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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1575	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated 27-6-	1866

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
27th June 1866.

No. 574. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th June 1866, No. 4,079.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Kurnool, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 19th May 1866, No. 113 :—

1. I have the honor, with reference to the Order of the Board conveyed in their Proceedings, dated 14th December 1864, No. 8,013, respectfully to submit, for the re-consideration of the Members, whether a Village Service Inám is not included in Clause 1st, Section 2, Regulation IV. of 1831, as extended by Act XXXI. of 1836. If not, what is the meaning of the words "*in consideration of services rendered to the State.*" It appears to me that the Monigar or Reddy, the Carnum or Village Accountant, and all village servants "render services to the State," in consideration of which they received their Ináms.

2. These Ináms in this District have been enfranchised, and, therefore, seem to me, under the provisions of Act IV. of 1862, to be exempted from the operation of Regulation IV. of 1831.

3. In consequence of the enfranchisement of these Service Ináms many disputes are now cropping up regarding them, which should, in my opinion, be adjudicated upon by the regular Courts, the object of Regulation IV. of 1831, as stated in the preamble, being taken into consideration. The Ináms have been diverted from the purpose for which they were originally granted, and it does not now signify the least whether they are held by persons who have a claim on the State or not, so long as the quit-rent from which the original Inámdars receive compensation is paid.

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1. The Board have no doubt whatever that Village Service Ináms do not come within the scope of Regulation IV. of 1831.

2. The services to the State contemplated in the phrase quoted by the Acting Collector are individual past services rewarded by grants temporary or hereditary, as the case might be, but differing altogether from the assigned remuneration of an established office. A draft Bill to meet the difficulty experienced in the case of enfranchised Service Ináms has been for some time before Government.

No. 575. ORDER THEREON, 27th June 1866, No. 1,575.

Miscellaneous. Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 14th June 1866.

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Informing Acting Collector of Kurnool that there is no doubt that Village Service Inams do not come within the scope of Regulation IV of 1831.

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