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*Superintending Engineer's Endorsement on G. O., Public Works Department, No. 1,238,
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To the Collector of Coimbatore for information.

(True Copy.)

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(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 138.

ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1875, No. 1,051.

Forests, No. 9.

COMMUNICATED to the Public Works Department with reference to the order in that Department, dated 3rd May 1875, No. 1,238.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Public Works Department.
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Ed. W. H. French.

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To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Collector of Coimbatore.

.. to the Inspector of Forests.

Exd. W. H. French.

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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Dated July, 13th.

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Encl.

G. O., 13th July 1875, No. 1,051.

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Timber Depôt at Coimbatore.—Communicating to the Public Works Department Board's Proceedings recommending the retention of the —.

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Communicated to the P^{ro} Dept^t
with reference to his order in that
Dept^t of 3rd May 1875 No 1225.

24th Feb 1875
14th Feb 1875

13 July 1875

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PROCEEDINGS, 22ND JUNE 1875, No. 1,728.

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Forest No. 115.

Dept^t—at Coimbatore.—Letter from Col-
lector recommending the retention of—for
certain reasons, and forwarding a memorandum
from Superintending Engineer on the subject,
submitted to Government.

with order

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