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Letter dated, 11th February (No. 1) 1856.

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14. This prohibition was proposed by your President on the grounds that the beauty of the Pass was in process of being destroyed by the felling of the forests, and the Establishment of Coffee Estates on the sides of the mountains. It is alleged that the sale or leasing of the land is of little advantage either to Government or to individuals, the Coffee Estates being valueless after the first few years, and it being probable that Government would obtain a better return by the sale of fire-wood, if the forests were properly preserved.

15. On the assumption, that the quantity of reclaimable land within the Coonoor Pass is not considerable, and that ground, equally well suited for Coffee cultivation, may be found in the neighbourhood, within easy reach of Railway conveyance, we approve the orders issued on the subject.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Public Department, under date the 1st October 1857, No. 1397.

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(True Extracts.)

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 60. ORDER THEREON, No. 1105; dated 29th October 1857.

Ordered that the foregoing Extracts be recorded.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, President and Members of the Revenue Board.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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