

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1817	Press ~~Mis.~~
⁶⁵³⁻⁵⁴ Dated	29-6-	1968.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
29th June 1868

No. 653. Read the following letter from the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated 9th June 1868 :—

1. With reference to the Orders of Government dated 23rd September 1867, No. 2,226, paragraph 5, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that no orders have yet been received regarding the adoption of a uniform method for preparing the Trade Returns both for the Home and India Governments, and as the official year 1867-68 has come to a close, I am to solicit orders as to whether the District Trade Returns for that year are to be re-cast in the old forms for submission to the Home Government.

2. The time solicited in the Board's Proceedings, dated 27th September 1867, No. 6,224, for compiling the returns for the year 1866-67 was insufficient. The permanent hands engaged in the preparation of the monthly Trade Returns had to work hard and out of office hours to complete the Statements, which fully occupied four months, with the additional aid sanctioned by Government. The Board there-

1 Clerk at 35 Rupees, for four months...	RS. 140
1 " 30 do. ...	120
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1 " 20 do. ...	80
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fore request, that if the returns for 1867-68 are to be re-cast for the Home Government, Government will be pleased to sanction the temporary establishment for a period of four months, instead of three, at an aggregate cost of Rs. 660, as shewn in the margin.

* *Vide* Resolution of the Government of India, dated 31st January 1868, No. 176, communicated with the orders of the Madras Government, dated 12th March 1868, No. 642.

3. The Board further beg to add that the recent changes* in the Trade Returns, forwarded monthly to the Government of India, have added to the labors of the Department, and the Clerks

employed, in their preparation can spare but little time for framing the annual Returns for the Home Government according to the old form.

No. 654. ORDER THEREON, 29th June 1868, No. 1,817.

Separate Revenue, No. 14.
Customs.

1. The Board of Revenue are referred to the G. O., dated 11th June 1868, No. 1,639, Revenue Department, communicating to them the instructions of the

Supreme Government, (dated 31st January, No. 176 A, but not received till 1st June 1868,) for the preparation of the annual volume of Trade and Navigation Returns.

2. The volume for 1867-68 must be prepared either in the old form or in the new ones now provided, with reference to paragraph 31 of the Resolution of the Government of India.

3. The Board will report which form they can adopt for the past year, and whether they still require any temporary assistance for compiling the volume.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Circumstances

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The 18th of June

Refers to the f.o. of 11 June 1808
No. 1039. R.D. concerning the
the instructions of the Sup. of 31 June
No. 176. A. but not recd. till 1st June 1808 for
the preparation of the Annual Volume
of Trade & Navigation Returns.

The volume for 1808 must be
prepared in the old form:
as in the two now provided.
in R. ref. to para 31. of the Decree of
the f.o. The 18th will report if from
they can adapt for the past year.
Whether they still require any
temporary assistance for compiling
the volume L.D. 29th June 1808

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Revenue ¹⁸⁶⁸ Dept.
Pro. of Govt for June
No. 2034
From

The A. Secretary to
the Board of Revenue
To The Secretary to Govt.
Rev. Department

From Board of Revenue
by 23 July 68 Ch. 2471.

Dated 9:
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List
Soliciting orders as to
whether District Treasurers
Returns for 1867/68 are to be
recast in old form for sub-
-mission to Home Govt., and
if so, requesting sanction for
a temporary establishment
at a cost of Rs. 660 for
four months.

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