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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	960	Press Mis.
Dated	3-7-	19 1871

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Read the following papers:—

No. 21. From the Acting President of the Municipal Commissions in Vizagapatam, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Vizagapatam, 19th May 1871, No. 166.

Referring to G. O., 9th May 1871, No. 609, I have the honour to state that the Municipalities in this district are against the nomination of a Vice-President by election. In three instances this was the unanimous opinion of the Commissioners. In the fourth only one Commissioner recorded a vote in favour of electing the Vice-President.

No. 22. From the Acting President of the Municipal Commissions in Vizagapatam, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Vizagapatam, 23rd May 1871, No. 173.

In continuation and correction of my letter, No. 166, dated 19th instant, I have the honour to report the receipt of a communication from the existing Commissioners of Bimlipatam, giving their votes unanimously in favour of electing the Vice-President by Commission.

2. The information given in my former letter was derived from a vote of the Commissioners given last year, when I was called on by the Assistant Secretary in the Legislative Department to ascertain the opinion of Municipal Commissioners on this point.

3. I would deprecate the present vote being acted on. The four Commissioners who vote for it are only the remnant of last year's Commission; that proposed for the present year, which is a far more representative body, not having as yet been sanctioned. It is only after considerable negotiation and difficulty that I have succeeded in persuading a gentleman, whose appointment to the office is generally acceptable, to undertake the office, and it will hardly be courteous to him to throw it open to election.

4. In 1872-73, I should not object to the Vice-President being elected by the Commissioners as an experiment.

No. 23. ORDER THEREON, 3rd July 1871, No. 960.

Under Section 10, Act III. of 1871, the Government authorize the Municipal Commissioners appointed under the Act for the town of Bimlipatam to elect their Vice-President.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commissions in Vizagapatam.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of 1871 ~~Order~~

PUBLIC.

To
THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONS IN
VIZAGAPATAW

Dated July, 3rd.

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G. O., 3rd July 1871, No. 960.

JULY.
Nos. 21—23.

Authorizing the Municipal Commissioners to
Bimlipatam to elect their Vice-President.

N^o 73.

Nagapattam 23rd May 1871. 2

From

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R. J. Melville Esquire.

As President of the Municipal
Commissioners.

To

M. Henderson Esquire.

As Chief Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George.

Sir,

In continuation & correction of
my letter N^o 116 dated 19th Instant
I have the honor to report the receipt
of a communication from the existing
Commissioners of Pudukottam giving
their votes unanimously in favor of
electing the Vice President by Com-
missioners.

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4. In 1872-73 I should not object to the Vice President being elected by the Commissioners as an experiment.

I have the honor to be
Yr
Your Most Obedt Servt

Wm. H. H. H.
Vice President of
the Munl Comm^y

Wm. H. H. H.

I will authorize the
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 elect them Vice P.

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Read nos 1073 & 1070.

3^d July 1871 No. 960 -

Under Article 10 Act of 1871 the Govt.
 authorize the ~~municipal~~ ^{municipal} Commission
 appointed under the act for the towns of ~~Vijaya~~
~~Kodur~~ ^{Vijayanagara}, Bimliputram, ~~and~~
 Kander, to elect their Vice President.

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To the Pres. of the M. C.

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The Govt. President
 Municipal Commission
 Viragapatam

The Chief Secretary
 to Government
 Fort St. George

Dated 23 May 1871
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N. 173. 1870

Departing in conclusion and
 conviction of his letter of
 10th dated 19th June 1871
 that the speaking (Barrow)
 vessel of 18th October
 have successfully given
 their letter in favor of
 electing the Vice Pres.
 of Viragapatam.

Court of 1870 Madras.

Public.

To
The Pres. Local Comm.
Vizagapatam

Dated July 3.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 3 July 1870, No. 960.

Nos. 21. 23.

Authorizing the members of
the Commission of the Vizagapatam
Vizagapatam, and Palghat
municipalities to elect their
Vice Presidents.