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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

12th October 1878, No. 1,663.

Read the following paper:—

No. 142. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th October 1878, No. 2,736.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 29th July 1878, No. 1,192, Revenue Department.

ABSTRACT.—*Rewards to Customs Officers for making seizures of contraband goods.*—Communicating to the Board of Revenue papers from the Government of India regarding —, and requesting the submission of Draft Rules.

The existing rules for the grant of rewards to informers under the Customs Act are contained in Standing Order XIX of 1872; as far as the Board are aware they have worked satisfactorily; but before submitting them for the sanction of the Government of India it might be well to ascertain whether experience has shown that any modifications are required. The subjoined statement of rewards granted under the Customs Act during the last five years indicates that the only districts in which the provisions of the rules have been availed of to any extent are Madras, South Arcot, Tanjore, and Malabar; the Collectors of those districts will accordingly be requested to report on the subject at an early date:—

Statement showing the Rewards granted to Informers, &c., under the Customs Act from 1873 to 1877.

Districts.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Ganjam	...	...	...	...	...
2. Vizagapatam	...	...	...	...	...
3. Godavari	...	...	4 6 8	8 4 2	0 7 3
4. Kistn	...	...	...	...	...
5. Nellore	...	...	...	...	...
6. Madras	...	3,125 6 8	2,557 3 11	...	...
7. South Arcot	...	1,957 15 10	769 5 6	212 5 7	314 6 0
8. Tanjore	398 15 0	323 4 6	...	144 6 1	1,171 2 7
9. Madura	...	...	...	15 3 6	1 3 3
10. Tanjavelly	...	...	...	...	...
11. South Canara	...	...	...	...	...
12. Malabar	...	188 7 3	3,425 3 4	...	...
Total	398 15 0	5,605 2 3	4,756 8 4	573 6 10	1,493 4 4

(By Order.)

(Signed)

C. A. GALTON,
Acting Secretary.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT, 12TH OCTOBER 1878, No. 1,663.

No. 143

ORDER THEREBY, 12th October 1878, No. 1,663.

Separate Revenue, No. 10.

Customs.

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2. The Government await the further report.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Wm. H. French

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 14 October 1878.

Recd G.O. R.D. dated 29th
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District	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877
1. Ganjam	"	"	"	"	"
2. Vizagapatam	"	"	"	"	"
3. Godaverry	"	"	4-6-8	8-4-8	6-7-9
4. Nistad	"	"	"	"	"
5. Nellore	"	"	"	"	"
6. Madras	"	3125-6-8	257-8-11	"	"
7. S. Arcot	"	1957-15-16	769-5-5	212-5-7	311-6-9
8. Tanjore	398-15	233-4-6	"	144-6-1	1171-2-9
9. Madurai	"	"	"	18-3-6	1-3-3
10. Tinnevely	"	"	"	"	"
11. P. Canara	"	"	"	"	"
12. Malabar	"	188-7-3	3425-3-4	"	"
Total	398-15	5605-2-3	6756-8-4	378-3-10	1493-6-4

(By order)

Revenue Board Office
Madras
3rd October 1878.

W. C. C.
Acting Secretary

The Secretary to Government P.D.

W. C. C.

Memorandum
No 4442.
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 8th October 1878.
No 10. id.

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12 Oct. 1878

For the Board of Revenue

Grant of Revenue to improve
under the Customs Act.

Having had the meeting
under for — have noted
satisfactorily, and regarding
the return of custom duties
to report which may not
be taken on record.
On 11th 12 Oct. 1878
With an order