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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 12th March 1863.

No. 107. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd February 1863, No. 1,087:—

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3. This arrangement I submit while relieving Government from the cost of publishing the Digest on their own account, will at the same time be carrying out their intentions as conveyed in the Proceedings above quoted.

4. The plan of arranging the Circular, under appropriate heads, and of omitting those which are obsolete and cancelled, as suggested by Government, is precisely that already adopted by the person I have engaged to compile them.

5. I shall be glad, should my proposal be approved, to supply the demands of Government, for as many copies of the work as they may require, at a fair rate.

The Board do not think that Mr. Higginbotham's proposal would meet the requirements of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)
(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 108. ORDER THEREON, 12th March 1863, No. 499.

The preparation of the Official Manual must be undertaken by the Board of Revenue, but Mr. Higginbotham can of course re-publish it, if so disposed.

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

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To Mr. J. Higginbotham.

Copy to J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D., for information.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 23rd *February* 1863.

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Observing that Mr. Higginbotham's proposal to publish a Manual of the Board's Circular Orders would not meet the requirements of Government.

No. 499 - 12th March

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No. 499.

The preparation of the Manual must be undertaken by the Bd of Rev in the Higginbotham case if it is decided

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