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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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300. 301

Dated 19 — 3 — 1867.

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No. 300. Read the following letter from the Officiating Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp, Soobramoney, 2nd March 1867, No. 2,251 :—

1. I have the honor to inform you that I have been obliged to order the demarcation of the Wynaad Government forests to be stopped (temporarily) on the 15th of March, the forests get so feverish then that the work cannot be proceeded with ; it will be resumed again on or about the 15th of October.

2. The lateness of the rainy season, fever, and other causes, have unavoidably delayed the work ; it was anticipated that the demarcation would be finished in this official year, and the whole expenditure necessary, viz., Rupees 1,644 (or Rupees 644 for establishment and Rupees 1,000 for working expenses) is included in the Budget grant for this year ; of this sum Rupees 496-8-3 only has been expended up to date. I would suggest that the Deputy Conservator be allowed to draw the balance before the close of the official year, and pay the same into the treasury to be expended during the coming official year, otherwise there will be no funds available next year.

3. I enclose a letter from the Deputy Conservator on the subject.

No. 301. ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1867, No. 651.

Forests, No. 4.

The Government authorize the Officiating Conservator to draw the balance as he proposes for expenditure in the next open season.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Officiating Conservator of Forests.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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From

The Offg Conservator of Forests.

To

The Secretary to Govt. N.W.
Fort St. George.

Dated 2d March 1867.
Received 15th

No. 2257

Enclosures No. 2.

No 681- 19 March

Informing that the demarcation of the Wynaad Government Forests has been suspended temporarily on account of the unhealthy state of the climate & requests that sanction might be obtained to the drawing & holding in deposit the unexpended sum of the Estimate authorized for this year.

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