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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1508	Press
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Dated	6-10-	1871.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,

6th October 1871.

No. 12. Proceedings of Government, dated 6th October 1871, No. 1508.

The Government observe that a considerable number of official papers, which have not been placed at the disposal of the Press, have recently appeared in the local newspapers.

2. It is evident that these official documents have been fraudulently obtained either from the Departments of the Government Office, or from the Government Press, or from other Departments to which these documents have been officially communicated.

3. To guard against official papers, which, for sufficient reasons, it is desirable to withhold, either temporarily or permanently, from publication in the newspapers, being fraudulently obtained, the Secretaries to Government are requested to mark all such papers "to be printed in the Secret Department." The Superintendent of the Government Press will, in respect of all such papers, be held personally responsible for measures being taken by him for preventing the abstraction of proofs of these papers when passing through the Press, and for the safe delivery of these papers, when printed, into the hands of the Registrars of the several Departments of the Secretariat. The Registrars will give the Superintendent of the Government Press receipts for the number of copies of these papers thus delivered.

4. A reward of one hundred rupees will be given to any person who shall give information which will lead to the detection of any person who is concerned in fraudulently obtaining and giving to any newspaper official papers which have not been placed by Government at the disposal of the Press.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R. E.,

Acting Joint Secretary, P. W. D.,

for Chief Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Do. Military do.

Do. Public Works do.

Do. Superintendent of the Government Press.

Copy of Order, attached

Exd. J. Wright.

Doc't. of 1871 *STANDARD*

PUBLIC.

To
THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 6th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 6th October 1871, No. 1508.

OCTOBER.
No. 12.

Issuing instructions for guarding against the
fraudulent obtainment of official papers which it
is desirable to withhold, either temporarily or
permanently, from publication in the newspapers.

Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Oct. 11 1871

Out. of 1871; **Madras.**

To Public

See also Report on the
State of the
Mines

Date of Report } 1871, No. 187
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No. 12

Having instructions for
guarding against the
spread of effluents
of acid gases which
the State is bound
to remove, or
prevent, from the
location in the
Mines.