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Revenue (1897) Department.

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G.O., No. 2950

DATED 11th June

[Despatch Abstract.]

Stating that the ~~Forest~~ Forest Act cannot be introduced
into the ~~Muzaffar~~ Muzaffar estate or the draft rules
approved until the reasons for the introduction of the Act
are known and the Regulations in regard to the
draft rules obtained

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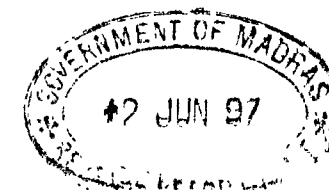
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CURRENT No. 4636



From

The Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Madras

Order

Forest No. 508 Misc.

Dated 28th May 1897

Received 2.6.97

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SUBJECT.

Submitting to Government with remarks letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam forwarding an application from the Honourable the Rajah of Bobbili K.C.I.E., to extend the provisions of the Forest Act to his estate forests.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue)

Forest NO 508 Misc, dated 28th May 1897.

Read endorsement of the Conservator of Forests, N.C. dated 6th May 1897, R.C. NO 2204 forwarding letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 30th April 1897, Ref. NO 524.

Resolution.

Submitted to Government.

2 With his letter read above, the Collector of Vizagapatam forwards an application under section 32 (b) of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882) from the Honourable the Rajah of Bobbili - K.C.I.E., requesting to obtain the sanction of H.E. the Governor in Council for extending the provisions of the said Act to the Rajah's estate forests. The Collector forwards the application with his support and also submits for sanction a set of draft rules under section 26 of the Act, approved by the Rajah.

3 It is observed that the report submitted by the Collector is ~~inadequate~~ defective in as much as it does not contain any information as to the nature and extent of the forests involved nor any explanation of the reasons which make it necessary to apply the provisions of the Forest Act to the estate forests. These omissions necessitate further reference to the Collector, but the papers have been so long delayed in the Collector's Office that the Board considers it desirable to obtain the orders of Government at once and to ask for provisional approval of the rules.

4 The rules are almost similar to those sanctioned for the Vizianagaram estate forests printed as an appendix to G.O. Rev. IV

Revenue NO 73, dated 15-2-96, except that rule X of the Vizianagaram Rules has been omitted in the draft rules ^{for} the Bobbili estate. It is presumed that the rule has been omitted because there are no hill villages in which the privileges allowed by that rule have hitherto been exercised. The Collector is however requested to report explicitly on the point.

5 The Collector's draft rules are open also to the following remarks:-

Draft Rule VII. The list of "Reserved trees" submitted by the Collector is too long for adoption without explanation. It contains several trees not found in the list which was sanctioned for the Vizianagaram estate and which was adopted from the list printed in the general rules under section 26. The Board would recommend the adoption of the sanctioned list of trees as a tentative measure though it is probable that it contains several trees which either do not exist at all in Bobbili or are found only in very small numbers. Terminalia Tomentosa & Casuarina Equisetifolia may also be added to the sanctioned list at once. If any further additions are proposed the Collector must recommend the removal of a corresponding number from the present list so as to keep it within reasonable limits.

Draft Rule VIII. In line 2 for the word "and" after the word "collection" the word "or" may be substituted. For the words "in rules 5 and 10" occurring in line 4 of the same rule the words "in rule 5" - should be substituted, Rule X of the Vizianagaram rules having been omitted.

Draft Rule XIV. The Board would modify the wording of the clause "who shall be ^{notified} as under by the Collector in the District Gazette" into "whose name shall be notified by the Collector in the District Gazette".

6 Draft of the rules revised with reference to the foregoing remarks will be submitted to Government for provisional approval.

(True Extract)

To the Secretary to Government. R.D. with two notifications
and Collector's letter with enclosures in original to be
To the Collector of Vizagapatam thro' the Conservator of Forests. N.C.

The Hon. Mr. Secy. C. L. S.

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Land Revenue
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The Govt is of opinion that the views of the Rajah in regard to the revised rules proposed by the Board should be ascertained before they are provisionally approved and that it is advisable to postpone the consideration of the question of the introduction of the Forest Act into the estate until the Collector's reply to the reference made to him in paras 3 and 4 of the Pwps read above is received. The Collector should accordingly be directed to obtain and furnish the necessary information at a very early date

Note

The facts are concisely stated in the Board's Resolution. The application for the introduction of the Act was made only in Sept last and

and there does not appear to be any necessity for hurrying it thro'. The Rajah is known to be a most strict landowner and the conservation of the forests is ^{probably} ~~apparently~~ asked for not in the interests of the public but to increase his private revenue. The case of Vizianagram is, it is submitted, quite different.

I know nothing about this.

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3.5.97 Submit the information called for in para 3 of the B.P. is only necessary before Govt commits itself in the matter by even a provisional approval

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