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Municipal—Budget.

No. 121. *Read the following letter from G. D. LEMAN, Esq., President of the Municipal Commissions, Kistna District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Masulipatam, 30th October* 1876, *No.* 1898:—

In continuation of my letter, No. 1,655, dated 20th September 1876, I have the honor to report that the District Judge's decision has been confirmed by the High Court.

2. The High Court hold that, if the arts-tax was not in legal existence at the beginning of the official year, its subsequent imposition must be illegal.

No. 122. ORDER THEREON, 13th November 1876, No. 2031.

The profession-tax originally in force in Guntoor under G.O., dated 17th June 1867, No. 701, Public, was suspended in that Municipality by G.O., dated 4th June 1873, No. 774, Financial, from the beginning of 1874-75, and during that year the tax was in abeyance. In G.O., dated 22nd April 1875, No. 908, the re-introduction of the tax was sanctioned for the year 1875-76; as, however, this Order was not passed till after the commencement of that year, it has been ruled by the Courts that its imposition by the Commissioners during the year is illegal. The papers are circulated for the information of Presidents of Municipalities, who will bear in mind that the date fixed as the latest date for the submission of budgets is 30th December.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commissions, Kistna District.
" Revenue Department.
" Board of Revenue.
" Presidents of all Municipal Commissions.

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THE PRESIDENT OF THE
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