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Revenue Department

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 24th March 1857.

No. 1. Read the following Petition.

To the Right Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort Saint George.

dated Madras 26th January 1857.

The humble petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the Shrotrium village of Severum in the talook of Conjeeveram Zillah, Chingleput.

MOST HUMBLY SHOWETH,

That much aggrieved by the decision of the Collector, your petitioners appealed to the Board of Revenue; who have without paying due consideration to the subject, confirmed the unjust decision of the Collector, unwarranted by law and precedent. Your petitioners beg to remark that it cannot but look absurd in the eyes of your Lordship that the Collector should saddle upon your petitioners a Poorohithur of his own choosing, to officiate in the performance of religious ceremonies, against their will. With these observations, your petitioners leave the matter in the hands of your Lordship in Council; and for the further information of your Lordship, they beg to enclose herein, the petitions which they presented to the Collector and the Board of Revenue with their endorsement therein. On consideration of these your petitioners trust that your Lordship in Council will render them the justice that has been denied to them by the lower authorities, or allow your petitioners by endorsement to have recourse to a Civil suit for the recovery of their lost rights.

For which act of favor your petitioners are as in duty bound shall ever pray.

Signed in Tamil ANNAVIENGAR, and others.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, *No.* 266; *dated* 18*th March* 1857.

The office referred to by Petitioners does not seem to be one of those to which Regulation VI. of 1831 was intended to apply; the Board of Revenue will therefore be requested to ascertain and report the ground on which the Collector interfered with the nomination, with their opinion as to the propriety of such interference.

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

Order.

The Petitioners are informed that the person whom they say is unable to manage the duty of Vada Teacher has been recommended by some of the Shareholders of the village, as a proper man to carry on that duty as also his sons. The said man has expressed his wish to conduct that duty - The Collector acting under the provisions of Reg VI of 1831 which invest him with the power of employing servants in the village and receiving service

from them has issued orders for allowing the former Veda Isaelers for whose removal they pray to carry on their duty as usual.

6th September 1856

(Signed) John Shubrick
Collector.

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No. 266

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Under date the 18th March 1857.

Read the following Petition from Amavingar and others Meerasdars of Seevaram in Conjeeveram Talook. Chingleput.

(Here Inter 26th Jan.y/57 No. 305)

The office referred to by Petitioners does not seem to be one of those to which Regulation VII of 1831 was intended to apply; the Board of Revenue will

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Requesting the Board
of Revenue to ascertain and
report the ground on which
the Collector of Chingleput
interfered with the nomi=
=nation of a Parochial Mun=
=or Priest against the Con=
=sent of certain Petitioners
with their opinion as to the
propriety of such inter=
=ference.

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