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No. 458. Read the following letter from the Acting Government Solicitor, to the Under Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 15th August 1867, No. 558:—

Dated 12th August 1867, No. 1,845, and made on letter from an inhabitant of Masulipatam to Government, of 30th July 1867.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Order of Government noted in the margin, with its enclosures, requesting the Advocate General's opinion as to whether Petitions to the Municipal Commissioners in the Mofussil require to be stamped under Act XXVI of 1867.

2. I have submitted the matter for the consideration of the Acting Advocate General; and

3. I now forward a copy of his opinion, and return the order and enclosures above noted.

OPINION.

No stamp is required under Act XXVI of 1867, Schedule B., Clause 10, where the Petition is addressed to Municipal Commissioners other than those appointed for the Presidency Town. The notices issued by Messrs. Glenny and Wilson are clearly illegal.

(Signed) J. D. MAYNE,
Acting Advocate General.

14th *August* 1867.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. J. BROCKMAN,
Acting Government Solicitor.

No. 459. ORDER THEREON, 23rd August 1867, No. 1,974.

Separate Revenue, **No.** 31.
Stamps.

Communicated to the Public Department and to the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Public Department.
„ the Board of Revenue.
„ the Government Solicitor.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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