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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	982	Press ~~Mis.~~
441-42 Dated	21-4-1869	

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st April 1869.

No. 441. Read the following letter from the Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 10th April 1869 :—

With reference to G. O., 1st October 1868, No. 2,522, I am directed to inquire whether, in the present state of uncertainty as to the system of Weights and Measures which will be eventually adopted as the standard for India, Government still wish Abkarry renters to be bound to use and cause their sub-renters and shop-keepers to use the English Imperial Measures only.

2. The Board are of opinion that the question may be left open for the present, and that the following condition should be inserted in the lease :—

"That when a system of liquid measures is adopted by Government, I shall cause all shop-keepers to sell liquor by those measures."

No. 442. Order thereon, 21st April 1869, No. 1,082.

Miscellaneous.

Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter, the Government concur with the Board in considering that it will not be advisable to require the use of Imperial Measures in Abkarry sales.

2. The proposed condition to be inserted in the leases is approved.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

CUSTOMS.
REVENUE.
To
THE BOARD OF REVENUE.
Dated April 21st.
Read.
and
G. O. 22nd April 1863, No. 1,052.
Letter,
No. 1163.

No 1163

For orders

The sort of India only
propose to fix the
weights for India -
Measures will not be
touched for many
years probably - The
adoption of the English
liquid measures in all
Abkary sales will do
much to secure uniformity
of measures - Probably the
Guart will gradually be
substituted for the "measure
n'padi", as a dry measure.

WW.

The Imperial Guart is used in
the Abkary Act

The Board's proposal
is a proper one, I think.
We ought not to apply
all the descriptive
words that have taken place at
Calcutta, to which point
the change we have been
recommended proceeds when
the Supreme Govt - WM

N. [illegible]

Revenue Department.

No. 1082.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 21st April 1869

Read the following letter from the Board of Revenue

Requesting to know whether English Imperial measures only is to be used by Abkarry renters &c. and proposing that when Govt shall establish a liquid measure the same shall be caused to be used.

Rete enter 10th April 1869 gbk

Under the circumstances stated ~~the proposal made by the Board of Revenue~~ in the foregoing letter ~~seems to~~ the Government ~~approve~~ ~~and they sanction~~ ~~the same for its adoption.~~ Consult the Board in considering that it will not be advisable to require the use of Imperial measures in Abkary sales

2. The proposed conditions to be inserted in the leases is approved.-

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