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Famine DEPARTMENT.

Petition No. 2146 of 1877.

From A. Ruthmanah Chetty, P. Moonesamy Naidu and others

Occupation Government Servants

Village

Talook

District Madras

Dated
Received } 30th July 1877

Enclosures.

ABSTRACT.

Bring to notice that the strict observance of the rule of non-interference with the freedom of trade in grain has worked very injuriously upon the people at large, is too well known to Govt to be mentioned any further; that unless some measure be adopted by way of exercising a check upon the advance in the ruling prices of the staple articles of food, the intensity of sufferings among all classes of people as also the evil results of the long continued scarcity and consequent impending danger of life and property can be better imagined than described.

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desired, and that Govt
will seriously consider
the consequences result-
ing from the Govt not
insisting on the Rice
merchants, selling rice
and other food grains,
at one fixed rate during
a famine, as is observed
in Pondicherry and other
French Settlements, that
this will regulate the mar-
ket price, & the distress
will not be so much
felt; that if Govt do not
approve this they may
order rice bags to be brought
out from Calcutta and
other ports, where rice
can be had cheap, by
Government Steamers and
and sell [illegible]
Govt servants to the
extent of their require-
ments, rice at 7 mea-
sures and raggy at 9
measures per Rupee
as long as the famine
continues, that this
will greatly check the
inordinate prices now
ruling in market; or
that Govt may grant
Famine Batta to the
servants of Govt, whose
pay does not exceed
Rs 30 a month.

Prays that Govt
may adopt any one
of the measures above
stated and afford
relief to the latter.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Petition No. 2146

From A. Ruttnavalu Chetti, P. Moonoosawmi
Naidu, and others.

Dated 30th July 1877.

FOR ORDERS.

Madras [illegible]
regarding [illegible]
& [illegible]
[illegible]

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Sir [illegible]
[illegible] that [illegible]
prices [illegible]
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Leave him still [illegible]

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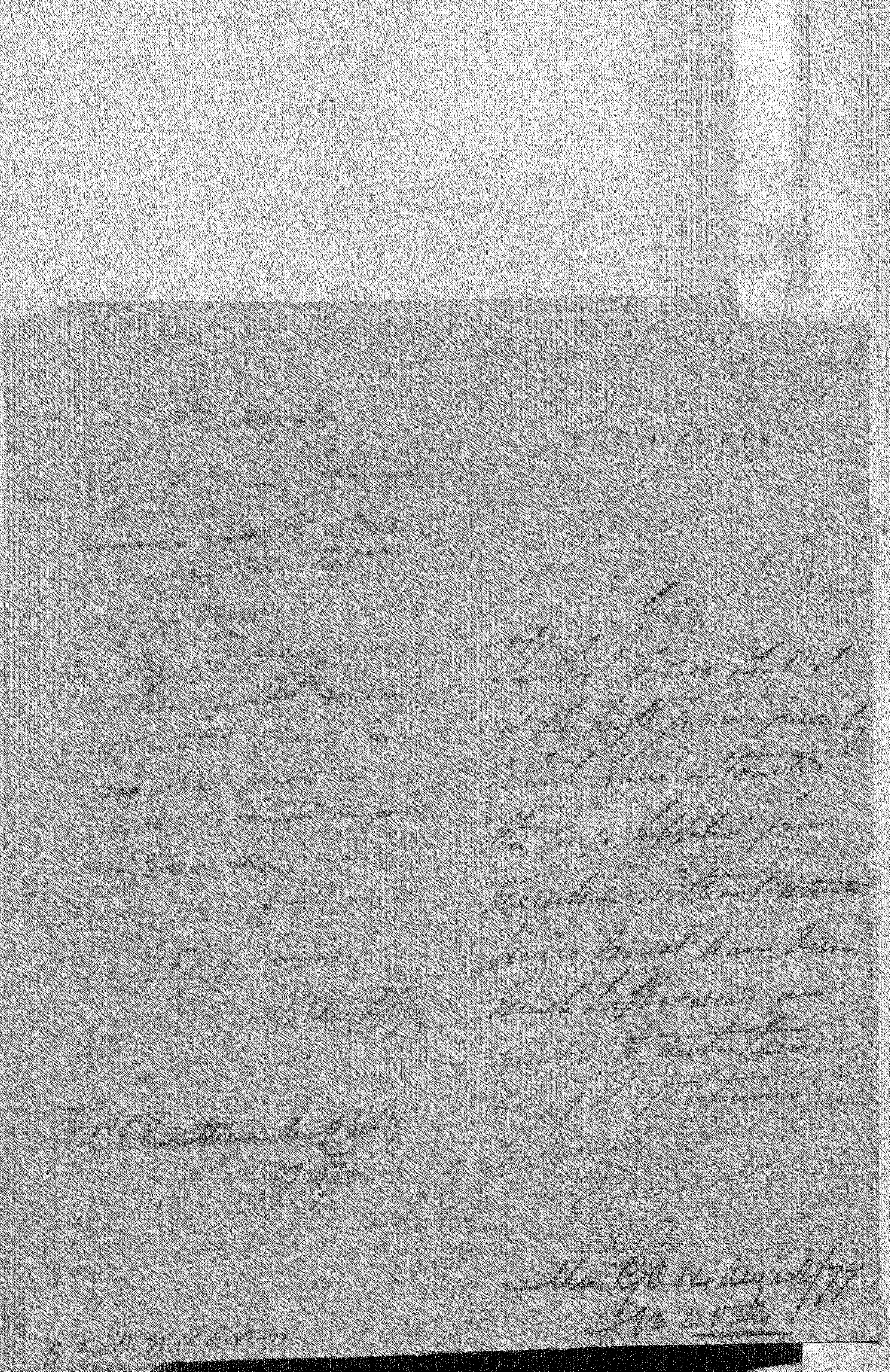

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the Govt in Council

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FOR ORDERS.

G.O.

The Govt. observe that it
is the high prices prevailing
which have attracted
the large supplies from
[illegible] without which
prices must have been
much higher and are
unable to entertain
any of the petitioners'
proposals

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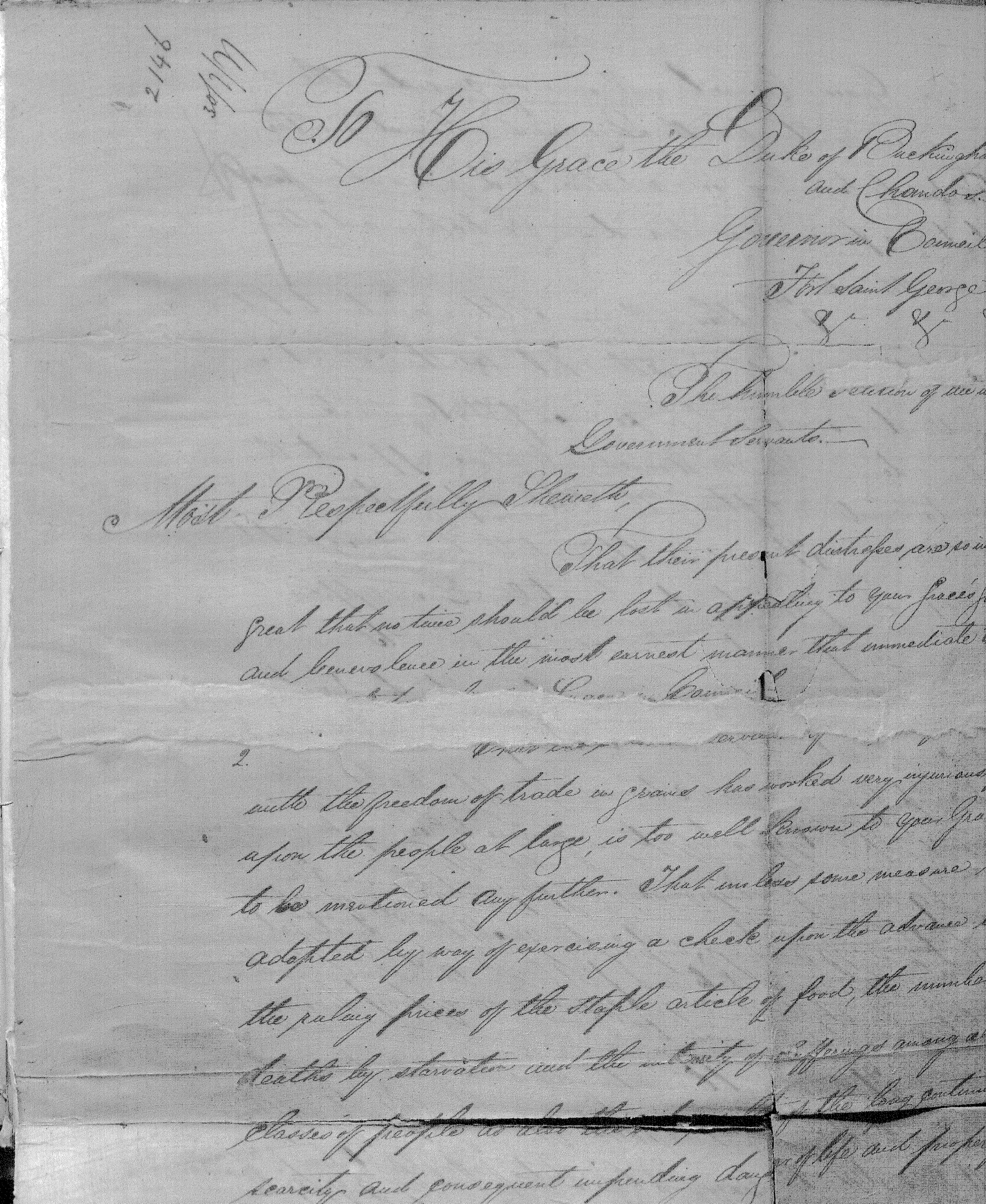

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30/7/77

To His Grace the Duke of Buckingh
and Chandos
Governor in Council
Fort Saint George
&c &c

The humble petition of the
Government Servants.

Most Respectfully Sheweth,

That their present distresses are so
great that no time should be lost in appealing to Your Grace's
and benevolence in the most earnest manner that immediate
[illegible]

2.

with the freedom of trade in grains has worked very injurious
upon the people at large, is too well known to Your Gra
to be mentioned any further. That unless some measure
adopted by way of exercising a check upon the advance
the ruling prices of the staple article of food, the numbe
deaths by starvation and the intensity of sufferings among a
classes of people as also [illegible] the long continu
scarcity and consequent impending danger of life and prop

l Your Grace in Council will seriously consider the
sequences resulting from the Government not insisting on the
Merchants selling rice and other Food Grains at one fixed
during a famine as is observed in Pondicherry and other
h Settlements.—

That thus will Your Petitioners venture to hope,
lat the market throughout the whole of Southern Presidency
the distress will not be so much felt. By the force of
an order Your Grace in Council will at once appreciate the
ntage of the adoption of the Petitioners' proposition.—

That Your Petitioners further humbly beg to state
if the above proposition do not meet Your Grace's approval
is another proposition which Your humble Petitioners request
h adopted [illegible] Government should order Rice bags
brought out from Calcutta and other ports where Rice can be
cheap by Government Steamers and supply to all servants in
ment employ to the extent of their requirements, rice at 7 measures and
at 9 measures per Rupee so long as famine continues. This,
Petitioners humbly observe will greatly check the inordinate rate
ling at the Rice Markets, and people other than Government
s will not suffer much thereby.—

That Your Petitioners therefore humbly beg to request
ne or the other measure advocated [illegible] be adopted
[illegible] Government of India, who should be fully
the sanction of the [illegible]

struggling for life when all the articles of food are not procurable at rates at which they can afford to buy even beyond their means, that is by contracting debts. Your Petitioners humbly beg to be excused for the suggestion above made which, if not adopted, would leave the people to hang between life and death. Your Petitioners therefore most earnestly solicit that an order may be issued forthwith such as Government may think proper for the safety of the lives and properties of Your Servants which are now in imminent danger, reports of attempts at looting in various quarters being received every moment.

8. Lastly Your Petitioners most humbly solicit that if the above propositions be considered inexpedient, Your Grace in Council will be so gracious as to allow money allowance in the shape of Famine Batta to those servants of Government whose salary does not exceed Rupees Fifty a month.

9. That Your Grace in Council will at once adopt the necessary measures of relief is the humble prayer of your most obedient and humble Servants of Government.

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