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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 714

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th April 1864.*

No. 401. Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Cuddalore, 16th April 1864, No. 21:—

SIR,

1. The Civil Paymaster has declined to audit the pay of Moosah Khan Saib, who was lately appointed to the post of Salt Superintendent at Killay, on the ground of his not having passed the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examination.

2. Moosah Khan is an old servant; he was employed as a Gumashta in the District Moonsiff's, the Moofy Sudder Ameen's, and the Sudder Ameen's Courts in the Zillah of Combaconum, and his total service extends over a period of more than fourteen years, sickness eventually obliging him to give up all employment.

3. He was appointed Ameen of the Salt Pans at Killay on the 7th October 1863, when the salary under the old scale was only Rupees 20 per mensem. On the introduction of Mr. Pelly's revised scale of Establishment, which came into operation on 1st January 1864, the salary became increased to Rupees 50, and, as a temporary arrangement, Moosah Khan was continued in the post, it being impossible at the moment to make any other arrangement; and I submit that for such time as he was thus *per force* kept in the appointment he is entitled to the full salary.

4. Moosah Khan would not have been nominated by me to the post had the salary originally been 50 Rupees, since there were others who would have had a prior claim to so well paid an office; and moreover, I was of course aware that his nomination would be at variance with the rules; but the introduction of the new Establishment was so sudden that there was no time to admit of at once filling up permanently the several newly created offices, to all of which competent and qualified servants have since been appointed.

5. I have therefore the honor to request of Government sanction for the payment to Moosah Khan of Rupees 124-3-1, being the full salary at 50 Rupees a month for two months and fifteen days, during which he was retained in the situation of Salt Ameen as above explained.

No. 402.

ORDER THEREON, 25th April 1864, No. 714.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ the Collector of South Arcot.

„ the Civil Paymaster.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

South Arcot
Collyer Catchery
Cuddalore
16th April 1864

Charles H. H. H.
Collector

11. *Copied Letter of Paul. Sept 20 1864*
 1. *Coltr of South Arcot*
 3. *Civil Paymaster*

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 Secy of the Govt. of India
 From*

*The Collector of
 South Arcot*

*To
 The Secretary to the Govt.
 Revenue Department*

*Dated 18th April 1864
 Received 19th*

No 21

*Regarding sanction for
 the payment of Rs 124. 3-1.
 being the salary due to
 Ahmad Khan, the late Asst
 Superintendent of Bellary,
 for a period of 2 months
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 he was retained in it*

*that gratuity
 W. Deneke*

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