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FORT ST. GEORGE,
9th July 1859.

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From

J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq.,
Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

To

The Resident at Hyderabad.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. H. M. Elliot.

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Requesting him to exert his influence in causing the necessary aid to be given to the Officers engaged on the duty of establishing Depôts at proper intervals, along the River Godavery for the conveyance of Sea Salt into the interior

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