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Loans.—Passing orders on amendments proposed by the Collector of Belary in the heading of certain columns of Form 1-A—the form of application for—under the Agriculturists' Loans Act for the relief of distress prescribed in B.P., No. 91, dated 9th March 1897.

Note the revised circular dated 18th 2nd 1897 sent to the approval of the Govt of India will show be published in the following

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from H. A. STUART, Esq., Acting Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 19th August 1897, Ref. on C. No. 3819:—

I have the honour to state that in *Rule 7* of the rules for the grant of loans for the relief of distress printed as Appendix B to Board's Standing Order No. 112, it is laid down that "it is not necessary as a rule, that security should be taken for them (loans) provided that they are covered by the value of the recipient's property." It is clear from the above that the land of the borrower need not be mortgaged as security for the loan. But the heading of columns 4, 5 and 6 of Form No. 1-A, which is the form of application for loans for the relief of distress, printed on page 35 of B.P., No. 91, dated 9th March 1893, runs as "Particulars of the applicant's land proposed to be mortgaged as security." This seems to indicate that the land of the borrower should be mortgaged as security for the loan, which appears to be contrary to the spirit of the rules. In (*sic*) the loan order No. VI-A, printed on page 45 of the above B.P., which is intended for the loans in question, does not contain any condition that the immovable property of the applicant should be mortgaged.

2. From the above it is evident that the wording of the heading in the application form needs amendment. The wording of the corresponding heading in the original application form printed as B in the appendix to Board's Standing Order No. 112, page 204, was merely "Particulars of the applicant's property", and this seems to have been in conformity with the rules.

3. In these circumstances, I suggest that the words "proposed to be mortgaged as security" may be omitted from the heading in question in Form I-A.

4. If the Board should consider it advisable to have the applicant's land mortgaged as security for the loan, I request that rule 7 may be modified accordingly.

5. I request that early orders may be passed so that I may issue necessary instructions to the Divisional officers and Tahsildars whom I have authorised to grant loans for the relief of distress in accordance with B.P., Mis. No. 5490, dated 19th July 1897.

RESOLUTION—No. 601, dated 2nd September 1897.

The heading of columns 4, 5 and 6 of the form referred to should be altered into "Particulars of the applicant's property" as entered in the form printed at page 9 of B.P., No. 461, dated 21st May 1883, communicating G.O., No. 303, R.D., dated 3rd May 1883.

(True Copy and Extract.)

H. A. Stuart
Secretary.

To the Collector of Bellary.

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" " Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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