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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2382 Press Mis.

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Dated 12—12—1860.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th December 1860.

No. 192. Read the following letter from C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Registrar of the Sudder Court, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 22nd November 1860, No. 101 :—

SIR,

With reference to paragraph 4 of Proceedings of Government, dated the 10th instant, I am directed by the Judges to forward for the information of the Government copy of the Officiating Civil Judge's letter, showing the circumstances under which the delay therein noticed took place.

From GEORGE F. FULLERTON, Esq., Officiating Civil Judge of Chingleput, to C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Registrar of the Sudder Court, Madras, dated Chingleput, 17th November 1860, No. 337.

SIR,

1. With reference to paragraph 4 of Government Proceedings of 10th November 1860, forwarded to me for explanation of the cause of the delay in signing the decree in Appeal Suit No. 174 of 1859, I have the honor to state that some months after I took charge of the Chingleput Court, a great number of the decrees of the late Civil Judge were brought to me for signature, and on my inquiring into the cause of the delay, I was informed that a few days previous to his giving over charge of the Court Mr. Dowdeswell had sent in to the office about 20 judgments, that the pleadings in all the cases had to be prepared, and that many of the decrees being very lengthy, considerable time had been taken up in copying and translating them.

2. The decree alluded to in the Government Proceedings was one of them.

3. If considered necessary, I shall be glad if the Court will submit this explanation to Government, as it would appear from the Proceedings that Government is under the impression that the delay is attributable to me.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. F. CHAMIER, *Registrar.*

No. 193. ORDER THEREON, 12th December 1860, No. 2,382.

The Government were aware that the delay now explained was not attributable to Mr. Fullerton.

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

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I have the honor &c &c-

(Signed) George F Fullerton

Offg Civil Judge

(True Copy)

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Registrar-

Transferred to the
Revenue Department

J. Lyon
Chief Secretary

Fort St. George
23d November, 1860.

Nos. 192 & 193.

C. 27th Nov. & 8 Dec.

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No. 2698.

From,

The Registrar of the
Sudder Court

To,

The Chief Secretary to
Government.

Dated 22d
Recd 23d November, 1860.

No. 450. No. 101.
No. 2382. 12th Dec.

Submitting copy of a
letter from the Offg Civil
Judge of Chingleput,
shewing the circumstances
under which the delay
in signing the decree
in Appeal Suit No. 174
of 1859 took place.

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With an Order

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