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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 4th July 1864.

No. 57. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th June 1864.

Read the following letter from V. H. LEVINGE, Esq., Collector of Madura, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madura, 11th June 1864, No. 138:—

SIR,

1. Adverting to the Order of Government in the Revenue Department, under date the 31st ultimo, No. 932, I beg to submit that Tirugiyana Pundaram is only Manager of Stri Minatchi Sundareswaral Pagoda appointed by the Board of Revenue in their Proceedings dated 31st October 1859, No. 4,447. In all the correspondence carried on in this District, the terms of Manager, Trustee, and Darmakarta are indiscriminately used for Managers appointed to Hindu Temples by the Board under Regulation VII of 1817. The Pundaram is not an hereditary Trustee of the above Pagoda, and would resign the Managership on his appointment by Government to serve on the Committee to be constituted under Act XX of 1863.

2. When nominating him as a member to serve on the Committee, I did not intend that he was to be both a Manager and a Committee man, but to be the latter only, and that on the confirmation by Government of my nomination, his connection with the Pagoda as Manager will cease. He is one of the most competent men to serve on the Committee.

3. I trust that under the above explanation, the Government may see fit to appoint him as one of the Members of the Committee for the Minatchi and Tirupparamgundam Temples. If not, I recommend that Saminada Goyana Saminada Desigar of Madura be substituted for him.

4. I beg here to submit that owing to the connection which exists between the great Minatchi and the smaller Tentirunalavayer and Tiruvappadayar Pagodas situated in Madura, I recommended only one Committee for these three Temples. I now find that the same Members I proposed were appointed for the two latter Temples with the exception of the Pundaram. As it is necessary that these Pagodas should be under one and the same Committee, I beg to recommend that whoever may be added to the four members approved of by Government be also authorized to serve on the Committee already appointed and published in the "Fort Saint George Gazette" for the above two Pagodas.

Submitted for the decision of Government.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, 4th July 1864, No. 1,149.

Miscellaneous.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Collector of Madura, the Government will appoint Tirugiyana Pundaram as one of the members of the Committee for Stri Minatchi Sundareswaral Pagoda, on being informed that he has resigned his connection with that Pagoda as Manager. It would be illegal to make the appointment when he continues in office.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Collector of Madura.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

4. Beg leave to submit that many
of the connections which exist between the great
Merchants and the Country Storekeepers
and Pedlars employed upon the Goods detained on
Shipboard, Recommended only one Commodity
for three Store Receipts. I am sure that the
Owners Merchants & Importers will approve
for the two latter Articles with the exception
of the Merchants. And it is necessary that these
Articles should be under one and the same
Committee, Beg to recommend that Traders
may be added to the four Members appointed
by Government to also authorize to act
on the Committee already appointed and
established in the Port of Cape Coast for
the above two Articles.

Madam
Your Ex.
[illegible]

Your Ex.
[illegible]
Collector

Submitted for the decision of Gov.
& Council

[illegible]

Sir

I. D. Pine Esq.
Secretary & Government C.S.

[illegible]
Merchant

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 17th
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From Collr of Madura
d/21 July/64 Rec'd 1970.

N 1149-4 July

Submitting for decision letter from the Collr of Madura recommending that either of the two persons named within be appointed as a Member of the Committee for the management of Religious Institutions.

Rec'd 1st July

Ordered

N 1149.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Collector of Madura the Govt will appoint Tiruvengiyana Pundaram as one of the members of the Committee for Shri Meenatchi Sundareswarai Pagoda on being informed that he has resigned his connection with that Pagoda as manager. It would be illegal to make the appointment when he continues in office.

Fort St. George
4th July 1864.

To Copies to the Board of Revenue & Collr of Madura

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