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or commissioned military officer, the political
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Export of Arms and Ammunition to Native States.

Communicating to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin and to the Political Agents, Pudukkottai, Banganapalle and Sanduru, proceedings, Judicial Department, on letter from the Government of India directing that in all cases of — where the consignee is not a European subject of Her Majesty and a Gazetted Civil or Commissioned military officer, the Political authorities concerned should invariably be consulted by the Commissioner of Police before he grants the export licenses.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., Nos. 3189—91, Judicial, dated 4th December 1883.

G.O., No. 134, Judicial, dated 17th January 1884.

G.O., Mis. No. 1284, Judicial, dated 17th June 1895.

Read—the following letter from Captain H. DALY, Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 1st June 1895, No. 1760-I. :—

With reference to the correspondence ending with the letter from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 76-I., dated the 7th January 1884, regarding the export of arms and ammunition to Native States, I am directed to forward a copy of the letter marked in the margin, regarding a case in which a license was granted in favour of a person who had apparently applied under an assumed name.

2. I am to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor, the Commissioner of Police in Madras may be instructed to take precautions as indicated before granting licenses in doubtful cases.

ENCLOSURE.

From Captain H. DALY, Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Political Department, dated Simla, 1st June 1895, No. 1758-I.

It has come to the notice of the Government of India that in December last the Commissioner of Police in Bombay granted a license in favour of a "Captain Goodwin, Dāk bungalow, Jaipur", to export a rifle and ammunition from Bombay to Jaipur; but that no such person as Captain Goodwin could be found at the address given and the consignment was consequently recalled.

2. Captain Goodwin's name was apparently accepted by the Commissioner of Police as establishing the fact that he was an European subject of Her Majesty, but it is understood that the Commissioner had no information regarding "Captain Goodwin" beyond the bare name; and, if this is correct, a reference should, under paragraph 4, clause (c), of the letter marked in the margin, have been made to the Resident at Jaipur.

3. On previous occasions attempts to evade the rules have been made by natives of India applying under English names for licenses to export arms and ammunition into Native States. It is extremely desirable to guard against such illicit traffic, and

I am to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor, the Commissioner of Police in Bombay may be instructed that, in all future cases of this kind, if the applicant is not known or has not produced satisfactory evidence of his position, reference should be invariably made to the political authority concerned before any license is issued.

Order—No. 1284, Political, dated 17th June 1895.

Communicated to the Commissioner of Police, Madras, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Commissioner of Police, Madras.

READ—also the following paper:—

G.O., No. 933, Judicial, dated 15th June 1899.

ORDER—No. 412, Political, dated 30th June 1899.

Communicated to the Resident, Travancore and Cochin, and to the Political Agents of Pudukkottai, Banganapalle and Sanduru for information.

(True Extract.)

G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Resident, Travancore and Cochin.
" Political Agent, Pudukkottai.
" " Banganapalle.
" " Sanduru.

Government {1899} of Madras.
JUDICIAL.

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G.O., No. 933, 15th June 1899.

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Order
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Comm^d to the Resident Ld
& to all Political Agents with
a copy of S.O. No 134 Jud^l d/17.1.84.

Ad^l to
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Recd. Ld.
P.A. Pudukkottai
" " Bangalore
" " Sandur.

S/O.
with a/c of
S.O. 134 Jud^l
17.1.84

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A new Order
will be issued
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Export of Arms and Ammunition to Native States.

Communicating to the Commissioner of Police, Madras, letter from the Government of India directing that in all cases of — where the consignee is not European subject of Her Majesty and a gazetted civil or commissioned military officer, the local authorities concerned should invariably be consulted by the Commissioner of Police before he grants the export licenses.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From H. DALY, Esq., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 30th May 1899, No. 1410 I.-A.

I am directed to refer to the correspondence ending with my letter No. 1760 I., dated the 1st June 1895, regarding the export of arms and ammunition to Native States.

2. Under existing orders, the Commissioner of Police in Madras is authorised to grant export licenses, except that a previous reference to the Political officers is enjoined in doubtful cases. Experience has shown it to be desirable that in all cases where the consignee is not a European subject of Her Majesty and a gazetted civil or commissioned military officer, the political authorities concerned should invariably be consulted before such licenses are granted. The Governor-General in Council accordingly directs that the following be substituted for clause (c), paragraph 2 of the letter from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 76 I., dated the 7th January 1884 :—

"In all cases of doubt, and unless the consignee is a European subject of Her Majesty and a gazetted civil or commissioned military officer, the Commissioner of Police must refer to the political authority in the Native State to which export is to be made."

3. I am to request that the Commissioner of Police may be instructed accordingly.

ORDER—No. 933, Judicial, dated 15th June 1899.

Communicated to the Commissioner of Police, Madras, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

for Chief Secretary.

To the Commissioner of Police, Madras.
" Political Department.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. 3189-91, dated 4-12-1893

Again G.O., No. 1349, dated 17-1-1894

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Comm² to the Resident L & C
and to the Pol Agents of Pudukkottai
Banganapalle & Sandur for
information.

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To the Resident L & C:

" - P.A. Pudukkottai -

" " " Banganapalle -

" " " Sandur -

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