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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 676-677
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Dated 28-4- 1866.

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No. 147. Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 5th April 1860, No. 123 :—

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to submit for the favorable consideration of Government, the straitened circumstances under which the Master Attendant at Tuticorin, Captain Phipps, is placed, from the very small pay attached to his Office. The Salary is only Rupees 200 a month, and there are not at Tuticorin many perquisites in the shape of Survey fees, such as exist at some other Ports; the entire sum Captain Phipps has received on this account, during the nine months he has held Office, being only about Rupees 35.

2. The proximity of this District to Ceylon greatly enhances the price of the usual necessaries of life, especially at Tuticorin; and Captain Phipps, finding that his salary will not cover the expenses of living at Tuticorin, has been most reluctantly reduced to place his resignation in my hands, but which I have not acted upon till the subject was first laid before Government.

3. It may probably be in the recollection of His Excellency the Governor, that I touched on this subject in conversation regarding the affairs of the District generally, at Madura; and that His Excellency expressed a wish I should bring it forward at the proper time. I would now beg earnestly to solicit that some increase may be made to the salary of the Master Attendant. Captain Phipps is an Officer most assiduous in the discharge of his duty; he spares himself neither pains nor trouble, and in addition to the ordinary business of the Master Attendant, he has the very responsible and onerous duty of inspecting and guarding the Pearl Banks assigned to him, and for which he is fairly entitled to additional remuneration. I would beg, therefore, to recommend to Government, that his salary may be raised to Rupees 350 a month, which is equivalent to the salary allowed to an Uncovenanted Deputy Collector of the 3rd grade.

No. 148. ORDER THEREON, 28th April 1860, No. 676.

This is an application for an increase of salary in behalf of the Master Attendant at Tuticorin. That Officer now draws Rupees 200 per month exclusive of Survey fees; but his receipts from the latter source are very trifling, having averaged under Rupees 4 per mensem during the nine months that he has held the Office. The Collector bears favorable testimony to Captain Phipps' activity and zeal, and urges that he is entitled to some consideration on account of the extra duty performed by him in connection with the Pearl Banks.

2. The Government agree with the Collector that Mr. Phipps is deserving of higher remuneration, and they had intended to raise his salary after the first successful Pearl Fishery. On Mr. Silver's representation now before them, the Government resolve to raise Mr. Phipps' pay immediately to Rupees 300 in anticipation of the sanction of the Government of India, which will be immediately applied for, and after a successful Pearl Fishery they will consider his claims to further increase.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

Ordered in consequence that the following letter be despatched.

No. 149. From J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, to the Secretary to the Government of India, dated 28th April 1860, No. 677.

1. I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to forward for the favorable consideration of the Government of India, a letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly, recommending an increase of salary to the Master Attendant at Tuticorin, together with the Order of this Government thereon, and to request that for the reasons stated, the Supreme Government will be pleased to confirm the increase of 100 Rupees per month made by His Honor in Council to the pay of that Officer.

5th April 1860, *No.* 123.
28th April 1860, *No.* 676.

2. An application in the prescribed tabular form is also transmitted.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—*Statement of increase to Establishment*

Year.	Charges. Ordy.	Extrody.	Total.
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Extract from Home Dept. of Govt. of India. No.	Date.	Offices to which the proposition refer.	Nature of charge. Present scale.	R.	A.	P.	Proposed scale.	R.	A.	P.	Permanent. Increase per month. R.	A.	P.	Decrease per month. R.	A.	P.
		Master Attendant, Tuticorin.	Master Attendant..	200	...	...	Master Attendant.....	300	...	...	100	...	...			
			Total...	200	...	...	Total...	300	...	...	100	...	...			

Fort St. George, *28th April* 1860.

in this Department recommended for the sanction of the Government of India.

Proposition. Temporary. Increase per month. Period	R.	A.	P.	Decrease per month. Period	R.	A.	P.	Casual or Extraordinary.	Grounds of proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	Orders of the Govt. of India. Home Dept. Remarks.	Finl. Dept. Remarks.	Finl. Dept. Orders.
									Vide letter to the Secretary to the Government of India, dated 28th April 1860, No. 677.	Favorable.			

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

Rev. Depart.

No 676

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 28th April 1860.

Read the following

Letter from the Collector of

Tinnevelly.

(Recd. ente 5th April 1860

No 125)

Recommending for reasons

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Captain

Revenue Dept.

Port & Marine Branch

Read the Public Letter from Madras

Dated 28th April 1860.

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Copy in a letter to England
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1 — Collector of Tinnevelly
1 — Accts Genl
1 — Civil Audr
4 — Marine Depts
6 — Govt of Indias

Revenue Department

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No 677

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The Secretary to the
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Fort St. Geo. 28 April 1814