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Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultations

30th June 1857

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Order no 643 dated 25th June 1857

Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 30th June 1857.

No. 14. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue; dated 9th June, 1857, No. 1971.

Read again letter from the Collector of Nellore dated 19th November 1856* submitting two Statements of Enam and Shrotriem lands taken up for public purposes in his District, and requesting permission to give other lands in lieu in some cases, and in others to reduce the assessment on the remainder of the holdings in proportion to the lands so taken up.

Read also letter from the same Officer dated 14th April 1857† enclosing one from the District Engineer stating that no accounts or records have been kept in the Engineer's Department from which the Collector's returns could be verified.

(Here enter No. 51.)

In the first of the letters recorded above, the Collector transmits two Statements, one of lands to be given in lieu of those taken up in his District for Public Works, and the other of lands similarly appropriated; the proprietors of which prefer a corresponding reduction in the assessment of their holdings.

2. On receipt of this communication, the Board requested the Collector to inform them whether the statements had been verified by the Engineer Department; the second letter recorded above is the reply to this enquiry, and it will be seen from it that no records of the extent and description of the lands were kept in the Engineer's Department, and the Collector's returns cannot therefore be verified.

3. The totals of the several columns have been examined in the Board's office and found correct. In the total of the abstract at foot of statement I. a trifling error of 1 anna occurs which has been rectified.

4. From statement I. it appears that G46-6-6‡ of land assessed at Rupees 384-2-5 have been taken and the Collector proposes giving in exchange G45-2-9 assessed at ‡ Acres 61. Rupees 379-12-2. Mr. Elton observes that compensation in land instead of in cash is advantageous to Government in the Nellore District where there is a considerable extent of waste.

5. Statement II. comprises four cases in which lands to the total extent of G.20-6-7 assessed at Rupees 197-6-3 have been taken up for roads. In three of these cases was it found impracticable to offer other lands in the same villages, and in the remaining instance the proprietor prefers a reduction in his remaining beriz. The Collector requests permission to reduce the assessment on these properties in proportion to the loss sustained in each case.

6. The Board recommend that sanction be given for carrying out the arrangements above shown. The statements do not include village service Enams, and the present grant of compensation will not be regarded as a recognition of the validity of the titles of the parties receiving it; but their claims will remain open to consideration whenever a general enquiry into Enam tenures is hereafter prosecuted.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, Acting Secretary.

No. 15.

ORDER THEREON, No. 643; dated 25th June 1857.

Under the circumstances represented, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the assignment in Nellore, of ‡ Extent G.....46 6 6 the Governor in Council sanctions the assignment in Nellore, of Assessment Rs....384 2 5 land to the extent of Grounds 45-2-9, assessed at Rupees 379-12-2, in exchange of that‡ taken for public purposes, as per Statement No. 1 submitted with the Collector's letter to the Board dated 19th November 1856. He

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authorizes also in three cases out of the four specified in Statement No. 2, the deduction from the demand on the holdings of certain Shotriumdars of the full teerwah of their lands taken up for similar purposes according to the rule prescribed in Minutes of Consultation dated the 16th Instant No. 613. The particulars of these deductions are shewn in the sub-joined table.

Talook.	Village.	Description of Revenue.	Annual remission authorized.		
			Rs.	A.	P.
Survapully.....	Unnoopullypand.....	Shotrium.....	74	13	8
Nellore.....	Pothereddy polliem.....	Shotrium.....	79	13	2
Sydapoor.....	Rajana Ramapoorum.....	Amarum.....	13	1	7

2. In the case of lands taken in the Vasely Salevendra Cundrega, in Sungum talook, there is nothing to shew that they formed portion of any large extent of land held on favorable tenure. From para. 5 of the Board's Proceedings, it is understood that they recommend that the full teerwah of the land taken should be deducted from the "remaining beriz" of the ryot. Such a principle of paying for the land, which will affect the rates of teerwah on ordinary ryotwarry holdings, appears to be open to objection for various reasons. The Board will therefore instruct the Acting Collector to propose a ready money compensation for any saleable value that the land might have possessed at the time it was taken, without in any way interfering with the demand on the remaining holding of the ryot; the teerwah on the land taken being of course at the same time remitted.

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

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Revenue Department
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Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th June, 1857.

Read again letter from the Collector of Vellore dated 19th November 1856 submitting two Statements of Enam and Shotrium lands taken up for public purposes in his District, and requesting permission to give other lands in lieu in some cases, and in others to reduce the assessment on the remainder of the holdings in proportion to the lands so taken up.

Read also letter from the same Officer dated 11th April 1857 enclosing one from the District Engineer stating that no accounts or records have been kept in the Engineer's Department from which the Collector's returns could be verified.

(Here Enter No. 51)

In the first of the letters recorded above the Collector transmits two Statements, one of lands to be given in

in lieu of those taken up in his District
for Public Works, and the other of lands
similarly appropriated, the proprietors of
which prefer a corresponding reduction
in the assessment of their holdings.

On receipt of this communication the Board requested the Collector to inform them whether the Statements had been verified by the Engineer Department. The second letter received above is the reply to this inquiry, and it will be seen from it, that no records of the extent or description of the lands were kept in the Engineer's Department, and the Collector's Returns cannot therefore be verified.

The totals of the several columns have been examined in the Board's Office and found correct. In the total of the abstract at foot of Statement 1 a trifling error of 1 anna occurs which has been rectified.

From Statement 1 it appears that 46. 6. 6 of land assessed at Rs 384. 2. 5 ^{* Acres 61} have been taken and the Collector proposes giving in exchange 45. 2. 9 assessed at Rs 379. 17. 2.

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Mr. Elton observes that compensation in land instead of in Cash is advantageous to Government in the Kellone District, where there is a considerable extent of waste.

5. Statement II comprises four cases in which lands to the total extent of 20. 6. 7 assessed at Rs 197. 6. 3 have been taken up for roads. In three of these cases was it found impracticable to offer other lands in the same villages, and in the remaining instance the proprietor prefers a reduction in his remaining levy. The Collector requests permission to reduce the assessment on these properties in proportion to the loss sustained in each case.

6. The Board recommend that sanction be given for carrying out the arrangements above shown. The Statements do not include Village Service Enams and the present grant of compensation will not be regarded as a recognition of the validity of the titles of the parties receiving it. But their claims will remain open to consideration whenever a general Enquiry into

Statement

into Enam Tenures is herewith forwarded.
(A true Extract)

Isaac
Ag Secretary

To
H. Forbes Esq.
Ag Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

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Submitted letter
from the Collector of
Madras enclosing with
: maps of Madras and other
: from lands to them up for
: public sale from the land of
: which the proposed to grant
: other lands and in places
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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 20th June 1857

Read the following
Extract from the Proceedings
of the Board of
Revenue.

Here enter 9th June 57 N^o 1971

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Under the circum-
stances represented the Right
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sanctions the assignment
in Mellore of land to the
extent of G. 45. 2. 9, assessed
at N^o 379-12. 2, in exchange
of that taken for public
purposes, as per statement
N^o 1 submitted with the
Collectors' letter to the
Board dated 19 Nov 56. He
authorizes ^{also} in three caves out
of the four specified in
Statement

Extent G. 46- 6- 6
Assessment N^o 384- 2- 5

