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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SEPARATE REVENUE.
Customs.

To

No. 3423.

Dated Simla, 13th September 1870.

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Ruling that
asphalte is not liable
to import duty.

No. 1486 - 22nd September 1870

With an order

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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue

DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
22nd September 1870.*

No. 244. Read the following Proceedings of the Government of India, Financial Department, (Separate Revenue—Customs,) dated Simla, 13th September 1870, No. 3,423 :—

Read the following papers relative to a question whether Customs-duty should be levied on the importation of asphalt :—

COMMUNICATION from the Government of Bombay, No. 2,152, dated 5th May 1870, and enclosure.

Financial Department Docket, No. 541, dated 21st May 1870, forwarding the above to the Governments of Bengal and Madras for report.

Letter from Government of Madras, No. 1,247, dated 13th August 1870.

Letter from Government of Bengal, „ 3,261, „ 18th „ „

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council is of opinion that as the law stands at present, asphalt is not liable to Import-duty. It is an article which cannot be classed under “ Naval Stores.”

2. The question whether asphalt should continue exempt from Customs-duty will be considered at any future revision of the Customs Tariff.

ORDER.—Ordered that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the Governments of Bengal, Bombay, and Madras, and to the Chief Commissioner, British Burmah.

(Signed) G. H. M. BATTEN,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 245. ORDER THEREON, 22nd September 1870, No. 1,486.

Separate Revenue, No. 13.
Customs.

COMMUNICATED to the Board of Revenue for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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