

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1177	Press Mis.
Dated	18. 5.	1866.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th May 1866.*

No. 313. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Judicial Department:—

Requesting that the Board of Revenue be called
upon to submit their opinion respecting the
adoption, in this Presidency, of the plan of
collecting fees for service processes by distinc-
tive stamps. } (Here enter 9th May 1866, No. 708.)

No. 314. ORDER THEREON, 18th May 1866, No. 1,177.

Separate Revenue, No. 10.
Stamps.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue for
their opinion called for in the foregoing Proceedings.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Judicial Department, No. 708.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
9th May 1866.*

No. 110. Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort William, 29th March 1866, No. 1507.

At the instance of the Punjab Government, the plan of collecting the fees for service processes, by means of distinctive stamps, en faced with the words "Punjab Sheriff's Fee," in lieu of cash payments, has been sanctioned for the Punjab. It is hoped by this expedient to prevent fraud or extortion on the part of subordinate establishments, and to simplify the accounts of the Tulubana or Process Service Fund.

2. Under this arrangement, the Superintendent of Stamps, Calcutta, will, on the Annual Indent of the Financial Commissioner, set aside a sufficient number of the ordinary Law Stamps according to the Indent, and have them stamped with the words "Punjab Sheriff's Fee" across the face of them. These will be supplied to District Officers, on indents countersigned by the Financial Commissioner; the cost of paper, stamps, and carriage being paid by the Sheriff's Fund.

3. As the several Local Governments who have the control of similar Funds may consider it expedient to adopt the arrangement for their Funds, I have been requested to communicate these Proceedings, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, Madras.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, 9th May 1866, No. 708.

The Honorable the Judges of the High Court and the Board of Revenue will be requested to favor the Government with their opinion regarding the adoption, in this Presidency, of the plan referred to in the foregoing letter, viz., of collecting the fees for service processes by means of distinctive stamps.

(True Extract).

A. J. Cunningham
Chief Secretary.

To the Honorable the Judges of the High Court.
" Revenue Department. ✓

Ed. J. H. Burns.

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