

*Bantouments
Boundaries*

No. 289 M. W.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 5th November 1895.

It is requested that the
above heading, with number
and date of this communica-
tion, may be quoted in any
subsequent correspondence on
this subject.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Public Works ~~Military~~ Department.

SIR,

I am directed to forward the letter
No. 1803 M dated 21st October 1895 } noted in the margin, from the Lieute-
nant General commanding the Forces, }
Madras, regarding the revision of the }
boundaries of the Malapuram bantou- }
ment, and to request that the Govern- }
ment of India may be favored with }
any remarks His Excellency the Governor }
in Council may desire to offer on the }
subject.

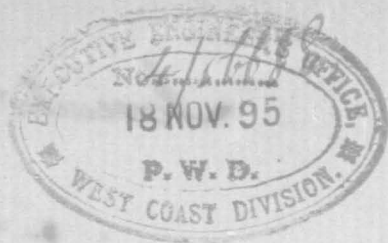
I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Mun Datta

Secy to the Government of India *Capt W. R. L.*



Recd: 17.11.95

Re: 4⁺

(+ plan)

No. 3411 Col/11 - November 1895

Deferred to the
Suptg. Engineers IV
Circle for favour
of very early report
whether any remarks
are necessary with
respect to the revised
boundaries.

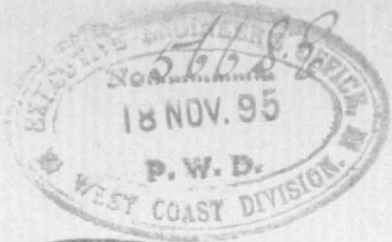
Yours -
Col H. G.
Secy. to Govt P.W.D.

C.H.S.
11/11/95

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Yr 2625/95

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Serial No. 3299795

1895	1896
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.	REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
Enclosure No. 5	Enclosure No. 2
Current No. 8729	Current No. 174



No 460 d/21-11-95
W

Submitted to the Chief
Engineer P. W. D. with
reference to his No 3411C
dated 11th Novr 1895.

Wmman

Supg Eng & Circle.

Encl: 4

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Enclosure No.

Current No. 174

No 520^A d/14-11-95
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Forwarded to the Executive
Engineer, West Coast
Division for very early
compliance.

Wmman

Supg. Engineer & Circle

Encl: 4.

(To be returned)

No 531 S.E. Encl: 4 + 1
18-11-95

Returned to the ^{Planning} Superintending
Engineer IV Circle, with the
remarks that the new bound-
aries differ considerably
& not slightly from the old
boundaries. It is presumed
that the Revenue Department
have settled that all the land
within the ^{new} boundaries now
belongs to Government, the
Collector (Mr. Probst) having
gone into the matter.

Wmman O'Connell
Executive Engineer

Current Number 8429
2 Nov 12
Government of Madras.
1895.

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT No.

From The Supt. Engineer
1st file

No. 460 W.

ENCLOS. 5.

Dated 21.11.95

Received 23.11.95

Read 28-11-95

SUBJECT.

Revision of the boundaries
of the Malapouram Cantonment.

Submitting remarks on the
letter from the Lieut. Col. Com-
manding the Forces, Madras,
regarding the —

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1895
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
27-2,000-38,355.
Enclosure No. 11
Current No. 11
CURRENT NO.

P. W. CURRENT No. 9240

DISPOSAL.

Recd: 23.11.95

ru: 5

No. dated 2625
BOARD'S GOVT. REG. NO. 262 OF 18
LAND REVENUE.

No. 36970 of 27-11-1895

Referred to the
Revenue Department
with advertisement to
the Executive Engineer's
remarks.

Referred to the
Secretary to Govt
M.D.

BOARD OF REVENUE
5 DEC 95
MADRAS.

Dist

21/12

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
28 NOV 95

Endorsement No 1962-
Encs: 6

Referred to the
Board of Revenue for early
remarks

And Davidson

20 Under Secy to Govt
For Lt Col George J
22 Nov 1895
Dec 1895

28.11.95
The Board of Rev: Land Rev:

Malabar Collector's Office,
Calicut 13th December 1895.

A. F. Pirhey Esquire
Ag. Sub. Collector, in charge.

The Secretary to the Commission
Land Revenue,
Madras.

Sir,

Adverting to the Board's reference dated
7th December 1895, on general Register No. 2625 of 1895,
I have the honor to state that on the 10th June
last, a Committee consisting of the Officer Com-
manding, Malapouram, the Collector (Mr. Aldaby)
and the Executive Engineer, West Coast Division,
Assembled at Malapouram, under instructions
from the Military Department, to verify and
determine the boundaries of the Cantonment
at that station. Copies of the Proceedings of
the Committee and of a letter dated 22nd
July 1895 from Mr. Aldaby to the Quarter
Master General, are herewith submitted.
It will be seen from the latter that it was

at Mr. Hobaly's suggestion that the Military Authorities have resolved to formally revise the boundaries of the Cantonment.

2. A tracing comparing the boundaries of the present Cantonment with those notified in 1882 is enclosed, and the papers received with the Board's reference are herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,

Sr,

Your most obedient Servant

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Ag. Sub. Collector in Charge

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1896
REVENUE DEPARTMENT
Enclosure No. 2
To C. Secy. 17th.

Malabar Collector's Office,

Proceedings of a Committee assembled at Malap-
poram on the 10th June 1895 by order of Captain
F. G. Todd Thornton, Commanding Malapporam
for the purpose of verifying and determining
the Cantonment boundaries in accordance
with description in Extract from the Fort Saint
George Gazette dated 28th December 1882.

President

Captain F. G. Todd Thornton 1 Dorset Regt.

Members

1. Mr. Hobaly Esquire, Asst. District Officer, Malabar District.

4. H. O. Connell Esquire, Executive Engineer P. W. D.

The Committee being assembled pursuant
to order, proceeded to examine a plan scale 24"
to 1 mile rendered by the Executive Engineer dated
7-6-94 showing the Cantonment boundaries
as at present existing. The Extract from the
Fort Saint George Gazette shows 20 marks cut
in rocks, these can in some instances ^{still} be traced
and it would appear that the present 68
boundary stones embraced the land enclosed
with the original 20 marks with the addition
of the land since acquired by Government.

The 68 boundary pillars have been verified
and found correct and to agree with the plan
before.

before mentioned.

The Committee beg to point out that as the instructions (No. 23 dated 19-7-92) direct the meetings of Committees only after the lands have been handed over to the Military Department by the Civil Authorities, it appears that as there was no record to show that any lands were so handed over a necessary condition precedent to the meeting of the Committee was absent. They therefore considered that they had no power to act.

The Committee would suggest that the land owned by the proprietor of the plot marked "Bazaar" and numbered 69-70-71-72 should be acquired by Government as it would then appear that all the land within the present Cantonment limits would be the property of Government.

(Signed) F. J. Thornton Capt
Comd Malapouram

I sign this with the remark that even if the Bazaar is acquired, I am not certain that all the land within the present boundary stones will belong to Government.

(Signed) H. Moberly Esquire
as Director

(True copy)

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT
Encl. No. 1
To the
To the

For as Sub-Director in Charge.

Malabar Collector's Office,
Calicut 22nd July 1855.

From,

H. Moberly Esquire
as Director of Malabar.

The Quarter Master General.
Madras Army,
Ootacamund

Sir,

Whilst at Malapouram last month, I endeavoured to compare the boundaries of the present Cantonment (so-called) at Malapouram with the boundary of the Cantonment as notified in the Fort Saint George Gazette of 22nd February 1852. As I was able to identify some of the boundary marks of 1852, I asked the Executive Engineer, West Coast Division to prepare a map comparing the boundary of the Cantonment of 1852 with the boundary of the present so-called Cantonment and this he has kindly done.

2. In the accompanying map the dotted red line denotes the boundary of 1852, whilst the blue line denotes the present boundary. The land between the present boundary from stone No. 40 to stones 60, 1, 2 and 3 and the old boundary is, I understand, Government property having been recently acquired. From 6 to the new boundary falls within the old boundary.

from stone 11 to stone 29 the new boundary is outside the old boundary; and it is doubtful whether the intervening land does belong to Government. The land within the boundary from stones 29 to 40 belongs to Government, with the exception of the block of building bounded by stones 69-72 which it is proposed to acquire under the Land Acquisition Act.

3. I have the honor to recommend that all the land within the Eastern boundary stones 1-68 be declared a Cantonment under the Cantonments Act, as there is no doubt that most of the land belongs to Government.

I have the honor to
(Signed) H. Moberly
Ag. Collector

(True Copy)

For Ag. Sub-Collector in Charge

Dist. J. 13/12

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, dated 6th January 1896, No. 37 Mis. on the following:-

(1). Endorsement of the Revenue Department, d/ 2nd December 1895, No. 1962 R., referring to the Board of Revenue for early remarks Endorsement of the Public Works Department, d/ 27th November 1895, No. 3697 C.; and the following reference thereon d/ 7th December 1895:-

Referred to the Collector of Malabar for early remarks.

(2). Letter from A. F. Pinhey Esq., Ag. Sub-Collector in charge, Malabar, d/ 13th December 1895, No. 2245/P.

Resolution.

Submitted to Government with reference to its Endorsement No. 1962 dated 2nd December 1895.

2. The Board sees no objection to Mr. Moberly's recommendation.

Order thereon, dated 21st January 1896, No. 269 Mis.

The papers read above will be transferred to the Public Works Department with the intimation that there appeared to be no objection to the issue of the proposed notification.

2. As regards the remarks contained in the Executive Engineer's Endorsement No. 531 S.E. dated 18th November 1895, it is observed that the Cantonments Act does not require that all the lands within the limits of a cantonment should be Government property.

(True Extract.)

David Davidson

Ag. Under Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department (with enclosures).

" Board of Revenue, Land Revenue.

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Govt. of {1896} Madras.
REVENUE.

To
The Public Works Dept.

Dated
Recd. } Encl.

Mis. G.O., 21st Jan'y: 1896, No. 269.

SUBJECT.

Transferring with remarks to the
P. W. D. papers re: the issue of a
revised notification giving the
boundary of the Malapuram Cantonment in the Malabar M.

Encls 10 (1 Malabar)
Decr. 24. 1. 96.

No. 34112 of 11-12-95
" 36972 of 27-11-95

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P. W. Dept.

To

The Secretary to the
Government of India
Military Dept.

Sir,

In returning the
four enclosures of your
letter No 2879 m. W of 5th
November 195, regarding
the revision of the bound-
aries of the Malapuram
Cantonment, I am directed
to forward copies of corres-
pondence on the subject,
received from the Suptg:
Engineer IV. Circle and the
Revenue Dept: and to
state that H. E. the Govern-
- in

Suptg: Engr's endg:
No 460 W of 21-11-95.

Pres: Rev: Dept: No 269. m. W:
of 21-1-96, with 3 enclos.

- in. Council has no
objection to the publica-
-tion of the proposed
notification.

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Committee of the Local
Government

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No 472 of 6th Feb 1896

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