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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 24th December 1861.

No. 238. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st December 1861, No. 7,154:—

Read the following Official Memorandum, dated 20th December 1861, No. 472.

The undersigned has the honor to call the attention of the Secretary to the Board of Revenue to the Order of Government, dated 17th September 1861, No. 1,837, and to request that the opinion called for in the Financial Resolution of the Government of India, dated 8th August 1861, No. 10,279, on the report of the Government of Bengal regarding the exemption of Machinery, &c., from Customs duty, may be submitted to Government as early as possible.

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

To the Board of Revenue.

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1. The Board did not observe that their opinion was desired in the Bengal List of Articles of Machinery, &c., proposed to be included in the Free List, and regret that they have delayed the matter.

2. They see nothing whatever to object to the List in question, which appears to have been drawn up on the same principles as dictated the recommendations of this Board.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 239. ORDER THEREON, 24th December 1861, No. 2,360.

With reference to paragraph 2 of the Order of Government, dated 22nd July last, No. 1,451, the Chamber of Commerce are requested to expedite the submission of their views on the Schedules of Machinery to be passed free of duty.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

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Stating that there is no objection to the List of the Bengal Government regarding the exemption of Machinery from Customs duty -

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With reference to para 2 of the order of Govt dated 22d Jan.y last No 1457 the Chamber of Commerce are requested to expedite the submission of their views on the Schedule of Machinery which is proposed to be passed free of duty -

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To the Chamber of Commerce.

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