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Draft Notification

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act V of 18[illegible] that from the area the boundaries of which are set forth in the Schedule appended to this notification shall be constituted Reserved Forest.

Schedule.

District	Taluq	No. of the village	Name of the block	Boundaries.
Chingleput	Chingleput	24	Gudalur	North :— Starting from the boundary stone Southeast of the point where the Vallampiri—Gudiwaneheri cart track cuts the Gudiwaneheri Southern boundary, this line runs along the South and east boundaries of the said village to the southeast corner of survey No 247 of Nandivaram; thence along the east sides of survey Nos 247 and 246 and the south side of survey Nos 243 and 237 to the westernmost corner of survey No 236; thence southwesterly along the west side of survey No 246 all of Nandivaram for 43 chains to cairn No 1; th[illegible]

a straight line east to cairn No 2 at the south bank of Edayarukuttai.

East:— Thence along the west side of survey No 212 of Nandivaram village to the Kaya-rampedu - Nandivaram - Karaikal pudu cheri tripunetheau; thence along the north sides of survey Nos 19, 20 and 21 to the northwest corner of the last mentioned field; thence a straight line southwest for 9 chains to cairn No 3; thence a straight line west for 8½ chains to cairn No 4; thence a straight line south for 10 chains to cairn No 5 on the Vallanpiri - Karaikal pudu cheri path; thence west along the north side of the said path for 18 chains to cairn No 6; thence south to the northwest corner of survey No 123; thence along the west side of the said field to its southwest corner; thence west to the northeast corner of survey No 364; thence along the north and west sides of the said field and the west side of survey No 363 to the southwest corner of the latter; thence a straight line south to cairn No 7 on the north bank of the Distribution channel of Nullathangal about 4½ chains west of the northwest corner of Survey No 141; thence a straight line northwest to cairn No 8 at the north end of the Nullathangal bund; thence a straight line south to cairn No 9 at the northwest corner of survey No 349 all of Kayarampedu; thence along its west side to its southwest corner; thence a straight line south to cairn No 10 at the northernmost corner of Lambithangal; thence south along the west side of the said thangal for 15 chains to cairn No 11; thence a straight line west for 9 chains to cairn No 12; thence a straight line south for 10½ chains to cairn No 13 on the west limit of the said thangal; thence a straight line southeast to the southernmost corner of the thangal; thence along the Chrabriam Kadambur west boundary to its trijunction with Karumbur and Gudalur villages; thence along the Karumbur north boundary to the eastern most corner of survey No 151 of Gudalur village.

South:— Thence a straight line northwest to the southeast corner of survey No 135; thence along the east sides of survey Nos 135 and 134 to the northeast corner of the latter; thence a straight line northwest to the southeast corner of survey No 27; thence along the east side of the said field to its northeast corner; thence a straight line

northwest to the northeast corner of survey no 25; thence along its north side to its northwest corner; thence along its west side for about 3 chains to cairn no 13 at; thence a straight line west southwest to the northeast corner of survey no 23; thence along the north side of survey nos 23 and 18 to the southeast corner of survey no 15; thence along the east sides of survey nos 15, 14, 13 and 12, the north and west sides of survey no 12 and the west sides of survey nos 13, 14, 15 and 16 to the northwest corner of survey no 40; thence along the north sides of survey nos 41, 4, 3, and 2 to the northwest corner of the last mentioned field, all of Gudalur village; thence along the Kilakkaranai village north boundary for about 20 chains to cairn no 14; thence a straight line west to the northern most corner of survey no 185 of Kilakkaranai; thence along its north side to its northwest corner.

West:- Thence northeastwards along the east margin of the Chinglepet-Madras trunk road from the 27 7/8 milestone to the 26 1/4 milestone; thence a straight line southeast to the southwest corner of survey

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no 312 of Nunampakkai village; thence along the Nunampakkai village west boundary to its trijunction with Peramanur and Kattankolathur villages; thence a straight line southeast to the southwest corner of survey no 355 of Nunampakkai village; thence along its south side and that of survey no 358 to the southeast corner of the latter; thence along the west, south and east sides of survey no 375 to the southwest corner of survey no 377; thence along the south side of survey no 377 to its southeast corner; thence along the west, south and east sides of survey no 380, the south and east sides of survey no 379 and the east and north sides of survey no 378 to the southeast corner of survey no 195; thence along its east side and the south and east sides of survey nos 194 and 193 and the east side of survey no 192 to its northeast corner; all of Nunampakkai village; thence a straight line north to cairn no 15 about 11 chains east of the southeast corner of survey no 214 of Potteri village; thence east for about 4 chains to cairn no 16; thence a straight line north-northeast to the southeast corner of survey no 213; thence along the east sides of survey no

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213, 212, 211, 210, 209, 208 and 207 of Potteri village to the northeast corner of the Eastern boundfield; thence a straight line northeast to Cairn No 17 about 11 chains east of the intersection of the Vallanjeri South boundary by the Chinglepet-Madras Trunk road; thence east along the said Vallanjeri boundary to its conjunction with Potteri and Kayarampedu villages; thence a straight line north for 4 chains to Cairn No 18; thence in the same direction to Cairn No 19 on the north side of Survey No 116; thence along the north side of survey No 116 and the east side of survey No 110 to the northeast corner of the latter; thence a straight line northwest to the starting point of the north boundary.

Remarks.

The following public rights of way are admitted:—

(1) Foot path from Karumaipudukeri to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest 28 chains west of Edayankuttai and running southwards leaves it about 5 chains northwest of the northwest corner of Sivankaikuttai in Kayarampedu village.

(2) Cart track from Vallanjeri to Karumaipudukeri. Enters the forest about 12 chains east of Vallanjeri Paraeberi and running generally east leaves it at Cairn No 6.

(3) Cart track from Madras to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 1½ chains west of the Vallanjeri-Kayarampedu-Potteri junction and running generally southeast leaves it at the northeast corner of survey No 349 of Kayarampedu village.

(4) Cart track from Madras to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 12½ chains northeast of the northeast corner of survey No 207 of Potteri and running southeast and east leaves it about 13½ chains south of the southwest corner of survey No 349 of Kayarampedu.

(5) Cart track from Ninnapara to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 5 chains north of the southeast corner of survey No 370 of Ninnapara and running eastwards leaves it about 12 chains north of the southwest corner of survey No 349 of Kayarampedu

(6) Cart track from Gudaluer to kooralam. Enters the forest about 2 chains North of the Southwest corner of survey No 381 of Ninnapani and running generally southeast leaves it about 6 1/2 chains north of the Karumbur – Gudaluer – Kadamber trijunction.

(7) Foot path from Ninnapani to Gudaluer. Branches from right of way No 6 about 2 chains east of its point of entrance and running generally southeast leaves the forest about 2 chains east of the northeast corner of survey No 23 of Gudaluer village.

(8) Cart track from Sotteri to Gudaluer in a southerly direction. Enters the forest about 2 chains southeast of the southeast corner of survey No 358 of Ninnapani and leaves it on the South side of survey No 5 of Gudaluer village.

(9). Cart track from Kattankolathur to cart track No 8. Enters the forest about 9 chains east of the Southwest corner of survey No 355 of Ninnapani and running southeast joins right of way No 8 at the north side of survey No 5 of Gudaluer.

(10) Cart track from Sittananur to the Chingleput – Madras Trunk road. Enters the forest at the northernmost corner of survey No 165 of Kilakkaranai and running northwest leaves it about 7 1/2 chains northwest of the northwest corner of survey No 166 of the said village.

(11) Foot path from Ninnapani to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 3 1/2 chains east-northeast of the northeast corner of survey No 179 of Ninnapani and running generally eastwards joins cart track No 4 – about 10 chains Southwest of the southeast corner of survey No 362 of Kayarampedu.

(12) Cart track from Gudaluer to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest at the Southeast corner of survey No 27 of Gudaluer and running generally northeast leaves it about 5 chains South of the point of exit of right of way No 4.

(13) Cart track from the southern end of Lambikangal of Gudalur village in a north westerly direction. Joins cart track No 12 at the point where it intersects the Gudalur village north boundary.

Note:— Cart tracks are 12 feet wide each and foot paths 4 feet. The former are open for people, cattle and carts and the latter for people and cattle.

Gudalur
28th December 1893

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Deputy Collector and
Forest Lieutenant Officer

Read

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

THE HON. MR. H. W. BLISS.

READ—again the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1198, Mis.:—

Read—the following letter from J. LEE-WARNER, Esq., Collector of the Chingleput District, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle), dated Saidápet, 21st December 1888, No. 1655:—

I have the honour to submit, in original, letters Nos. * * * * 408-G., dated, * * * * 8th December 1888, with their 8 enclosures as per margin received from the Forest Settlement-officer, Chingleput, &c., districts, reporting the conclusion of the settlement of the following blocks in the Conjeeveram and Chingleput taluks:—

B. Registers	4
Draft notification under section 16 ...	4
Total ...	8

No. 24, Gúdalúr.	* * * * * * * * *

and request that Government may be moved to issue the notification under section 16 of the Forest Act V of 1882 and to fix 1st March as the date when these areas shall become reserved forests.

The information required by Government Order, No. 640, dated 4th July 1887, having already been furnished in respect of these blocks in my letters, Nos. 1536, 1818 and 2111, dated 30th November 1887, 19th January and 4th March 1888, respectively, is now omitted.

I have added below the fieldwar areas of lands taken for reservation in each block:—

STATEMENT of fieldwar areas.

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.		
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.
					Acs.
Chingleput ..	Chingleput ..	No. 24, Gúdalúr block.	Kilakkaranai ..	166-A & B ..	110·12
			Peramanur	45	113·46
			Kattankulathur ..	304	119·13
			Ninnaparai	360-A, B & C .	205·97
				381	97·53
				382	24·2
				383	24·74
				384	53·8
					405·34
			Potteri	206-A & B ..	73·36
			Vallanjeri	118	14·6
				116-B ..	62·10
				116	61·61
				114-F	32·0
					169·77

Statement of fieldwar areas—*cont.*

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.		
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.
					acs.
			Nandivaram	244	71·82
				245-H	136·77
					208·59
			Kayarampedu	362-B	272·38
				362-A	32·40
				366-A & B ..	157·70
				361-A	486·7
					948·55
			Gúdalúr	152-A & B ..	501·66
				25	1·0
				24	12·0
Chingleput—*cont.*	Chingleput—*cont.*	No. 24, Gúdalúr block—*cont.*		24	3·9
				22	2·92
				19	2·69
				20	6·26
				11	3·46
				10	10·77
				9	8·94
				8	11·5
				7	12·4
				6	9·52
				5	0·71
				1	11·38
					595·78
				Grand Total ..	2,744·10

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From A. PINTO, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement Duty, Chingleput, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Chingleput, dated Kongarapolliem, dated 8th December 1888, Ref. on No. 408-G.

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Gúdalúr reserved forest, block No. 24, in the Chingleput taluk of your district.

2. The area of the block is estimated at 2,743 81 acres, or about 4·29 square miles. The notification under section 4 of the Forest Act appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th February 1888. The proclamation under section 6 of the Act was issued on the 7th and published in the supplement to the District Gazette, dated 17th March 1888, giving time for preference of claims to 30th June 1888. The last appealable decision was passed on the 26th September and the time for appeal expired on 26th November 1888. No intimation of appeal has to this day been received.

3. Six claims were preferred in respect of this block; four of them were dismissed as inadmissible and two for public rights of way were admitted and the rights recorded.

4. A field No. 25 containing 5·77 acres of Gúdalúr village lies within the block; it was excluded when the block was proposed for notification under section 4 of the Act. In the notification, as published in the Gazette, however, this fact is not specified. The ryot, aware of the exclusion, has not claimed the land though duly served with a proclamation notice. I have therefore regarded the field as excluded from settlement and have accordingly made a note of the fact in the draft notification under section 16.

5. I beg that three months' time be allowed for promulgation of the notification under section 16 from the date of its appearance in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—B. Register of claims.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

Endorsement by the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Madras, 10th January 1889, No. 2919.

Forwarded.

Resolution—dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1193, Mis.

The fieldwar areas given in the Collector's letter read above do not, in several cases, correspond with those in the settlement registers of the villages concerned; from this it is gathered that the fields in question are only partly included in the forest. In the absence therefore of definite information on this subject and without clear and complete maps of the blocks it is impossible to verify the boundary descriptions which have been sent up to the Board. The Collector will accordingly be requested to furnish them at an early date.

2. He is also requested to call upon the Forest Settlement-officer to revise the draft notifications, the boundary statements wherein are vague and unsatisfactory; they do not give the sides of the boundary marks and often refer to fields lying inside the blocks, though in the foot-notes attached to them it is stated that all the fields quoted lie outside. When drawing up the revised statements, care should be taken to avoid, as far as possible, such vague expressions as "village jungle" and "railway land," the lines being described instead as running from point to point in such and such a direction and for so many yards or chains.

3. The area statement referred to at paragraph 2 of the Collector's letter does not give the taluk areas correctly or the occupied and unoccupied extent of Government land separately; nor can it be gathered from it what proportion the forest area of each block bears to the grass land in it or what acreage of land is available in its immediate vicinity for free grazing and other like privileges. A fresh statement should therefore be forwarded.

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7. *Gúdalúr block.*—The Collector should, if there is no objection, issue a departmental order continuing the privilege claimed in cases 3 and 4 but rejected on account of late presentation of petition of claim. Care should, however, be taken to so word the order as to make it unmistakeable that no right is conferred but a concession withdrawable at the pleasure of Government.

Right of way No. 8, claim 5, is said to run through forest field No. 5 of Gúdalúr; but this number does not find place in the fieldwar list given by the Collector. The necessary corrections should be made.

As regards field No. 25 of the same village, which is admitted as an enclosure, the Board is not aware when and in what correspondence this land was excluded from reservation, and why if it had been so excluded any proclamation notice was served upon the owner. It is observed that the entire field, area 5·77 acres, is treated as a private enclosure, though according to the fieldwar statement one acre of it is forest land. The best plan is for the Forest Settlement-officer to now summon the pattadar and hear his claim and pass a formal decision on the matter. This will avoid the possibility of any trouble hereafter.

8. Very early submission of the revised papers is requested.

READ—also the following letter from the Deputy Collector, Tiruvallúr Division, to the Collector of the Chingleput District, dated Saidápet, 28th December 1891, No. 2-F.:—

With reference to your letter, Forest No. 1793, dated 18th December 1889, communicating Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1193, Mis., dated 13th December 1889, I have the honour to submit a revised draft notification for Gúdalúr block No. 24, in the Chingleput taluk, accompanied by a fresh sketch-map prepared by the District Forest-officer.

2. Referring to paragraph 7, clause 1 of the Board's Proceedings, a departmental order will have to be made in the department after the forest is reserved.

3. The omission of field No. 5 of Gúdalúr in the fieldwar list was probably by the District Forest-officer. It will have to be supplied.

4. Referring to clause 3 of the said paragraph, I beg to say that survey No. 25 of Gúdalúr is on the edge of the forest and not inside it. Only one acre of this field and not its entire area, as erroneously mentioned in my original report, was included within the notified boundaries. The area so included, however, was upon measurement found to be 65 cents. As directed by the Board, the owners of this land, who are the village mirasidars, 20 in number, were again summoned and their claim heard. One of their number who appeared consented to give up the land to the forest on payment of a money compensation of Rs. 6 on the joint receipt of all the mirasidars. This order was made on 15th January 1890, but though the mirasidars were summoned to appear and receive the payment, they neglected to do so up to 31st October 1890, when, with the consent of the then Collector, the District Forest-officer cancelled the cheque and elected for the exclusion of the land from the forest by revising its boundary, which has accordingly been done.

5. The boundary has been slightly altered between cairn No. 8 and the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu, so as to exclude the Melthangal and its bund from the forest and straighten the boundary.

6. The District Forest-officer has since brought to notice the following channels to which access is to be allowed under Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 134, dated 7th March 1889, paragraph 2, viz.:—

(1) *Feeder channel of Vallanjeri tank.*—It rises about 5½ chains south-west of the 2nd boundary stone counted southwards from the Kayarampedu-Vallanjeri-Potteri trijunction inclusive and running north-westerly leaves the forest south of cairn No. 17. It is 15 chains long and 6 feet broad.

(2) *Feeder channel of Potteri tank.*—It rises about 3 chains north of the 3rd boundary stone counted northwards from the Kayarampedu-Potteri-Ninnaparai trijunction inclusive and running westwards leaves the forest about 3 chains north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 207 of Potteri. It is 21 chains long and 9 feet broad.

(3) *Feeder channel of Potteri tank.*—It rises about 5 chains east of the north-east corner of Sundramkolam and after a course of about 15 chains in a westerly direction joins channel No. 2. It is 6 feet broad.

(4) *Feeder channel of Kayarampedu-Periyayeri tank.*—It rises about 6½ chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu and running north-westerly, southerly and south-easterly for about 130 chains, leaves the forest at the westernmost corner of the said field. It is 9 feet broad.

(5) *Feeder channel of Kayarampedu-Periyayeri tank.*—It rises from Komatikanikuttai in survey No. 152-A of Gúdalúr and running north-east leaves the forest at the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu. It is 9 feet broad.

(6) *Supply channel of Gúdalúr Periyayeri tank.*—It enters the forest west of the north-east corner of survey No. 12 of Gúdalúr and running easterly and southerly for about 34 chains leaves it about 3 chains south-south-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 25 of the said village. It is 2 feet broad.

(7) *Feeder channel of Kilakkaranai tank.*—It rises about 5 chains south of Kilankuttai in Peramanur village and running south and south-west for about 22 chains leaves the forest about 10 chains east of the north-west corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakkaranai village. It is 5 feet broad.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, block No. 24, Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Munisawmi Naidu and four other ryots of Nandivaram village, Chingleput taluk.	28th May 1888.	Pray that survey fields Nos. 244 and 245-H, 208·50 acres in extent may be excluded from the proposed reserved forest for grazing cattle, cutting wood for agricultural implements and manure shrubs.	....	....	Petitioners do not claim as of right, but simply ask for a concession. No concession can be allowed under the Forest Act. Petition is therefore dismissed as inadmissible. RAIDAPET, 28th May 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
3	Venkatarangava Iyengar and two other ryots of Kattankolattur.	19th Sept. 1888.	Pray that they may be allowed to repair the feeder channel in the proposed reserved forest and carry water to their tank.	....	....	Petitioners do not give sufficient reason for coming late. The proclamation notice gave specific note of the nature of claims that could be preferred. This petition is therefore dismissed as inadmissible. (Signed) A. PINTO, SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, 19th September 1888.
2	Seenevasammal of Gúdalúr village.	24th Sept. 1888.	Prays (1) that 200 acres of land adjoining Kambitangal may be excluded for village-site, pasture land and firewood jungle, and (2) that she may be allowed a right of way from Gúdalúr to Kambitangal.	....	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the right of way claimed.	As the petition is presented out of time and no sufficient reason is assigned for coming late, this petition is dismissed as time-barred. 2. The granting of 200 acres of land for village site, pasture land and firewood jungle is not within the scope of Forest Settlement-officer's powers. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. 20th September 1888.
	Seenevasammal of Gúdalúr village.	22nd Sept. 1888. Re-submits her petition assigning sufficient reason for coming late.	Do. do.	No evidence recorded.		Claimant prays for a grant of land for village site, pasture land and firewood jungle. This request is not based on any manner of right. It is simply inadmissible. 2. The cart-track from Gúdalúr to Kán bi tangal land applied for is already in the list of public rights of way. 3. Claimant's agent has been informed accordingly. (Signed) A. PINTO, SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, Forest Sett.-officer. 26th September 1888.

* *Note.*—This order was passed long before the receipt of Government Order, No. 652, dated 13th September 1888. Further as the claim was not renewed, was merely to an easement over the feeder channel which forms part of a Government irrigation work; and a license will surely be given by the Forest-officers to the claimants on application, no harm is done by enforcing the preference of claims within the notified time.

Public right of way No. 3 in claim No. 6.

Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4	S. Kanneyappa Naicken and 12 other ryots of Ninnaparai.	22nd Sept. 1888.	Pray (1) that they may be allowed to repair the feeder channels included in the reserve; (2) that survey field No. 360 set apart as grazing ground during the Revenue Settlement may be excluded, and (3) that they be allowed the usual rights of way through the reserve to and from their village.	Deposition of the village curnam and an exhibit marked A.	No evidence or arguments were offered.	Petitioners have come long after time and state that no notice was published in their village. Their witness, the village curnam, swears that the notice was duly published. This is corroborated by his own endorsement on the duplicate notice, exhibit A. 2. The petition is therefore time-barred and petitioners do not show sufficient reason for coming late. It is therefore simply inadmissible. 3. The rights of way mentioned by claimants are all in the list of public rights of way, and of the feeder channels the only one shown in the plan is outside the forest, *i.e.*, in fields Nos. 375 and 377. The others must be trifling ones. 4. The petition is dismissed under section 17 of the Forest Act. SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, 29th September 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
5	The District Forest-officer.	6th June 1888. 20th June 1888. 28th June 1888. 10th Sept. 1888.	Brings to notice 10 public rights of way in the proposed reserved forest.	....	....	The following public rights of way are admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act:— 1. *Foot-path**.—From Karanaipuducheri to Kayarampedu about 38 chains through forest fields No. 245 of Nandivaram and No. 362 of Kayarampedu. 2. *Cart-track*.†—From Vallanjeri to Karanaipudurcheri east to west about 40 chains through forest fields Nos. 116 and 118 of Vallanjeri and Nos. 362 and 366 of Kayarampedu. 3. *Cart-track*‡.—From Madras to Kayarampedu passing south-east for about 63 chains through forest fields Nos. 366 and 362 of Kayarampedu. 4. *Cart-track*§.—From Madras to Kayarampedu about 175 chains in a south-easterly direction through forest fields No. 206 of Potteri and Nos. 366, 362 and 361 of Kayarampedu village. 5. *Cart-track*‖.—From Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu eastward for about 67 chains through forest fields No. 382 of Ninnaparai and No. 361 of Kayarampedu. 6. *Cart-track*¶.—From Gúdalúr to Kovalam about 113 chains through forest fields No. 152 of Gúdalúr village and No. 381 of Ninnaparai village. 7. *Foot path*.**—From Ninnaparai to Gúdalúr in a southerly direction about 35 chains through forest fields Nos. 20, 21, 22, 24 and 152 of Gúdalúr village. 8. *Cart track*††.—From Potteri to Gúdalúr in a southerly direction for about 42 chains through forest fields No. 360 of Ninnaparai and Nos. 7 and 5 of Gúdalúr village. 9. *Cart-track*‡‡.—From Kattankulathur to No. 8 about 47½ chains through forest fields No. 360 of Ninnaparai and No. 6 of Gúdalúr. 10 *Cart-track*‖‖.—From Sittamanur westward to the trunk road about 33 chains through forest fields No. 166 of Kilakaranai and No. 45 of Peramanur. *Note.*—Foot-paths are 4 feet wide and cart-tracks 12 feet. The former are open for people and cattle and the latter for people, cattle and carts. SAIDAPET, 3rd October 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.

* Enters the forest 28 chains west of Yedayankuttai and running southwards leaves it about 5 chains north-west of the north-west corner of Iyenkanikuttai in Kayarampedu village.
† Enters the forest about 12 chains east of Vallanjeri-Paracheri and running generally east leaves it at cairn No. 6.
‡ Enters the forest about 1¼ chains west of the Vallanjeri-Kayarampedu-Potteri trijunction and running generally south-south-east leaves it at the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.
§ Enters the forest about 12½ chains north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 207 of Potteri and running south-east and east leaves it about 13½ chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.
‖ Enters the forest about 5 chains north of the south-east corner of survey No. 378 of Ninnaparai and running eastwards leaves it about 12 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.
¶ Enters the forest about 2 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 381 of Ninnaparai and running generally south-east leaves it about 6½ chains north of the Karumbur-Gúdalúr-Kadambur trijunction.
** Branches from right of way No. 6 about 2 chains east of its point of entrance and running generally south-east leaves the forest about 2 chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 23 of Gúdalúr.
†† Enters the forest about 2 chains south-east of the south-east corner of survey No. 358 of Ninnaparai and leaves it on the south side of survey No. 5 of Gúdalúr.
‡‡ Enters the forest about 9 chains east of the south-west corner of survey No. 355 of Ninnaparai and running south-east joins right of way No. 8 at the north side of survey No. 5 of Gúdalúr.
‖‖ Enters the forest at the northernmost corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakaranai and running north-west leaves it about 7½ chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 166 of the said village.

Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
6	The District Forest-officer.	26th Sept. 1888.	Brings to notice 3 additional public rights of way in the proposed reserved forest.	....	....	The following public rights of way are admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act. 1. *Foot-path**.—From Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu about 40 chains through forest fields No. 384 of Ninnaparai and Nos. 361 and 366 of Kayarampedu. Joins cart-track No. 4 in claim No. 5. 2. *Cart-track*†.—From Gúdalúr to Kayarampedu about 92 chains through forest fields No. 152 of Gúdalúr and No. 361 of Kayarampedu villages in a north-easterly direction. 3 *Cart-track*‡.—From the southern end of Kambitangal of Gúdalúr village about 39 chains through forest field No. 152 of Gúdalúr in a north-westerly direction. Joins cart-track No. 2 *supra*. *Note.*—The foot-path is 4 feet wide and the cart-tracks are 12 feet. The former is open for people and cattle and the latter for people, cattle and carts. SAIDAPET, 3rd October 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
7	Srinivasa Chari residing at Gúdalúr village on behalf of himself and 12 other mirasidars of the village.	15th Jan. 1890.	Claims 66 cents out of survey field No. 25 included in the proposed reserved forest.	Sworn testimony of one witness. Claimant consents to surrender the land on receiving money-compensation of Rs. 6 in full of all demands.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim; elects to acquire the land for the forest.	The claim to 66 cents of land out of survey field No. 25 is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and as claimant is willing to accept a compensation of Rs. 6 for it in full of all demands and to surrender the land, the surrender is accepted under section 10 (1) 1 of the said Act. The money will be paid to all the mirasidars on their joint receipt. A nominal list of the mirasidars is annexed to this order. SAIDAPET, 15th January 1890. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. No. 1. Streenivasa Chariar. No. 2 V. Streenivasa Raghava Chariar. No. 3. Alagasinga Iyengar. No. 4. K. Raghava Chariar. No. 5. Raghava Chariar. No. 6. Streenivasa Raghava Chariar. No. 7. Streenivasammal. No. 9. Ananthabatta Chariar. Raghavammal. No. 11. Alavattanattan. Appasawmi Nattan. No. 16. Varadachariar. No. 17. Kuramunian and others. No. 20. Parthasaradhi Iyengar. No. 21. P. Ramanuja Chariar. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. *Further order.*—Since the date of this order to 31st October 1890, the compensation herein referred to was tendered to the claimants and they were asked to appear either in person or by agent, grant a joint receipt and receive the amount awarded. They have failed to do so. The difficulty is to get all the shareholders together at one time. They are about 20 § in number and there may be a number of subholders besides. The compensation amount is so small that it is probably not worth their while to collect themselves together and appear before the paying officer. 2. The land itself lies on the edge of the block and can easily be thrown out of its limits by revising its boundaries. The District Forest-officer has consented to this arrangement. It is accordingly excluded from the forest under section 10 (1) 2 of the Forest Act. PERIYAPALAIYAM, 22nd November 1890. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
8	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	13th Nov. 1891.	Applies for the exclusion of Melthangal and its bund of Kayarampedu village from the proposed reserved forest so as to dispense with the necessity of granting rights of way over the tank bund, calingula and head of distribution channel to the ryots of the village.	....	....	The proposed alteration is adopted. UTTUKOTAI, 13th November 1891. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.

* Enters the forest about 3½ chains east-north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 179 of Ninnaparai and running generally eastwards joins cart track No. 4 *supra* about 10 chains south-west of the south-west corner of survey No. 362 of Kayarampedu.
† Enters the forest at the south-east corner of survey No. 27 of Gúdalúr and leaves it about 5 chains south of the point of exit of right of way No. 4 *supra*.
‡ At the point where it intersects the Gúdalúr village north boundary.
§ Inclusive of subholders.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Sketch-map.

ENCLOSURES NOS. 4 AND 5.—Papers returned with Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1193, Mis., dated 13th December 1889.

Endorsement by the Collector of the Chingleput District, dated Saidápet, 22nd January 1892, No. 2122.

Submitted with all enclosures to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1193, Mis.

A revised statement of area and condition, together with a revised area list, is submitted with reference to paragraphs 1, 3, and 7-2 of the above Proceedings.

The draft notification has also been revised in reference to paragraph 2.

Survey No. 25 of Gúdalúr village referred to in paragraph 7-3 has been wholly excluded.

Referring to paragraph 7-1 of the Proceedings, the rights of way in claim 4 appear in the general lists furnished by the District Forest-officer and recorded in the B register.

The privilege claimed in case 3 will be allowed by departmental order whenever occasion requires it.

STATEMENT of area and condition of the Gúdalúr block No 24, Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district.

Total area of the taluk.	Extent of Government land in the taluk.		Area of reserves notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves submitted under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
Acres 279,040.	Acres 76,393.	Acres 134,461.	Acres 25,603·11.	Acres 1,970·89.	Acres 2,743·81.	Acres 2,743·81.		Submitted.

STATEMENT of fieldwar areas.

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.			
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.	Area taken up.
					Acs.	Acs.
Chingleput ..	Chingleput ..	No. 24, Gúdalúr.	83. Kilakaranai ..	166	230·30	110·12
			82. Peramanur ..	45	113·46	113·46
			62. Kattankulathur.	304	134·13	119·13
			61. Ninnapparai ..	360-A, B & C.	255·97	205·97
				381	97·53	97·53
				382	24·2	24·2
				383	24·74	24·74
				384	68·38	53·8
					470·64	405·34
			60. Potteri ..	206-A ..	73·36	73·36

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Statement of fieldwar areas—*cont.*

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.			
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.	Area taken up.
					Acs.	Acs.
Chingleput—*cont.*	Chingleput—*cont.*	No. 24 Gúdalúr—*cont.*	57. Vallanjeri ..	118	14·6	14·6
				116 (5)	101·18	62·19
				115	61·61	61·61
				114-F ..	32·0	32·0
					208·85	169·77
			6. Nandivaram ..	244	71·82	71·82
				245-H ..	136·77	136·77
					208·59	208·59
			56. Kayarampedu..	362-B ..	272·38	272·38
				362-A ..	69·40	32·49
				366	157·70	157·70
				351-A & B ..	1,096·52	486·7
					1,596·00	948·55
			85. Gúdalúr ..	152-A & B ..	526·66	501·66
				24	28·27	12·0
				21	3·9	3·9
				22	2·92	2·92
				19	2·69	2·69
				20	5·26	5·26
				11	3·46	3·46
				10	10·77	10·77
				9	8·94	8·94
				8	11·5	11·5
				7	12·4	12·4
				6	9·52	9·52
				5	0·71	0·71
				1	11·38	11·38
				Total ..	636·76	595·49
				Grand Total ..	3,672·09	2,743·81

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Karunguli, 4th February 1892, No. 2847.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—dated 8th June 1892, Forest No. 283.

The draft notification received with the foregoing letter will be submitted to Government for approval and publication, 1st December 1892 being recommended as the date from which the reservation shall commence.

2. The Collector should, by departmental order, grant the access to the feeder channels recommended by the Forest Settlement-officer in paragraph 6 of his report.

3. The area of the block is reported to be nearly 2,744 acres.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with a draft notification, and map to be returned.
" Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.
" Collector of Chingleput.
Copy to the Examiner of Forest Accounts.

Exd. C. M. Brisson.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Submitting to Government, for approval and issue in the Gazettes, the *draft notification* for constituting the proposed Gúdalúr block in the Chingleput district as a *reserved forest* under section 16 of Act V of 1882.

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Order of 7 Septr 1892 no: 738.

The draft notification is approved and will be published in the Fort St George and Chingleput District Gazettes, the 15th December 1892 being entered as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 8th June 1892, Forest No. 283 :—

THE HON. MR. H. W. BLISS.

Read—again the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1198, Mis. :—

Read—the following letter from J. LEE-WARNER, Esq., Collector of the Chingleput District, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle), dated Saidápet, 21st December 1888, No. 1655 :—

I have the honour to submit, in original, letters Nos. * * * * 408-G., dated, * * * * 8th December 1888, with their 8 enclosures as per margin received from the Forest Settlement-officer, Chingleput, &c., districts, reporting the conclusion of the settlement of the following blocks in the Conjeeveram and Chingleput taluks :—

B. Registers	4
Draft notification under section 16 ...	4
Total ...	8

No. 24, Gúdalúr.	* * * *
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and request that Government may be moved to issue the notification under section 16 of the Forest Act V of 1882 and to fix 1st March as the date when these areas shall become reserved forests.

The information required by Government Order, No. 640, dated 4th July 1887, having already been furnished in respect of these blocks in my letters, Nos. 1536, 1818 and 2111, dated 30th November 1887, 19th January and 4th March 1888, respectively, is now omitted.

I have added below the fieldwar areas of lands taken for reservation in each block :—

STATEMENT of fieldwar areas.

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.		
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.
					Acs.
			Kilakkaranai ..	166-A & B ..	110·12
			Peramanur	55	113·46
			Kuttankulathúr ..	304	119·13
			Ninnaparai	360-A, B & C .	205·97
				381	97·53
				382	24·2
				383	24·74
Chingleput ..	Chingleput ..	No. 24, Gúdalúr block.		384	53·8
					405·34
			Potteri	206-A & B ..	73·36
			Vallanjeri	118	14·6
				116-B ..	62·10
				115	61·61
				114-F	32·0
					169·77

Statement of fieldwar areas—*cont.*

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.		
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.
					Acs.
			Nandivaram	244	71·82
				245-H	136·77
					208·59
			Kayarampedu ..	362-B	272·38
				362-A	32·40
				365-A & B ..	157·70
				361-A	486·7
					948·55
			Gúdalúr	152-A & B ..	501·66
				25	1·0
Chingleput—*cont.*	Chingleput—*cont.*	No. 24, Gúdalúr block—*cont.*		24	12·0
				21	3·9
				22	2·92
				19	2·69
				20	5·26
				11	3·46
				10	10·77
				9	8·94
				8	11·5
				7	12·4
				6	9·52
				5	0·71
				1	11·38
					595·78
				Grand Total ..	2,744·10

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From A. PINTO, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement Duty, Chingleput, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Chingleput, dated Kongarapolliem, dated 8th December 1888, Ref. on No. 408-G.

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Gúdalúr reserved forest, block No. 24, in the Chingleput taluk of your district.

2. The area of the block is estimated at 2,743·81 acres, or about 4·29 square miles. The notification under section 4 of the Forest Act appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th February 1888. The proclamation under section 6 of the Act was issued on the 7th and published in the supplement to the District Gazette, dated 17th March 1888, giving time for preference of claims to 30th June 1888. The last appealable decision was passed on the 26th September and the time for appeal expired on 26th November 1888. No intimation of appeal has to this day been received.

3. Six claims were preferred in respect of this block; four of them were dismissed as inadmissible and two for public rights of way were admitted and the rights recorded.

4. A field No. 25 containing 5·77 acres of Gúdalúr village lies within the block; it was excluded when the block was proposed for notification under section 4 of the Act. In the notification, as published in the Gazette, however, this fact is not specified. The ryot, aware of the exclusion, has not claimed the land though duly served with a proclamation notice. I have therefore regarded the field as excluded from settlement and have accordingly made a note of the fact in the draft notification under section 16.

5. I beg that three months' time be allowed for promulgation of the notification under section 16 from the date of its appearance in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—B. Register of claims.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

Endorsement by the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Madras, 10th January 1889, No. 2919.

Forwarded.

Resolution—dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1198, Mis.

The fieldwar areas given in the Collector's letter read above do not, in several cases, correspond with those in the settlement registers of the villages concerned; from this it is gathered that the fields in question are only partly included in the forest. In the absence therefore of definite information on this subject and without clear and complete maps of the blocks it is impossible to verify the boundary descriptions which have been sent up to the Board. The Collector will accordingly be requested to furnish them at an early date.

2. He is also requested to call upon the Forest Settlement-officer to revise the draft notifications, the boundary statements wherein are vague and unsatisfactory; they do not give the sides of the boundary marks and often refer to fields lying inside the blocks, though in the foot-notes attached to them it is stated that all the fields quoted lie outside. When drawing up the revised statements, care should be taken to avoid, as far as possible, such vague expressions as "village jungle" and "railway land," the lines being described instead as running from point to point in such and such a direction and for so many yards or chains.

3. The area statement referred to at paragraph 2 of the Collector's letter does not give the taluk areas correctly or the occupied and unoccupied extent of Government land separately; nor can it be gathered from it what proportion the forest area of each block bears to the grass land in it or what acreage of land is available in its immediate vicinity for free grazing and other like privileges. A fresh statement should therefore be forwarded.

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7. *Gúdalúr block.*—The Collector should, if there is no objection, issue a departmental order continuing the privilege claimed in cases 3 and 4 but rejected on account of late presentation of petition of claim. Care should, however, be taken to so word the order as to make it unmistakeable that no right is conferred but a concession withdrawable at the pleasure of Government.

Right of way No. 8, claim 5, is said to run through forest field No. 5 of Gúdalúr; but this number does not find place in the fieldwar list given by the Collector. The necessary corrections should be made.

As regards field No. 25 of the same village, which is admitted as an enclosure, the Board is not aware when and in what correspondence this land was excluded from reservation, and why if it had been so excluded any proclamation notice was served upon the owner. It is observed that the entire field, area 5·77 acres, is treated as a private enclosure, though according to the fieldwar statement one acre of it is forest land. The best plan is for the Forest Settlement-officer to now summon the pattadar and hear his claim and pass a formal decision on the matter. This will avoid the possibility of any trouble hereafter.

8. Very early submission of the revised papers is requested.

Read—also the following letter from the Deputy Collector, Tiruvallúr Division, to the Collector of the Chingleput District, dated Saidápet, 28th December 1891, No. 2-F.:—

With reference to your letter, Forest No. 1793, dated 18th December 1889, communicating Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1198, Mis., dated 13th December 1889, I have the honour to submit a revised draft notification for Gúdalúr block No. 24, in the Chingleput taluk, accompanied by a fresh sketch-map prepared by the District Forest-officer.

2. Referring to paragraph 7, clause 1 of the Board's Proceedings, a departmental order will have to be made in the department after the forest is reserved.

3. The omission of field No. 5 of Gúdalúr in the fieldwar list was probably by the District Forest-officer. It will have to be supplied.

4. Referring to clause 3 of the said paragraph, I beg to say that survey No. 25 of Gúdalúr is on the edge of the forest and not inside it. Only one acre of this field and not its entire area, as erroneously mentioned in my original report, was included within the notified boundaries. The area so included, however, was upon measurement found to be 65 cents. As directed by the Board, the owners of this land, who are the village mirasidars, 20 in number, were again summoned and their claim heard. One of their number who appeared consented to give up the land to the forest on payment of a money compensation of Rs. 6 on the joint receipt of all the mirasidars. This order was made on 15th January 1890, but though the mirasidars were summoned to appear and receive the payment, they neglected to do so up to 31st October 1890, when, with the consent of the then Collector, the District Forest-officer cancelled the cheque and elected for the exclusion of the land from the forest by revising its boundary, which has accordingly been done.

5. The boundary has been slightly altered between cairn No. 8 and the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu, so as to exclude the Melthangal and its bund from the forest and straighten the boundary.

6. The District Forest-officer has since brought to notice the following channels to which access is to be allowed under Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 134, dated 7th March 1889, paragraph 2, viz.:—

(1) *Feeder channel of Vallanjeri tank.*—It rises about 5½ chains south-west of the 2nd boundary stone counted southwards from the Kayarampedu-Vallanjeri-Potteri trijunction inclusive and running north-westerly leaves the forest south of cairn No. 17. It is 15 chains long and 6 feet broad.

(2) *Feeder channel of Potteri tank.*—It rises about 3 chains north of the 3rd boundary stone counted northwards from the Kayarampedu-Potteri-Ninnaparai trijunction inclusive and running westwards leaves the forest about 3 chains north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 207 of Potteri. It is 21 chains long and 9 feet broad.

(3) *Feeder channel of Potteri tank.*—It rises about 5 chains east of the north-east corner of Sundramkolam and after a course of about 15 chains in a westerly direction joins channel No. 2. It is 6 feet broad.

(4) *Feeder channel of Kayarampedu-Periyayeri tank.*—It rises about 6½ chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 319 of Kayarampedu and running north-westerly, southerly and south-easterly for about 130 chains, leaves the forest at the westernmost corner of the said field. It is 9 feet broad.

(5) *Feeder channel of Kayarampedu-Periyayeri tank.*—It rises from Komatikanikuttai in survey No. 152-A of Gúdalúr and running north-east leaves the forest at the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu. It is 9 feet broad.

(6) *Supply channel of Gúdalúr Periyayeri tank.*—It enters the forest west of the north-east corner of survey No. 12 of Gúdalúr and running easterly and southerly for about 34 chains leaves it about 3 chains south-south-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 25 of the said village. It is 2 feet broad.

(7) *Feeder channel of Kilakkaranai tank.*—It rises about 5 chains south of Kilankuttai in Peramanur village and running south and south-west for about 22 chains leaves the forest about 10 chains east of the north-west corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakkaranai village. It is 5 feet broad.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, block No. 24, Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	6	6	7
1	Muniaswmi Naida and four other ryots of Nandivaram village, Chingleput taluk.	28th May 1888.	Pray that survey fields Nos. 244 and 246-H, 266·59 acres in extent may be excluded from the proposed reserved forest for grazing cattle, cutting wood for agricultural implements and manure shrubs.	....	....	Petitioners do not claim as of right, but simply ask for a concession. No concession can be allowed under the Forest Act. Petition is therefore dismissed as inadmissible. SAIDAPET, 28th May 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
3	Venkatarangava Iyengar and two other ryots of Kattankulattur.	19th Sept. 1888.	Pray that they may be allowed to repair the feeder channel in the proposed reserved forest and carry water to their tank.	....	....	* Petitioners do not give sufficient reason for coming late. The proclamation notice gave specific note of the nature of claims that could be preferred. This petition is therefore dismissed as inadmissible. (Signed) A. PINTO, SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, 19th September 1888.
2	Sreenevasammal of Gúdalúr village.	20th Sept. 1888.	Prays (1) that 200 acres of land adjoining Kanbitangal may be excluded for village-site, pasture land and firewood jungle, and (2) that she may be allowed a right of way from Gúdalúr to Kambitangal.	....	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the right of way claimed.	As the petition is presented out of time and no sufficient reason is assigned for coming late, this petition is dismissed as time-barred. 2. The granting of 200 acres of land for village site, pasture land and firewood jungle is not within the scope of Forest Settlement-officer's powers. (Signed) A. PINTO, SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, Forest Sett.-officer. 20th September 1888.
	Sreenevasammal of Gúdalúr village.	22nd Sept. 1888. Re-submitted her petition assigning sufficient reason for coming late.	Do.	do.	No evidence was offered or recorded.	Claimant prays for a grant of land for village site, pasture land and firewood jungle. This request is not based on any manner of right. It is simply inadmissible. 2. The cart-track from Gúdalúr to Kambi tangal land applied for is already in the list † of public rights of way. 3. Claimant's agent has been informed accordingly. (Signed) A. PINTO, SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, Forest Sett.-officer. 26th September 1888.

* *Note.*—This order was passed long before the receipt of Government Order, No. 662, dated 13th September 1888. Further as the claim was not renewed, was merely to an easement over the feeder channel which forms part of a Government irrigation work; and a license will surely be given by the Forest-officers to the claimants on application, no harm is done by enforcing the preference of claim within the notified time.

† Public right of way No. 3 in claim No. 6.

Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4	S. Kannayappa Naicken and 12 other ryots of Ninnaparai.	22nd Sept. 1888.	Pray (1) that they may be allowed to repair the feeder channels included in the reserve; (2) that survey field No. 360 set apart as grazing ground during the Revenue Settlement may be excluded, and (3) that they be allowed the usual rights of way through the reserve to and from their village.	Deposition of the village curnam and an exhibit marked A.	No evidence or arguments were offered.	Petitioners have come long after time and state that no notice was published in their village. Their witness, the village curnam, swears that the notice was duly published. This is corroborated by his own endorsement on the duplicate notice, exhibit A. 2. The petition is therefore time-barred and petitioners do not show sufficient reason for coming late. It is therefore simply inadmissible. 3. The rights of way mentioned by claimants are all in the list of public rights of way, and of the feeder channels the only one shown in the plan is outside the forest, *i.e.*, in fields Nos. 375 and 377. The others must be trifling ones. 4. The petition is dismissed under section 17 of the Forest Act. SINGAPERUMALCOVIL, 26th September 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
5	The District Forest-officer.	6th June 1888. 20th June 1888. 24th June 1888. 10th Sept. 1888.	Brings to notice 10 public rights of way in the proposed reserved forest.	....	....	The following public rights of way are admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act:— 1. *Foot-path**.—From Karanaipuducheri to Kayarampedu about 38 chains through forest fields No. 245 of Nandivaram and No. 362 of Kayarampedu. 2. *Cart-track*†.—From Vallanjeri to Karanaipudurcheri east to west about 40 chains through forest fields Nos. 116 and 118 of Vallanjeri and Nos. 362 and 366 of Kayarampedu. 3. *Cart-tr* . From Madras to Kayarampedu passing south-east for about 63 chains through forest fields Nos. 366 and 362 of .ampedu. 4. *Cart-tra* .—From Madras to Kayarampedu about 175 chains in a south-easterly direction through forest fields No. 206 of Potteri and Nos. 366, 362 and 361 of Kayarampedu village. 5. *Cart-track*‖.—From Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu eastward for about 67 chains through forest fields No. 362 of Ninnaparai and No. 361 of Kayarampedu. 6. *Cart-track*¶.—From Gúdalúr to Kovalam about 113 chains through forest fields No. 152 of Gúdalúr village and No. 381 of Ninnaparai village. 7. *Foot-path*.**—From Ninnaparai to Gúdalúr in a southerly direction about 35 chains through forest fields Nos. 20, 21, 22, 24 and 152 of Gúdalúr village. 8. *Cart track*††.—From Potteri to Gúdalúr in a southerly direction for about 42 chains through forest fields No. 360 of Ninnaparai and Nos. 7 and 5 of Gúdalúr village. 9. *Cart-track*‡‡.—From Kattankulathur to No. 8 about 47½ chains through forest fields No. 360 of Ninnaparai and No. 6 of Gúdalúr. 10. *Cart-track*‖‖.—From Sittamanur westward to the trunk road about 33 chains through forest fields No. 166 of Kilakaranai and No. 45 of Peramanur. *Note.*—Foot-paths are 4 feet wide and cart-tracks 12 feet. The former are open for people and cattle and the latter for people, cattle and carts. SAIDAPET, 3rd October 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.

* Enters the forest 28 chains west of Yedayankuttai and running southwards leaves it about 5 chains north-west of the north-west corner of Iyenkanikuttai in Kayarampedu village.

† Enters the forest about 12 chains east of Vallanjeri-Paracheri and running generally east leaves it at cairn No. 6.

‡ Enters the forest about 1½ chains west of the Vallanjeri-Kayarampedu-Potteri trijunction and running generally south-south-east leaves it at the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.

§ Enters the forest about 12½ chains north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 207 of Potteri and running south-east and east leaves it about 13½ chains south of the south-west corner of survey No 349 of Kayarampedu.

‖ Enters the forest about 5 chains north of the south-east corner of survey No. 378 of Ninnaparai and running eastwards leaves it about 12 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.

¶ Enters the forest about 2 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 381 of Ninnaparai and running generally south-east leaves it about 6½ chains north of the Karumbur-Gúdalúr-Kadambur trijunction.

** Branches from right of way No. 6 about 2 chains east of its point of entrance and running generally south-east leaves the forest about 2 chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 23 of Gúdalúr.

†† Enters the forest about 2 chains south-east of the south-east corner of survey No. 358 of Ninnaparai and leaves it on the south side of survey No. 5 of Gúdalúr.

‡‡ Enters the forest about 9 chains east of the south-west corner of survey No. 355 of Ninnaparai and running south-east joins right of way No. 8 at the north side of survey No. 5 of Gúdalúr.

‖‖ Enters the forest at the northernmost corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakaranai and running north-west leaves it about 7½ chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 166 of the said village.

Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Gúdalúr reserved Forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
6	The District Forest-officer.	26th Sept. 1888.	Brings to notice 3 additional public rights of way in the proposed reserved forest.	....	....	The following public rights of way are admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act. 1. *Foot-path* *.—From Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu about 40 chains through forest fields No. 384 of Ninnaparai and Nos. 361 and 366 of Kayarampedu. Joins cart-track No. 4 in claim No. 5. 2. *Cart-track*†.—From Gúdalúr to Kayarampedu about 92 chains through forest fields No. 152 of Gúdalúr and No. 361 of Kayarampedu villages in a north-easterly direction. 3. *Cart-track*‡.—From the southern end of Sambitangal of Gúdalúr village about 39 chains through forest field No. 152 of Gúdalúr in a north-westerly direction. Joins cart-track No. 2 *supra*. *Note.*—The foot-path is 4 feet wide and the cart-tracks are 12 feet. The former is open for people and cattle and the latter for people, cattle and carts. SAIDAPET, 3rd October 1888. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
7	Srinivasa Chari residing at Gúdalúr village on behalf of himself and 12 other mirasidars of the village.	15th Jan. 1890.	Claims 65 cents out of survey field No. 25 included in the proposed reserved forest.	Sworn testimony of one witness. Claimant consents to surrender the land on receiving money-compensation of Rs. 6 in full of all demands.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim; elects to acquire the land for the forest.	The claim to 65 cents of land out of survey field No. 25 is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and as claimant is willing to accept a compensation of Rs. 6 for it in full of all demands and to surrender the land, the surrender is accepted under section 10 (1) 1 of the said Act. The money will be paid to all the mirasidars on their joint receipt. A nominal list of the mirasidars is annexed to this order. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. SAIDAPET, 15th January 1890. No. 1. Streenivasa Chariar. No. 2. V. Streenivasa Raghava Chariar. No. 3. Alagasinga Iyengar. No. 4. K. Raghava Chariar. No. 5. Raghava Chariar. No. 6. Streenivasa Raghava Chariar. No. 7. Streenivasammal. No. 9. Ananthabatta Chariar. Raghavammal. No. 11. Alavattanattan. Appasawmi Nattan. No. 16. Varadachariar. No. 17. Kuramunian and others. No. 20. Parthasaradhi Iyengar. No. 21. P. Ramanuja Chariar. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. *Further order.*—Since the date of this order to 31st October 1890, the compensation herein referred to was tendered to the claimants and they were asked to appear either in person or by agent, grant a joint receipt and receive the amount awarded. They have failed to do so. The difficulty is to get all the shareholders together at one time. They are about 20 § in number and there may be a number of subholders besides. The compensation amount is so small that it is probably not worth their while to collect themselves together and appear before the paying officer. 2. The land itself lies on the edge of the block and can easily be thrown out of its limits by revising its boundaries. The District Forest-officer has consented to this arrangement. It is accordingly excluded from the forest under section 10 (1) 2 of the Forest Act. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
8	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	13th Nov. 1891.	Applies for the exclusion of Melthangal and its bund of Kayarampedu village from the proposed reserved forest so as to dispense with the necessity of granting rights of way over the tank bund, calingula and head of distribution channel to the ryots of the village.	....	....	The proposed alteration is adopted. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. UTTUKOTAI, 13th November 1891.

* Enters the forest about 3½ chains east-north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 179 of Ninnaparai and running generally eastwards joins cart track No. 4 *supra* about 10 chains south-west of the south-west corner of survey No. 362 of Kayarampedu.

† Enters the forest at the south-east corner of survey No. 27 of Gúdalúr and leaves it about 5 chains south of the point of exit of right of way No. 4 *supra*.

‡ At the point where it intersects the Gúdalúr village north boundary.

§ Inclusive of subholders.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Sketch-map.

ENCLOSURES NOS. 4 AND 5.—Papers returned with Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1198, Mis., dated 13th December 1889.

Endorsement by the Collector of the Chingleput District, dated Saidápet, 22nd January 1892, No. 2122.

Submitted with all enclosures to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated 13th December 1889, Forest No. 1198, Mis.

A revised statement of area and condition, together with a revised area list, is submitted with reference to paragraphs 1, 3, and 7-2 of the above Proceedings.

The draft notification has also been revised in reference to paragraph 2.

Survey No. 25 of Gúdalúr village referred to in paragraph 7-3 has been wholly excluded.

Referring to paragraph 7-1 of the Proceedings, the rights of way in claim 4 appear in the general lists furnished by the District Forest-officer and recorded in the B register.

The privilege claimed in case 3 will be allowed by departmental order whenever occasion requires it.

STATEMENT of area and condition of the Gúdalúr block No 24, Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district.

Total area of the taluk.	Extent of Government land in the taluk.		Area of reserves notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves submitted under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
Acres 279,040.	Acres 76,893.	Acres 134,461.	Acres 25,403·11.	Acres 1,370·89.	Acres 2,743·81.	Acres 2,743 81.	..	Submitted.

STATEMENT of fieldwar areas.

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.			
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.	Area taken up.
					Acs.	Acs.
Chingleput ..	Chingleput ..	No. 24, Gúdalúr.	83. Kilakaranai ..	166	230·30	110·12
			82. Peramanur ..	45	113·46	113·46
			62. Kattankulathur.	304	134 13	119·13
			61. Ninnaparai ..	360-A, B & C.	255·97	205·97
				381	97·53	97·53
				382	24·2	24·2
				383	24·74	24·74
				384	68·38	53·8
					470·64	405·34
			60. Potteri ..	206-A ..	73·36	73·36

Statement of fieldwar areas—*cont.*

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Survey field numbers with their areas comprised in the block.			
			Village.	Survey field number.	Extent.	Area taken up.
					Acs.	Acs.
			57. Vallanjeri ..	118	14·6	14·6
				116 (*b*) ..	101·18	62·10
				115	61·61	61·61
				114-F ..	32·0	32·0
					208·85	169·77
			6. Nandivaram ..	244	71·82	71·82
				245-H ..	136·77	136·77
					208·59	208·59
			56. Kayarampedu..	362-B ..	272·38	272·38
				362-A ..	69·40	32·40
				366	157·70	157·70
				361-A & B ..	1,096·52	486·7
					1,596·00	948·55
Chingleput—*cont.*	Chingleput—*cont.*	No. 24 Gúdalúr—*cont.*	85. Gúdalúr ..	152-A & B ..	626·66	501·66
				24	28·27	12·0
				21	3·9	3·9
				22	2·92	2·92
				19	2·69	2·69
				20	5·26	5·26
				11	3·46	3·46
				10	10·77	10·77
				9	8·94	8·94
				8	11·5	11·5
				7	12·4	12·4
				6	9·52	9·52
				5	0·71	0·71
				1	11·38	11·38
				Total ..	636·75	595·49
				Grand Total ..	3,672·09	2,743·81

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Karunguli, 4th February 1892, No. 2847.

Forwarded.

Resolution—dated 8th June 1892, Forest No. 283.

The draft notification received with the foregoing letter will be submitted to Government for approval and publication, 1st December 1892 being recommended as the date from which the reservation shall commence.

2. The Collector should, by departmental order, grant the access to the feeder channels recommended by the Forest Settlement-officer in paragraph 6 of his report.

3. The area of the block is reported to be nearly 2,744 acres.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. S. MEYER,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with a draft notification, and map (to be returned).
" Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.
" Collector of Chingleput.
Copy to the Examiner of Forest Accounts.

ORDER—dated 7th September 1892, No. 938, Revenue.

Forest, No. 207.

The draft notification is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Chingleput District Gazettes, the 15th December 1892 being entered as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioners of Land Revenue, with map.
,, the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

No. 938A.

Copy to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882), that, from the 15th December 1892, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Number of the block.	Name of the block.	Boundaries and remarks.
Chingleput.	Chingleput.	24	Gudalur.	*North.*—Starting from the boundary stone south-east of the point where the Vallanjeri-Guduvancheri cart-track cuts the Guduvancheri southern boundary, the line runs along the south and east boundaries of the said village to the south-east corner of survey No. 247 of Nandivaram; thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 247 and 246 and the south sides of survey Nos. 243 and 237 to the westernmost corner of survey No. 236; thence south-west along the west side of survey No. 245, all of Nandivaram, for 43 chains to cairn No. 1; thence a straight line east to cairn No. 2 at the south bank of Edayankuttai. *East.*—Thence along the west side of survey No. 212 of Nandivaram village to the Kayarampedu-Nandivaram-Karanaipuducheri trijunction; thence along the north sides of survey Nos. 19, 20 and 21 to the north-west corner of the last-mentioned field; thence a straight line south-west for 9 chains to cairn No. 3; thence a straight line west for 8½ chains to cairn No. 4; thence a straight line south for 10 chains to cairn No. 5 on the Vallanjeri-Karanaipuducheri path; thence west along the north side of the said path for 18 chains to cairn No. 6; thence south to the north-west corner of survey No. 123; thence along the west side of the said field to its south-west corner; thence west to the north-east corner of survey No. 364; thence along the north and west sides of the said field and the west side of the survey No. 363 to the south-west corner of the latter; thence a straight line south to cairn No. 7 on the north bank of the distribution channel of Melthangal about 4½ chains west of the north-west corner of survey No. 141; thence a straight line slightly north-west to cairn No. 8 at the north end of Melthangal bund; thence a straight line south to cairn No. 9 at the north-west corner of survey No. 349, all of Kayarampedu; thence along its west side to its south-west corner; thence a straight line south-west to cairn No. 10 at the northernmost corner of Sambithangal; thence south along the west side of the said thangal for 15 chains to cairn No. 11; thence a straight line west for 9 chains to cairn No. 12; thence a straight line south for 10½ chains to cairn No. 13 on the west limit of the said thangal; thence a straight line south-east to the southernmost corner of the thangal; thence along the shrotriem Kadambur west boundary to its trijunction with Karumbur and Gudalur villages; thence along the Karumbur north boundary to the easternmost corner of survey No. 151 of Gudalur village. *South.*—Thence a straight line north-west to the south-east corner of survey No. 135; thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 135 and 134 to the north-east corner of the latter; thence a straight line north-west to the south-east corner of survey No. 27; thence along the east side of the said field to its north-east corner; thence a straight line north-west to the north-east corner of survey No. 25; thence along its north side to its north-west corner; thence along its west side for about 3 chains to cairn No. 13A; thence a straight line west-south-west to the north-east corner of survey No. 24; thence along the north sides of survey Nos. 23 and 18 to the south-east corner of survey No. 15; thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 15, 14, 13 and 12, the north and west sides of survey No. 12 and the west sides of survey Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16 to the north-west corner of survey No. 40; thence along the north sides of survey Nos. 41, 42 and 43 to the north-west corner of the last-mentioned field, all of Gudalur village; thence along the Kilakkarana village north boundary for about 20 chains to cairn No. 14; thence a straight line west to the northernmost corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakkaranai; thence along its north side to its north-west corner.

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West.—Thence north-eastwards along the east margin of the Chingleput-Madras trunk road from the 27¾ mile-stone to the 26½ mile-stone; thence a straight line east to the south-west corner of survey No. 312 of Ninnaparai village; thence along the Ninnaparai village west boundary to its trijunction with Peramanur and Kattankolattur villages; thence a straight line south-east to the south-west corner of survey No. 355 of Ninnaparai village; thence along its south side and that of survey No. 358 to the south-east corner of the latter; thence along the west, south and east sides of survey No. 375 to the south-west corner of survey No. 377; thence along the south side of survey No. 377 to its south-east corner; thence along the west, south and east sides of survey 380, the south and east sides of survey No. 379 and the east and north sides of survey No. 378 to the south-east corner of survey No. 195; thence along its east side and the south and east sides of survey Nos. 194 and 193 and the east side of survey No. 192 to its north-east corner, all of Ninnaparai village; thence a straight line north to cairn No. 15 about 11 chains east of the south-east corner of survey No. 214 of Potteri village; thence east for about 4 chains to cairn No. 16; thence a straight line north-north-east to the south-east corner of survey No. 213; thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 213, 212, 211, 210, 209, 208 and 207 of Potteri village to the north-east corner of the last mentioned field; thence a straight line north-east to cairn No. 17 about 11 chains east of the intersection of the Vallanjeri south boundary by the Chingleput-Madras trunk road; thence east along the said Vallanjeri boundary to its trijunction with Potteri and Kayarampedu villages; thence a straight line north for 4 chains to cairn No. 18; thence in the same direction to cairn No. 19 on the north side of survey No. 116; thence along the north side of survey No. 116 and the east side of survey No. 110 to the north-east corner of the latter; thence a straight line north-west to the starting point of the north boundary.

REMARKS.—The following public rights of way are admitted:—

(1) Foot-path from Karanaipuducheri to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest 28 chains west of Edayankuttai and running southwards leaves it about 5 chains north-west of the north-west corner of Iyenkanikuttai in Kayarampedu village.
(2) Cart-track from Vallanjeri to Karanaipuducheri. Enters the forest about 12 chains east of Vallanjeri Paracheri and running generally east leaves it at cairn No. 6.
(3) Cart-track from Madras to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 1½ chains west of the Vallanjeri-Kayarampedu-Potteri trijunction and running generally south-south-east, leaves it at the north-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu village.
(4) Cart-track from Madras to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 12½ chains north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 207 of Potteri and running south-east and east leaves it about 13½ chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.
(5) Cart-track from Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 5 chains north of the south-east corner of survey No. 378 of Ninnaparai and running eastwards leaves it about 12 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 349 of Kayarampedu.
(6) Cart-track from Gudalur to Kovalam. Enters the forest about 2 chains north of the south-west corner of survey No. 381 of Ninnaparai and running generally south-east leaves it about 6½ chains north of the Karumbur-Gudalur-Kadambur trijunction.
(7) Foot-path from Ninnaparai to Gudalur. Branches from right of way No. 6 about 2 chains east of its point of entrance and running generally south-east leaves the forest about 2 chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 23 of Gudalur village.
(8) Cart-track from Potteri to Gudalur in a southerly direction. Enters the forest about 2 chains south-east of the south-east corner of survey No. 358 of Ninnaparai and leaves it on the south side of survey No. 5 of Gudalur village.
(9) Cart-track from Kattankolattur to cart-track No. 8. Enters the forest about 9 chains east of the south-west corner of survey No. 355 of Ninnaparai and running south-east joins right of way No. 8 at the north side of survey No. 5 of Gudalur.
(10) Cart-track from Sittamanur to the Chingleput-Madras trunk road. Enters the forest at the northernmost corner of survey No. 165 of Kilakkaranai and running north-west leaves it about 7½ chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 166 of the said village.
(11) Foot-path from Ninnaparai to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest about 3½ chains east-north-east of the north-east corner of survey No. 179 of Ninnaparai and running generally eastwards joins cart-track No. 4 about 10 chains south-west of the south-west corner of survey No. 362 of Kayarampedu.
(12) Cart-track from Gudalur to Kayarampedu. Enters the forest at the south-east corner of survey No. 27 of Gudalur and running generally north-east leaves it about 5 chains south of the point of exit of right of way No. 4.
(13) Cart-track from the southern end of Sambithangal of Gudalur village in a north-westerly direction. Joins cart-track No. 12 at the point where it intersects the Gudalur village north boundary.

NOTE.—Cart-tracks are 12 feet wide each and foot-paths 4 feet. The former are open for people, cattle and carts and the latter for people and cattle.

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SEPTEMBER.

Reserved forest.

Draft notification under section 16 of the Forest Act for constituting the proposed Gúdalúr block as a —, approved and ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Chingleput District Gazettes.