

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	<i>485</i>	Press Mis.
Dated	<i>8-4-1859</i>	

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 12th April 1859.

No. 19. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd March 1859, No. 977.

Read Endorsement from the Collector of Chingleput, dated 5th March 1859, No. 51.

* *In M. S.* Ordered that copy* of the above report by Endorsement be submitted to Government, with reference to their Endorsement of 30th April last, on Petition No. 1159 of 1858.

2. It does not appear that the permission of Government is necessary to enable the Petitioner whose right as Inamdar is undisputed to sue for the recovery of the land itself from the cultivators, whom the Collector styles the Meerassidars, though so far as the papers before the Board go to shew the Collector's assumption that these cultivators who pay the Mulvarum and enjoy the Coodivarum are Meerassidars is not substantiated.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, No. 485; dated 8th April 1859.

The Honorable the Governor in Council concurs in the opinion of the Board that the permission of Government is unnecessary for the object in view in this case.

(Signed) M. NORMAN,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

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Endorsement on Petition No 1159 of 1858.

Petitioner requests permission to cultivate his Enam himself, or be furnished with an Endorsement under Regulation II of 1831 to enable him to sue the Merafidars, the present occupants or tenants in the Civil Courts.

The Petitioner's right to the Enam is not contested; the Merafidars, however, appear to have been in actual possession of the land for a very long time, and to have paid him and his ancestors the Mailwarum share of the produce, retaining the Goodiwarum for themselves. This is the usual practice regarding Enams which are seldom cultivated by the Enamdar themselves. In the present case, the Petitioner would seem to wish to oust the Merafidars by seeing them in the Civil Courts. There seems to be no reason why he ^{should} not do so if he likes it and either cultivate his land himself or give it to other tenants to do it for him. The endorsement of Government would not seem to be necessary to enable him to effect his object. The right belongs to him in common with every Proprietor. The issue of the right must depend on the condition of the occupants tenure which is a fit subject for legal investigation.

Received 6th May 1858
Returned 6th Feb'y 1859

Chingleput District,
Collutors' Catcherry,
Sydapat 5th February 1859

/s/ J. C. J. Shubrick
Collutor

/True Copy/

Shubrick
Sub. Secretary.

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Sub Secretary.

To
J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq. Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to Collector of Chingleput.

Revenue 1859. 1860.
Sept 20. 1859. 1860.

Abstract from the records
of the Board of Treasury

Sept 20. 1859.

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No 485.

The Right Honorable the

Governor in Council comes in the
Division of the Board that the
presumption of Government is
unnecessary for the objection
in this case.

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Report to the Board of
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