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BOARD OF REVENUE (LAND REVENUE), 11TH JULY 1891, No. 416.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

THE HON. MR. H. W. BLISS.
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READ—the following Government Order, dated 2nd June 1891, Mis. No. 3235, Revenue:—

Read—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 11th March 1891 No. 155.

ABSTRACT.—Amending Standing Order No. 248 (Old Edition) on the subject of land-holding by Uncovenanted servants.

Order—dated 2nd June 1891, Mis. No. 3235, Revenue.

Recorded with the following remarks:—

(1) *Paragraph 4 of the Standing Order.*—The prohibition against purchase at Revenue or Court sales should extend to the whole of the district—*vide* paragraph 4 of the rules appended to Government Order, dated 12th June 1890, No. 426, Public Department.

(2) *Paragraph 8.*—As Deputy Collectors are appointed and transferred by Government extracts from the registers maintained should be transmitted to the Government Office for record to prevent Deputy Collectors being posted to districts in which they hold land, and the lists of persons recommended for the post of Deputy Collector should also specify particulars of the land held by them.

(3) The form of register adopted by the Board differs from that prescribed in Government Order, dated 12th June 1890, No. 426. It will be considered in the Public Department whether the Board's form may be accepted in lieu of that prescribed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioners of Land Revenue.
„ Public Department.

RESOLUTION—dated 11th July 1891, No. 416.

Standing Order No. 248 will be amended with reference to the remarks made by Government and reissued as an appendix to these Proceedings.

2. Collectors are requested to open a fresh column in the form circulated with Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd April 1869, No. 2775, to show particulars of the land held by persons recommended for the post of Deputy Collector.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. A. SIM,
Acting Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. CLARK,
Registrar.

To all Collectors.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

APPENDIX

Revised Standing Order.

248. Uncovenanted Servants holding lands.—No Deputy Collector will be allowed to hold (except in cases of lands previously acquired about which the orders of Government will be taken) or to acquire by purchase, bargain, mortgage, transfer or by any other means, directly or indirectly, any landed property, or interest in any landed property, within the district in which he may be employed.

2. Collectors' Sheristadars are forbidden to hold land other than ancestral land already acquired, or to acquire land, in the districts in which they are employed.

3. Officers of the grade of Tahsildar or Sub-Magistrate or Taluk Sheristadar exercising the powers of a Sub-Magistrate are forbidden to hold or acquire lands within the limits of the taluk in which they are employed.

4. Revenue and Magisterial servants above the grade of peon and other than village officers are prohibited from purchasing directly or indirectly any kind of property, moveable or otherwise, at sales on account of Government dues or under the orders of a Court within the districts in which they are for the time being employed.

5. Large purchases of land by Uncovenanted officers made with a view to agricultural profit under the Waste Land Rules or otherwise will not in any case be permitted.

6. With the exception of the prohibitions given above, and on the fulfilment of certain conditions as shown below, Uncovenanted servants of Government are permitted to hold and acquire lands.

7. Every Uncovenanted servant on the establishments under the Collector above the grade of peon must, on the 15th January of each year, give in a statement in the form given in the appendix, showing all land purchased or otherwise acquired by him up to date, whether within or without the district in which he is employed, with a declaration at foot duly signed by him to the effect that it truly represents all the landed property possessed by him, or in which he is in any way interested, both in the district in which he is serving and elsewhere. All public servants are hereby warned of the heavy penalty attached to any omission on their part to give full and correct information on this point (see paragraph 14). The newly-purchased lands are not to be transferred to the names of purchasers in the village and district registers until the selling parties have presented the usual deed of assent or razinama to one of the Covenanted Revenue officers of the district. The particulars required to be furnished in this paragraph should embrace all immoveable property acquired or registered in the name of, or held or managed by, the wife of the officer making the statement, or by any other member of his family living with or in any other way dependent on him.

8. The particulars regarding landed property furnished under paragraph 7 shall, in the case of Deputy Collectors, be duly entered year by year in registers to be maintained in the Collector's office. These registers shall be kept in the form given in the appendix. As Deputy Collectors are appointed and transferred by Government, extracts from the registers so maintained should be transmitted to Government for record to prevent Deputy Collectors being posted to districts in which they hold land. In the list of persons recommended by Collectors for the post of Deputy Collectors, particulars of lands held by such persons should be given. In the case of every other Uncovenanted officer, the particulars shall be embodied in a statement in similar form, which will be attached to his service register, every entry or alteration therein being duly attested by the head of his office. The procedure herein laid down applies also to the returns furnished under paragraphs 9, 10 and 11.

9. When Uncovenanted servants as above specified become possessed of land, or of an interest in land within their jurisdiction by individual inheritance, or as members of a family, or when they are transferred to districts in which they already own land, they will immediately, upon such property devolving upon them, communicate all particulars respecting it to the Collector, with a declaration as to their truthfulness.

10. When persons holding land, or having any interest in land, are appointed Deputy Collectors, or are appointed to situations in a Collector's or Magistrate's Huzur or Taluk establishment, they will immediately, upon such appointment, communicate to the Collector all necessary particulars of such landed interests, with a declaration as to their truthfulness.

11. Candidates for appointments must submit similar declaration of interest in land with their applications on pain of summary rejection; and where the appointments have to be made by Government or confirmed by the Board, all nominations or recommendations will state whether the person nominated or recommended is possessed of landed property, and in what locality.

12. Deputy Collectors and Revenue and Magisterial servants, who, under the conditions above given, may acquire or retain lands or interest in lands, must not under any circumstances take a direct part in the cultivation of such lands. No portion of that time and attention which ought to be devoted to their public duties may be applied to the management of such property, nor will longer or more frequent leave of absence be allowed to them on that account. It will be the duty of Collectors to make such arrangements as shall, as far as possible, prevent the employment of Revenue and Magisterial subordinate officers in the taluk within which their lands may be situated, or in such appointments as may enable them to interfere in the management of those lands. This rule applies also to the management of landed property held or administered by the wife of the officer or by any other member of his family living with or in any way dependent on him.

13. When a village officer purchases land at a sale on account of Government dues, the name of his office is to be exhibited in Forms 9 and 10 under Act II of 1864.

14. Failure to make the returns prescribed in paragraphs 7, 9 and 10 and in the manner therein laid down, or the making of delusive entries therein, will render the individual liable to immediate dismissal from the public service.

15. In the case of Deputy Collectors a copy of the register of lands held by them will be maintained in the Board's office. The information necessary to maintain this register should be furnished by each Collector to the Board every year before the 1st March. The Collectors should also report in their jamabandi reports the number of public servants who have acquired land during the fasli, the extent acquired, and such other important particulars as may seem necessary. The information may be furnished in an abstract statement.

16. The previous consent of the Collector is not necessary to enable a servant to purchase or acquire landed property where it may be admissible for him to do so under these rules.

17. The prohibitions contained in these rules will not be held to apply to houses and grounds taken up for ordinary dwelling purposes, nor to public topes planted under the tope rules. But the cultivation on lands held as appurtenances to buildings for residence, of cinchona, tea, or other products, which have a commercial value, for purposes of profit (except so far as prospective profit may arise from an increase to the probable value of the estate owing to such cultivation) is strictly prohibited, as is also the sale, whether public or private, of any produce of such lands.

18. These rules should be made generally known throughout the districts. They should be occasionally published in the District Gazettes, and copies of them with translations should be posted up in the Revenue offices.

FORM.

Statement of lands acquired and relinquished by public servants before and after entering the service.

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
Secretary.

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