across the Cortilliar a small quantity of land will be required in the village of Averipakkam on the south, and the village of Pinnapakkum on the north side of the river.

The site of the dam is about 800 yards to the west of Tamarrapakkum Covil.

10th August 1866.

(Signed) W. FRASER.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. R. COCKERELL,  
Acting Collector.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
17th August 1866.*

No. 449. ORDER THEREON, 17th August 1866, No. 2,121.

**Land Revenue.**

1. The Governor in Council directs that the following Declaration be made and recorded under Section II. of Act VI. of 1857:—

“Whereas certain land in the Madras District extending in a westerly and north-westerly direction from the Spur Tank at Madras to the Cortilliar river, of an average breadth of 175 feet, is required for a channel, the Governor in Council in exercise of the authority vested in him by the provisions of Act VI. of 1857, does hereby declare the said land to be land required for a public purpose.”

2. The Governor in Council also resolves, under Section III. of the said Act, to direct Mr. J. R. Cockerell, Acting Collector of the Madras District, to take the necessary measures for the acquisition of the said land, and to adjust the claims to compensation on account of it in the manner provided by the Act.

3. The description of the land required for the three diversions mentioned at the close of Mr. Fraser's Memorandum is not sufficient to meet the requirements of the Act. A revised description will therefore be forwarded by the Acting Collector.

(True Extract.)



*Secretary to Government.*

To the Collector of Madras.  
„ the Board of Revenue.  
„ the Public Works Department.

Dr J. B. De la  
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connected with the above this  
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