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## Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 17 - 2 - 1862.

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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 17th July* 1862.

No. 230. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th July 1862, No. 4,358:—

Read the following letter from the Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated 21st June 1862, No. 112.

SIR,

With reference to the Board's Proceedings, dated the 26th July 1860, No. 3,452, forwarding Government Proceedings, dated the 25th July 1860, No. 1,236, sanctioning the defence at the public cost of the Original Suit No. 7 of 1860, preferred in the Sub-Court at Salem, by the Plaintiffs Perumanda Mudali and others of Moganoore in the Namcul Táluq, I have the honor to forward, for the information of the Board, the copy of a Decree passed in that Suit by the Principal Sudder Amín on the 30th April 1862, dismissing the Plaintiffs' claim for the lands. The Principal Sudder Amín has adjudged that the Plaintiffs should defray the costs incurred by the Collector, which will be duly recovered.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Decree in O. S. No. 7 of 1860.

Ordered that the above papers be submitted for the information of Government, with reference to their Proceedings quoted by the Collector, and with the Board's recommendation that the Collector be instructed to defray, on the part of Government, the damages awarded against the 2nd Defendant in this matter, as well as his costs, as the sole ground of action possessed by the Plaintiffs was created by the improper act of the Government Officers, and it does not appear reasonable that the 2nd Defendant should be put to any expense for his part in the matter, which consisted in complaining to the Collector against that improper act.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary*.

No. 231. ORDER THEREON, 17th July 1862, No. 1,542.

The Board of Revenue report that the claim of the Plaintiff in Suit No. 7 of 1860, on the file of the Sub-Court of Salem, for a piece of land the puttah for which granted by the Sub-Collector was cancelled by the Collector, was disallowed and recommend that the value of the improvements made thereon awarded against the 2nd Defendant as well as his costs be defrayed by Government, as the ground of action in the Suit was created by the improper act of the Government Officers, and the 2nd Defendant had nothing whatever to do with it. The Government anticipated this recommendation in paragraph 2 of their Order dated 25th July 1860, No. 1,236, and they now sanction it.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
*Acting Chief Secretary.*

Revenue Department.

No. 1542.

**Proceedings of the Madras Government**

Under date the 17th July 1862.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

submitting letter of Collector of Salem with copy of a decree in the Principal Sudr Amin's Suit No. 7 of 1860 filed in Court at Salem pending that the Court be instructed to defray out of Govt the Costs, awarded against the Govt as well as his

Received 6th July 1862 No.

The Board of Revenue report that the claim of the Plaintiff in Suit No. 7 of 1860, on the Salem Court, for a piece of land the pattah for which granted by the Sub

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Sub Collector was cancelled by the Collector, was disallowed, and recommend that the value of the improvements made thereon awarded against the 2d Defendant as well as his costs be defrayed by Govt as the ground of action in the Suit was created by the improper act of the Government officers and the 2d Defendant had nothing whatever to do with it. The Government anticipated this recommendation in para 2 of their order dated 26th July 1860 No 1236 and they now sanction it.

To
The Board of Revenue Desp'd 18th
(without Enclosures)
Sr. Civil Paymaster,
Sr. Accountant General

Suit against the Collr.

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Ext: of the Madras
Government Dy
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Authorizing Salem
Collr to deduct on the part
of Govt the damages awarded
against 2d Defendant,
also his Costs, in O.S. No 7
of 1860 filed in the 2nd
Court of that District.

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