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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

READ—the following G.O., dated 18th January 1887, No. 40, Revenue :—

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st December 1886, No. 2748 :—

Read—G.O., dated 3rd December 1886, No. 1062, paragraph 11, Revenue :—

Resolution—dated 21st December 1886, No. 2748.

The Government state that the budget provision on account of rewards for the destruction of wild animals has been reduced from Rs. 1,20,000 to Rs. 80,000, and request that the Board revise the existing scale of rewards, sanctioned in G.O., dated 4th March 1882 and 14th June 1883, Nos. 251 and 738. These rates (omitting elephants, the rate for which may be left unaltered) are—

Districts.	Tiger.	Panther or leopard.	Deer.	Wolf or hyena.	Jackal.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	ANNAS.
Vizagapatam	100	25	7	5	8
Ganjam	100	50	10	10	8
Cuddapah					
Salem					
South Canara	50	25	7	5	8
Malabar					
Other districts					

2. The Board think that rewards for jackals and wolves may be dispensed with and the rates for the other animals reduced as shown below :—

Districts.	Tiger.	Panther or leopard.	Deer.	Hyena.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
South Canara	70	30	5	3
Malabar				
Cuddapah	50	30	5	3
Salem				
Vizagapatam	70	20	5	3
Godavari				
Other districts	55	20	5	3

3. The rewards should be always the same and frequently gazetted so that every one may know them, and they should be posted on the taluk cutcherries in large print and permanently so that ryots who do not see the Gazette may know that the rates are

permanent and that they are entitled to the full amounts of right, the Collector and Tahsildars having no discretion in the matter. Half-rates may be given for cubs with milk-teeth.

4. Taking the number of wild animals destroyed in 1885 and applying the proposed rates as above proposed, the total rewards would amount to Rs. 72,000 as shown below:—

Tigers	...	...	...	...	126 × 70 =	Rs. 8,820	Rs.
					26 × 50 =	1,300	
					117 × 35 =	4,095	
Panthers and leopards	...	...	...	...	693 × 30 =	20,790	14,215
					1,577 × 20 =	31,540	
Bears	...	...	...	...	584 × 5 =	2,920	52,330
Hyenas	...	...	...	...	844 × 3 =	2,532	
Total ...						71,997 or	
in round numbers ...						72,000	

This will leave Rs. 8,000 out of the reduced budget provision to meet special cases where increased rates may be found necessary.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed)

M. HAMMICK,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Order—dated 18th January 1887, No. 40, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

Government deem it inadvisable to abolish, as proposed by the Board, the rewards for the destruction of wolves. These animals cause, in some districts, an immense amount of mischief, and they should, in the opinion of Government, be classed with hyenas, the reward for either being fixed at Rs. 3. A uniform rate for the whole Presidency of Rs. 25 for each cheetah will also be adopted.

2. With these modifications the proposals of the Board of Revenue are accepted.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

J. F. PRICE,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ Judicial Department.
„ Accountant-General.

RESOLUTION—dated 4th February 1887, No. 200.

G.O., dated 18th January 1887, No. 40, will be communicated to all Collectors for information and guidance.

2. The reward for the destruction of a tiger will in futuro be Rs. 70 in the districts of South Canara, Malabar, Vizagapatam and Godavari; Rs. 50 in Cuddapah and Salem; and Rs. 35 in all other districts.

3. In all districts the rewards for panthers or leopards will be uniformly Rs. 25, for bears Rs. 5, for wolves and hyenas Rs. 3.

4. Half-rates will be given for cubs with milk-teeth and in all other cases the full reward.

5. These rewards will be published in the District Gazette regularly once a quarter; and printed slips will be permanently posted in all taluk cutcherries together with an intimation that the rates of reward are fixed and not subject to diminution at discretion.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To all Collectors.

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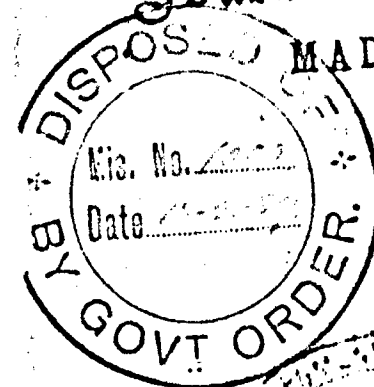
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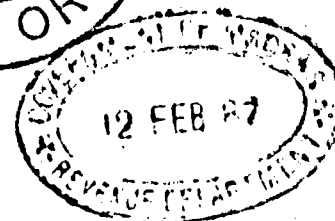
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Communicating to all Collectors, with instructions, Government Order accepting, with certain modifications, the Board's proposals regarding rewards for the destruction of wild animals.