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Com. 8. to the St. Magte Madura and the
Presy. Port Officer letter from the Govt. of
Ceylon giving notice of the
abandonment of Devipatam as an
Immigration ~~port~~ ^{station} in Ceylon.

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Sir,

The Immigration buildings belonging to the Ceylon Government at Devipatam having been entirely destroyed by the gale in December last, the Superintendent of cooly Immigration directed the attention of this Government to the question of accommodating the cooly immigration from India to Ceylon by means of a single station at Paumben instead of the previously existing alternative stations at Devipatam and Paumben, and recommended the total abandonment of Devipatam on the score both of celerity in working the service and of economy.

The Chief Secretary
to Government

Fort Saint George.

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2. The Superintendent's proposal having commended itself to this Government, I am desired by His Excellency the Governor of Ceylon to give notice of the change to the Government of Madras, and to express a hope that there will be no objection to the change on the part of the Government of Fort Saint George.

3. A copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Immigration is enclosed, in order that such instructions as may seem to you to be necessary may be issued in connection therewith.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant

W. P. Green
for Colonial Secretary

Paumotu

15 June 1889.

Sir,

I have the honor to report that now after working of this Department here this monsoon that everything has been most successful, both as to the economy of time in the ships running (which also means a shorter sea voyage for all coals both coming & going to Ceylon) it also relieves the coals particularly the women & children from long made out (to & from the shore at Seripatam) where they were once kept in the stinking mud & sea wash of the Seripatam beach wall.

Now Sir, as this proves to Govt. the superiority of Paumotu for a central depot, all the year round & before any permanent buildings are put up, will you be pleased to get the Ceylon Govt. to inform the Madras Govt. of the proposed withdrawal of this service from the port of Seripatam to the port of Paumotu & to ask that the Madras Govt. may be

be pleased to approve of the change viz
that during the N.E. monsoon, Immigration
ships may ply between Tenqalle
& Paumben on the South side of the Pass
& during the South West monsoon between
Pessalle & Paumben on the N. side of
the Pass. & inform the authorities
concerned so the Port Officer here seems
affrained at not being officially informed
of your ships working all the year
round at Paumben & also for leaving
the port of Decipatan - and Rindospall
by his Madras Government.

I beg to say that as soon as
got the information of the sanction
of the Ceylon Govt. for the centralization
of the Immigration Service at
Paumben, I duly informed the
then acting Marine Officer of
Paumben of the proposed change,
giving him the necessary particulars
thereof.

I am,
Sd/ J. Reid
Capt. of Imm.

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From
The Govt of
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