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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 28-12-1868

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 28th December 1868.

No. 399. Read the following letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, (Financial Department,) to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort William, 17th December 1868, No. 3,586:—

1. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Acting Secretary Dalyell's letter, No. 2,126, dated 10th August last, bringing to notice that the blue and black inks in bi-color Stamps for documents under schedule A. of Act X. of 1862, can be discharged by chemical means, and suggesting the use of engine-turned value stamps instead of the plain ones now employed, and requesting permission to postpone the adoption of the blue and black bi-color stamps until the 1st January 1869, when the new dies would be ready.

2. In reply I am desired to state that, owing to delay in obtaining information from the Government of Bengal, it is too late now to pass orders on the request of the Government of Madras, but the Governor General in Council expresses a hope that nothing will impede the introduction of the new dies by the 1st January 1869.

No. 400. ORDER THEREON, 28th December 1868, No. 3,207.

Separate Revenue, No. 12.

Stamps.

Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Govt. of {1868} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated December, 28th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 28th December 1868, No. 3,207.

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Blue and Black bi-color Stamps.—Letter from Government of India regarding its introduction by the 1st January 1869, communicated to Revenue Board.