

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 3382

DATED 5th July

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting the Bd. of Revenue to furnish further information in respect of the Sunkundam extension No. 1 block in the Chingapat Taluk & Sd.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

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Revenue (189)) Department.

CURRENT No. 5339

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From
The Secretary to the Commissioners
of Land Revenue
Board of Revenue

Order no. 3382 of 5th July 97

F. No. 214

Before the draft notification is ordered to be published, the Board of Revenue is requested to report whether the block extension No. 1 to the Sirukundram ^{reserved forest} block No. 52A is a new selection not included within the Conservator's proposals disposed of in G.O. No. 253 of 96 or whether it is the same as extension No. 1 to the Sirukundram B No. 52B included in Appendix I printed in the G.O. referred to above. The fact that the block in question is said to adjoin the Sirukundram A reserved forest and that its ~~area~~ area is reported to be 224 acres seems to countenance the first supposition.

Dated 1st June 1897.
Received 27.6.97
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SUBJECT.

Submg. draft Notifn for the proposed constitution of Maizur and certain other blocks in the Chingleput Dt. as reserved forests.

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It is presumed that the proposal to abandon the Kavanur extensions No. 1 and 2 having been approved, extension No. 3 is now numbered as extension No. 1.

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BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	283		23.6.96
893	312		18.8.96.

To the ED: ER with draft notification
and map of Sirukkurram on block 1

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FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to notify under the provision of Section 4 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882) that it is proposed to constitute the block of land described in the Schedule hereto annexed reserved forests under the Act.

Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
				<u>North.</u> Starting from the village boundary stone at the N. W. corner of Subney No 390 of Agur village the line runs eastwards along the demarcated South boundary of the Sirukkurram reserved forest to the village boundary stone at the junction of Agur, Tennelpakkam and Kondainagalain villages. <u>East.</u> Thence southwards along the west side of Subney No 193 of Kondainagalain village to its S. W. corner. thence along the demarcated west boundary of the Agur reserved forest to its junction with the Schankaraini Shrestriam North boundary. <u>South.</u> Thence westwards along the Schankaraini Shrestriam North boundary to a cairn about 2 chains South of the

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Agur Extension No 1

S. E. corner of Subney No 154 of
Agur village.

West. Thence northwards a straight
line to that corner; then the east
sides of Subney Nos 154, 156 & 157
& the East & North sides of Subney
No 158 to the S. E. corner of Subney
No 388; thence along the east
sides of Subney Nos 388 & 394
& the South & East sides of Subney
No 398 to the N. E. corner of the
last mentioned field; thence
a straight line N. W. to the
starting point of the Northward
boundary.

For Collector

NOTIFICATION.

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the Madras Forest Act (V. of 1882) that it is proposed to constitute the block of land described in
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2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under clause (c)
of the said section 4, to appoint Mr. A. B. to be the Forest Settlement Officer,
who shall enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any right
claimed by or alleged to exist in favor of any person in or over the land com-
prised within such limits or to any forest produce of such land and to deal with
the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act and the District Forest
officer, Chingleput, for the time being to attend on behalf of Government during
the enquiry.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under the
authority vested in him by Section 14 of the Act, to appoint the Collector of
Chingleput, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who
shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement officer under Sections
11, 12 and 13 of the Act.

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Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
Cuddalore.	Cuddalore.	25.	Sankundram Extension No. 1	<u>North</u>. Starting from the north-east - most corner of Subney No 165 of Kilakkaramai village the line runs eastwards along the demarcated south boundary of the Gudalur reserved forest to the S.W. corner of Subney No 16 of Gudalur village. <u>East</u>. Thence southwards along the west side of Subney No 40 to its S.W. corner; thence a straight line due south to a village boundary stone on the demarcated North boundary of Sankundram reserved forest & about 27 chains S.E. of the junction stone of Gudalur, Sankundram & Sittamanur villages. <u>South</u>. Thence the demarcated North & West boundaries of the Sankundram reserved forest to a cairn on the South side of Subney No 136 of Sittamanur village and about 4 chains east of the S.W. corner of that number. <u>West</u>. Thence a straight line

N.E. to a khandam stone about
1 1/2 chains NW of the S.E. corner of
Subvey No 152 (within the Reserve);
thence along the north side of
Subvey No 65 to its Northward
corner; thence a straight line
to the N.E. corner of Subvey No 62;
thence along the north side
of Subvey No 63 to its N.W. corner
all of Sittamur village; thence
along the north side of Subvey
No 164 of Kilakkaranai village
to its N.W. corner; thence a
straight line Northwards to
the starting point of the North
boundary.

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2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under clause (c) of the said section 4, to appoint ~~Mr. A. P. S. S. S.~~ *Mr. A. P. S. S. S.* to be the Forest Settlement officer, who shall enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any right claimed by or alleged to exist in favor of any person in or over the land comprised within such limits or to any forest produce of such land and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act and the District Forest officer, Chingleput, for the time being to attend on behalf of Government during the enquiry.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under the authority vested in him by Section 14 of the Act, to appoint the Collector of Chingleput, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement officer under Sections 11, 12 and 13 of the Act.

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Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
				<u>North.</u> Starting from the S.E. corner of Subney No. 325 of Kattankolathur Village the line runs E.S. Eastward to the S.W. corner of Subney No. 312, thence along the S. side of Subney No. 312 to its S.E. corner. <u>East.</u> Thence Southward along the west side of Subney No. 230 to its S.W. corner; thence a straight line to the Khandam stone at the westernmost angle of Subney No. 309; thence along the west side of Subney No. 309 to the S.E. corner of Subney No. 311 (inside field) & on in the same straight line to the west side of the above fence of the South Indian Railway; thence along the west side of the same fence to a cairn on the north boundary of Padamanur Village about 34 yards east of an angle of the Kattankolathur main reserve. <u>South.</u> Thence Westward

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along the North boundary of Para-
maner village to the angle
of the main Reserve above
described; thence following the
boundary of the main Reserve
to the next boundary above
on the North boundary of
the Paramaner village.

West: Thence N, NW wards following
the East boundary of the Kattau-
Kolattur reserved forest to the
starting point of the North boundary.
N.B. The fields above referred to
are all of Kattakattathur
village.

For Collector

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under clause (c) of the said section 4, to appoint Mr. A. P. Pinto to be the Forest Settlement officer, who shall enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any right claimed by or alleged to exist in favor of any person in or over the land comprised within such limits or to any forest produce of such land and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act and the District Forest officer, Chingleput, for the time being to attend on behalf of Government during the enquiry.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under the authority vested in him by Section 14 of the Act, to appoint the Collector of Chingleput, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement officer under Sections 11, 12 and 13 of the Act.

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Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
				West North & East. Starting from the village boundary stone at an angle of the Kavanur reserved forest E. N. E. of the North-eastern corner of Survey No 49 of Konadi village the line runs N. E.wards eastwards & southwards along the demarcated boundary of the Kavanur reserved forest to a cairn due east of the N. E. corner of Survey No 56 of Konadi village. South. Thence westwards to the N. E. corner of Survey No 56 above described; thence along its North side to the starting point.

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Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
	Calicut		Sonallur extension No 1	<u>North.</u> Starting from a village boundary stone at the trigunition of Polachesi, Siruchesi & Talambur Shrotriern villages the line follows the village boundary of Talambur Shrotriern to the N.W. corner of Subney No 221. <u>East.</u> Thence a straight line S.W. to the N.E. corner of Subney No 219 both of Siruchesi village. <u>South.</u> Nib. <u>West.</u> Thence N.W. along the demarcated boundary of the Sonallur reserved forest to the starting point of the northern boundary
	Calicut	46	Sonallur extension No 2	<u>North.</u> Starting from a village boundary stone at the southernmost point of Subney No 113 of Grambannam village the line runs eastward straight to the S.W. corner of Subney No 204; the along the south sides of Subney Nos 204 & 202 both of Sonallur village to a Khandam stone on the boundary of the Sonallur

Reserved Forest about 2 chains
North from the point where
it is intersected by the Velihi-
Quadrant cart track.

East. Thence S. SW, along the
demarcated boundary of the
Sonallur Reserved Forest to its
junction with the boundary
of the Mambakkam Reserved
Forest at a village boundary
stone.

South. Thence along the
demarcated boundary of the
Mambakkam Reserved Forest
to the village boundary stone
at the junction of Sonallur
& Mambakkam
villages.

West. Thence northwards
along the Mambakkam village
boundary to the starting point
of the Northern boundary.

For Collector.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under clause (c) of the said section 4, to appoint ~~Mr. A. P. S. S. S.~~ to be the Forest Settlement officer, who shall enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any right claimed by or alleged to exist in favor of any person in or over the land comprised within such limits or to any forest produce of such land and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act and the District Forest officer, Chingleput, for the time being to attend on behalf of Government during the enquiry.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under the authority vested in him by Section 14 of the Act, to appoint the Collector of Chingleput, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement officer under Sections 11, 12 and 13 of the Act.

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District.	Taluk.	No. of block.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
Chengalpattu	Quadrantam	109	Quadrant	<u>North.</u> Starting from the N.E. corner of Survey No 52 of Pelappur village. the line runs eastwards to the S.E. corner of Survey No 528. thence a straight line eastwards to a cairn on the east boundary of Pelappur village about $13\frac{1}{2}$ chains south of the 2nd boundary stone from & inclusive of the one at the north-eastmost corner of Survey No 531 of Pelappur village. <u>East.</u> Thence southwards along the west side of Survey No 532 of Pelappur village to its S.W. corner; thence a straight line S.W. to the N.E. corner of Survey No 645 & on in the same straight line to a cairn or slab on the north side of Survey No 646 of Maipur village. <u>South.</u> Thence westwards along the aloe fence running along the north sides of Survey Nos 646 & 651 & thence to the S.E. corner of Survey No 642 of Maipur village.

West. Thence northwards
a straight line following the
aloe hedge to a point on the
south side of Survey No 529
about 165 links west of its
S.E. corner; thence along its
south & east sides to the starting
point of the northern boundary.

For Collector

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under clause (c) of the said section 4, to appoint Mr. A. Pinto to be the Forest Settlement Officer, who shall enquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any right claimed by or alleged to exist in favor of any person in or over the land comprised within such limits or to any forest produce of such land and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act and the District Forest officer, Chingleput, for the time being to attend on behalf of Government during the enquiry.

3. His Excellency the Governor in Council is further pleased, under the authority vested in him by Section 14 of the Act, to appoint the Collector of Chingleput, for the time being, to be the officer of the Revenue Department who shall hear appeals from the orders of the Forest Settlement officer under Sections 11, 12 and 13 of the Act.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue
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Printed June 23rd.

Proceedings, Forest No. 214, 1st June 1897.

JUNE.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, draft notification under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act for the proposed constitution of Maiyur and certain other blocks, in the Madurantakam and Chingleput taluks, Chingleput district, as reserved forests.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 10th April 1897, C. No. 1254:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed extension No. 1 of the Kattankolathur reserved forest, block No. 30, in the Chingleput taluk.

2. The area of the proposed extension is about 182 acres, adjoining the area (535 acres) already notified under section 16 of the Act. Out of this extent about 28 acres represent the area of grazing ground and firewood jungle recorded as such in the settlement register.

3. This selection has been approved by the Conservator and sanctioned by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

4. The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the proposed extension, are enclosed.

5. The subjoined statement furnishes the information called for by the Board in its Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896:—

Name of village.	Area.	Area of poramboke (village-sites, roads, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in sanctioned reserved forests.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance of waste.		
						Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
Kattankolathur ..	ACS. 1,472-80	ACS. 288-79	ACS. 378-12	ACS. 441-20	ACS. 182-0	..	ACS. 182-69	ACS. 182-69

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that Kattankolathur extension No. 1, block No. 30, in the Chingleput taluk, in Chingleput district, was selected by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, now on leave, in 1895; boundaries perambulated by him at the same time and preliminarily demarcated by M.R. Ky. Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range officer, Chingleput, in March 1896, and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer Mr. Hayne, and the demarcation checked by him on the 5th September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed extension No. 1 of Kattankolathur, block No. 30, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occu-pied.	Unoccu-pied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS. 279,040	ACS. 81,316	ACS. 129,944	ACS. 36,531	ACS. 154	Already submitted .. ACS. 527-68 Submitted under section 16 .. ACS. 1,324 Now submitted— Extension No. 1 of Kattankolathur, block No. 80 .. ACS. 182	ACS. ..	ACS. ..	Submitted.
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ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Octacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1583.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 9th April 1897, C. No. 1253:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed extension No. 1 of the Anjur reserved forest, block No. 17, in the Chingleput taluk.

2. The area of the proposed extension is about 239 acres adjoining the area (1,514 acres) already notified under section 16. Out of this area about 100 acres represent the area of grazing ground, poramboke and firewood jungle recorded as such in the settlement register.

3. This selection has been approved by the Conservator and sanctioned by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

4. The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the proposed extension, are enclosed.

5. The statement appended below furnishes the information called for by the Board in its Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896;—

Name of village.	Area.	Area of poramboke (village-sites, roads, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in the sanctioned reserved forest.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance.		
						Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
Anjur ..	ACS. 1,700-47	ACS. 269-77	ACS. 541-86	ACS. 499-78	ACS. 239-24	ACS. 96-60	ACS. 53-22	ACS. 149-82

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that Anjur extension No. 1, block No. 17, in Chingleput taluk, in Chingleput district, was selected by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, on leave, in 1895; boundaries perambulated by Mr. Hayne at the same time and preliminarily demarcated by M.R.Ry. Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Ranger, Chingleput, in August 1896, and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer, Mr. Hayne, and the demarcation checked by him on the 18th September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed extension No. 1 of Anjur, block No. 17, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	
279,040	81,316	129,944	36,531	154	Already submitted .. 264 Submitted under section 16 .. 1,324 Now submitted— Extension No. 1 of Anjur, block No. 17 .. 239-24	200	39-24	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1584.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 12th April 1897, C. No. 1255:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed Maiyur block in the Madurantakam taluk comprising an area of about 283-92 acres.

2. This is an artificial plantation made by the late jungle conservancy department and handed over to the Forest Department in 1883, when the two departments were amalgamated. It contains chiefly casuarina trees.

3. The reservation of this plantation under the Act was recommended by the Conservator and approved by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

4. The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the block, are enclosed.

5 The information required by the Board in Board's Proceedings, No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896, is furnished in the subjoined statement:—

Name of village.	Area.	Area of poramboke (village-site, road, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in the sanctioned reserved forest.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance of waste.		
						Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
Pelappur	ACS. 1,217-54	ACS. 167-10	ACS. 612-7	ACS. ..	ACS. 104-9	ACS. 206-53	ACS. 177-82	ACS. 384-28
Maiyur	2,003-12	168-74	1,007-91	..	179-83	76-0	576-74	646-64

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that Maiyur block No. 109 in Madurantakam taluk, in Chingleput district, was selected by late District Forest officer Mr. Mohamed Ali Sahib in 1890-91; boundaries perambulated by him at the same time and preliminarily demarcated by M.R.Ry. Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range-officer, Chingleput, in March 1896 and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer Mr. Hayne, and the demarcation checked by him on the 14th September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed Maiyur block No. 109, Madurantakam 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS. 445,038	ACS. 149,107	ACS. 139,554	ACS. 5,807	ACS. ..	Already submitted .. 1,070-0 Now submitted— Maiyur block No. 109 .. 283-92	ACS. 283-92	ACS. ..	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1585.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 9th April 1897, C. No. 1256:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed extensions Nos. 1 and 2 of the Sonallur reserved forest, block No. 46, in the Chingleput taluk.

2. The areas of the proposed extensions are, respectively, 40 acres and 224 acres, or in all 264 acres, adjoining the area (1,107 acres) already notified under section 16. About 220 acres in extension No. 2 represents the area of grazing ground and firewood jungle recorded as such in the Settlement register.

3. The reservation of these extensions has been recommended by the Conservator and approved by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

4. The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with sketches of the proposed extensions, are enclosed.

The statement called for in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896, is appended below:—

Name of village.	Area.	Area of poramboke (village-site, roads, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in sanctioned reserved forests.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance.		
						Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
Sirucheri	ACS. 1,491-71	ACS. 183-10	ACS. 405-28	ACS. 327-50	ACS. 40-0	ACS. 129-97	ACS. 405-86	ACS. 535-83
Sonallur	1,480-68	135-66	291-55	681-77	224-0	245-73	125-97	147-70

The Vandalur-Kilambakkam road, which passes through the proposed extension No. 2, will be dealt with at settlement.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that the Sonallur extensions Nos. 1 and 2 to block No. 46, in Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district, were selected by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, now on leave, in the year 1895; boundaries perambulated by Mr. Hayne on 2nd August 1896, and preliminarily demarcated by M R Ry Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range officer, Chingleput, in March 1896; and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer, Mr. Hayne, and the demarcation checked by him on 28th August 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed extensions Nos. 1 and 2 of Sonallur, block No. 46, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch map.
	Occupied.	Un-occupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS. 279,040	ACS. 81,316	ACS. 129,944	ACS. 36,531	ACS. 154	Already submitted under section 16 .. 1,324 Now submitted, block No. 1, Sonallur extension No. 1 .. 40 Do. No. 2 do. .. 224 Total .. 264	200	64	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1586.
Forwarded.

REAI—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 12th April 1897, Cur. No. 1257:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed extension No. 3 of the Senkundram reserved forest, block No. 25, in the Chingleput taluk.

2. The area of the proposed extension is about 428-60 acres adjoining the area (1,232 acres) already notified under section 16 of the Act. Out of this extent 70 acres, as shown in the margin, represent the area of the grazing ground and firewood jungle recorded as such in the Settlement register.

3. This selection has been approved by the Conservator and sanctioned by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

4. Extensions Nos. 1 and 2 of the Senkundram block having been rejected (*vide* Appendix No. II to the Conservator's letter in the Board's Proceedings quoted above) and draft notifications for the cancellation of their reservation having already been submitted to the Board, this extension has now been numbered as No. 1.

The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the proposed extension, are enclosed.

The subjoined statement furnishes the information required by the Board in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896:—

Names of villages.	Area.	Area of poramboke (village-site, roads, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in the sanctioned reserved forest.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance of waste.		
						Assessed.	Un-assessed.	Total.
Kilakkaranai ..	ACS. 610-35	ACS. 121-19	ACS. 198-70	ACS. 110-12	ACS. 148-12	..	ACS. 32-22	ACS. 32-22
Goddalor ..	1,141-95	95-66	215-9	595-78	150-78	..	84-64	84-64
Sittamanur ..	495-64	33-95	188-84	62-84	124-40	..	85-56	85-56
Senkundram ..	2,211-87	345-7	714-53	653-78	5-0	Not known.	492-88	492-88

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that Senkundram extension No. 1, block No. 25, in the Chingleput taluk, in Chingleput district, was selected by Mr. Carroll, late District Forest officer in 1893; boundaries perambulated by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, on leave, in 1894, and preliminarily demarcated by M.R.Ry. Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range officer, Chingleput, in June 1896; and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer, Mr. Hayne, and the demarcation checked by him on the 23rd September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed extension No. 1 of Senkundram, block No. 25, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Un-occupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS. 279,040	ACS. 81,316	ACS. 129,944	ACS. 36,531	ACS. 154	Already submitted under section 16 .. 1,324-0 Now submitted, extension No. 1, block No. 25, of Senkundram .. 428-60	ACS. 300	ACS. 128-60	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 4 AND 5.—Sketch-maps.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1587.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of Chingleput, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 14th April 1897, Cur. No. 1258:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification, under section 4 of the Forest Act, for the constitution, as reserved forest, of the proposed extension No. 1 of the Sirukundram reserved forest, block No. 52-A, in the Chingleput taluk.

2. The area of the proposed extension is about 224-44 acres, adjoining the area (869 acres) already notified under section 16.

3. No grazing ground poramboke recorded as such in the Settlement register is included in the proposed extension.

4. This selection has been approved by the Conservator and sanctioned by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

5. The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the proposed extension, are enclosed.

6. The subjoined statement furnishes the information called for by the Board in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896:—

Names of villages.	Area.	Area of poramboke village-sites, roads, tanks, &c.).	Area under cultivation.	Area included in the sanctioned reserved forests.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance.		
						Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
Hanumanthapuram..	ACS. 1,933-16	ACS. 176-1	ACS. 490-85	ACS. 653-12	ACS. 173-04	ACS. 133-0	ACS. 807-14	ACS. 440-08
Maruderi	704-44	19-30	114-19	158-39	51-40	168-43	192-58	260-66

7. The proposed extension contains about 13 acres of patta land in the Hanumanthapuram village which will be dealt with at settlement.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that the Sirukundram Extension No. 1 to block No. 52-A, in the Chingleput taluk, in the Chingleput district, was selected by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, now on leave in 1895; boundaries perambulated by the same officer at the same time and preliminarily demarcated by M.R. Ry Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range-officer, Chingleput, in March 1896, and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer Mr. Hayne and the demarcation checked by him on the 18th September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed Extension No. 1 of Sirukundram block No. 52-A, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Un-occupied.				Scrub.	Grass land.	
ACS. 279,040	ACS. 81,316	ACS. 129,944	ACS. 36,531	ACS. 154	Already submitted .. 603-24 Under section 16 already submitted .. 1,324-0 Now submitted Extension No. 1 of Sirukundram block No. 52-A 224-44	ACS. 150	ACS. 74-44	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1588.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from D. D. MURDOCH, Esq., Acting Collector of the Chingleput District, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle), dated Saidapet, 10th April 1897, C. No. 1259:—

I have the honour to submit, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification under section 4 of the Forest Act for the constitution as reserved forest of the proposed extension No. 1 of the Kavanur reserved forest block No. 31 in the Chingleput taluk.

The area of the proposed extension is 45 acres adjoining the area (570 acres) already notified under section 16 of the Act.

This selection has been approved by the Conservator and sanctioned by the Board and Government (Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 382, dated 18th August 1896).

No grazing-ground poramboke recorded as such in the settlement register is included in the extension.

The required statement of area and condition and the certificate of perambulation, together with a sketch of the proposed extension, are enclosed.

The subjoined statement furnishes the information required by the Board in its Proceedings, Forest No. 459, dated 2nd October 1896:—

Name of village.	Area.	Area of poramboke village-site roads, tanks, &c.	Area under cultivation.	Area included in the sanctioned reserved forest.	Area now proposed for reservation.	Balance of waste.		
						Assessed.	Un-assessed.	Total.
Koradi	ACS. 268.18	ACS. 34.1	ACS. 43.99	ACS. 100.67	ACS. 45.0	..	ACS. 44.42	ACS. 44.42

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Certificate.

Certified that Kavanur Extension No. 1 to block No 31, in Chingleput taluk, in Chingleput district, was selected by Mr. Hayne, District Forest officer, now on leave in 1895; boundaries perambulated by him at the same time and preliminarily demarcated by Venkatakrishnama Naidu, Range officer, Chingleput, in June 1896, and that the block was inspected by the District Forest officer Mr. Hayne and the demarcation checked by him on the 5th September 1896.

(Signed) A. B. JACKSON,
District Forest officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed Extension No. 1 of Kavanur block No. 31, 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 4.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occu-pied.	Unoccu-pied.				Sorub.	Grass land.	
ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	ACS.	
279,040	81,316	129,944	36,531	154	Already submitted Under section 16 already sub- mitted Now submitted Extension No. 1 of Kavanur block No. 31	709 68 1,324 0 .. 45	 45	Submitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle,
dated Ootacamund, 28th April 1897, No. 1589.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 214, dated 1st June 1897.

Submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. The selection of these blocks was approved by Government in its order, No. 283, Revenue, dated 23rd June 1896.

3. The areas of some of the blocks, e.g., Senkundram Extension No. 3 and Sirukundram A extension 1 as given in Appendix I to the Conservator's letter, printed in the Government Order quoted above, differ from those now reported. The figures now furnished apparently represent the areas as correctly computed.

4. It is observed that the area of the proposed extension of the Anjur block is given as 239 acres in the area statement and as 200 acres in the map. The discrepancy requires explanation.

5 (a) From the village particulars furnished by the Collector, it would appear that the Kilakaranai village comprised within the Senkundram Extension No. 1 block has very little waste land left for the requirements of the villagers. The Collector is requested to see that the boundary is shifted at settlement so as to leave a sufficient margin for the village.

(b) It is also noted that the totals under "balance of waste" given in respect of some of the villages included within the proposed reserves are incorrect. Such errors should not recur in future statements.

6. The proposed Maiyur block, which is only 283.92 acres in extent, is reported to be an artificial plantation handed over to the Forest Department by the late Jungle Conservancy Department in 1883, and consists chiefly of casuarina trees.

7. As the patta lands referred to in paragraph 7 of the Collector's letter, No. 1258, dated 14th April 1897 read above, appear from the sketch-map to lie close to the reserve boundary, they may as well be thrown out at settlement if they cannot be conveniently acquired by means of a fresh grant of land outside the reserve.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with draft notifications (seven original and
two printed) and eight maps to be returned.

" Collector of Chingleput.
" Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.

End. Md. Pahlavan.

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