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Government of Madras.

Political DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Political Department,
from 13th to 19th August 1859.*

No. 13. Read the following letter from H. FORBES, Esq., Member of the Legislative Council; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, the 25th July 1859.

I have the honor to forward, for any orders the Government may be pleased to pass upon it, a copy of a Petition presented to the Legislative Council by Narain Doss Gopaul Doss of Madras.

2. The matter of this Petition is not one calling for the interference of the Legislature; the Act against which Petitioner complains contained no new provision of Law but explained what had been the meaning and intention of the Council, in the enactment of a previous Law.

3. It is certainly not the intention of the Legislative Council to alter in any way either Act XXX of 1858, or Act XVI of 1859. It will be for the Government, not for the Council, to determine whether, if Petitioner's representations should be true, he has any claim to be re-im-bursed any expence he may have incurred under an erroneous reading of the Law.

No. 14. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1859, No. 501.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and its enclosure be forwarded for the report of the Government Solicitor.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Order thereon. 18 August 1859. N. 501.

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- be forwarded for the
report of the Genl. Solicitor.

J.P.

To the Genl. Solicitor }
with the Petition } Sep-20