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[Despatch Abstract.]

Reserved Forest.

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Forest No. 154

From The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Land Revenue Madras.

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No. LII.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882), that, from the 1897, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Kistna.	Tenali (late Repalle).	Amudalapalli reserve.	*North.*—Starting from the southernmost corner of survey No. 596 of Amudalapalli, the south-east sides of survey Nos. 596, 597, 606, 607, 623 and 644 up to the southernmost corner of survey No. 646; then a straight line south-east to the westernmost corner of survey No. 653; then the west sides of that number and of survey Nos. 728, 730 and 731 up to the south-west corner of the last number; then the south sides of survey Nos. 731, 744, 747, 768, 769, 798, 804, 956, 957, 958, 969, 970, 1038, 1040, 1041, 1058, 1068, 1078, 1080 and 1083 up to the south-east corner of the last number (all the above numbers are of Amudalapalli). *East.*—Then the western boundary of Praganam village up the trijunction of Praganam, Amudalapalli, and Adavuladivi villages; then the Adavuladivi village boundary up to the north-west corner of Adavuladivi reserved forest; then that reserved forest boundary up to the trijunction of Adavuladivi, Amudalapalli and Dindi villages. *South.*—Then the northern boundary of Dindi village up to the north-east corner of Dindi reserved forest; then that reserved forest boundary up to the north-west corner of the reserve. *West.*—Then the village boundary of Dindi up to the trijunction of Dindi, Amudalapalli and Nizampatam villages; then the east boundary of Nizampatam village to the starting point.

REMARKS—I. The following public rights of way are allowed:—

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(2) Cart-track from Nizampatam to Chinta Revu to a width of five yards.—This enters the reserve at the eastern-most corner of survey No. 623 of Amudalapalli and running north-east on the boundary line for about four and a half chains leaves it at the south-west corner of survey No. 646 of the same village.

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II. The public right of navigation over, and fishing in, the Upputeru creek passing through the reserve is admitted.

(Signed) A. W. LUSHINGTON,
District Forest-officer.

(Signed) E. A. SMITH,
Forest Sett.-officer.

Secretary.

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E. Smith
Forest Settlement officer

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue

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Proceedings, Forest No. 314, 26th July 1897.

JULY.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from E. A. SMITH, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement duty, Nellore, &c., districts, to the Collector of Kistna (through the District Forest-officer, Kistna), dated Anantapur, 30th January 1897, Ref. on No. 161-Cur. :—

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3. Mr. J. T. Lever was originally appointed to settle this block, and afterwards Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, and by notification published at page 1241 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 5th November 1895, I was appointed the Settlement-officer.

4. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in October 1896 and six claims were preferred for the following rights :—

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(4) One claim to a public right of fishing in the above creek.

All the claims were admitted and the patta field has been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act by exchange.

5. The reserve is thus free of all rights except those stated above.

6. The following are submitted herewith :—

(i) A signed copy of the B. register of claims.

(ii) The draft notification under section 16.

(iii) The sketch-map of the reserve.

(iv) Numerical statement of claims.

7. The date from which reservation is to take effect has to be inserted in the draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

B. REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Amudalapalli reserved forest, Tenali taluk, Kistna district.

No.	Names or claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6
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(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), with map.
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Endorsement No. 707A.

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Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Kistna.	Tenali (late Repalle).	Amudalapalli reserve.	*North.*—Starting from the southernmost corner of survey No. 596 of Amudalapalli, the south-east sides of survey Nos. 596, 597, 606, 607, 623 and 644 up to the southernmost corner of survey No. 646; then a straight line south-east to the westernmost corner of survey No. 653; then the west sides of that number and of survey Nos. 728, 730 and 731 up to the south-west corner of the last number; then the south sides of survey Nos. 731, 744, 747, 768, 769, 798, 804, 956, 957, 958, 969, 970, 1038, 1040, 1041, 1058, 1068 1073, 1080 and 1083 up to the south-east corner of the last number (all the above numbers are of Amudalapalli). *East.*—Then the western boundary of Praganam village up to the trijunction of Praganam, Amudalapalli, and Adavuladivi villages; then the Adavuladivi village boundary up to the north-west corner of Adavuladivi reserved forest; then that reserved forest boundary up to the trijunction of Adavuladivi, Amudalapalli and Dindi villages. *South.*—Then the northern boundary of Dindi village up to the north-east corner of Dindi reserved forest; then that reserved forest boundary up to the north-west corner of the reserve. *West.*—Then the village boundary of Dindi up to the trijunction of Dindi, Amudalapalli and Nizampatam villages; then the east boundary of Nizampatam village to the starting point.

Remarks.—I. The following public rights of way are allowed:—

(1) The foot-path for men only to a width of one yard from Bellamkondavaripalem (hamlet of Amudalapalli) to Palarevu.—This enters the reserve at the southernmost corner of survey No. 596 of Amudalapalli and running south-east on the boundary for about four furlongs five and a half chains leaves it at the Revu.
(2) Cart-track from Nizampatam to Chinta Revu to a width of five yards.—This enters the reserve at the eastern-most corner of survey No. 623 of Amudalapalli and running north-east on the boundary line for about four and a half chains leaves it at the south-west corner of survey No. 646 of the same village.
(3) The cart-track from Kallipalem (hamlet of Amudalapalli) to Adavuladivi to a width of five yards.—This enters the reserve about one and a half chains north-east of the south-west corner of survey No. 1038 of Amudalapalli and running east for about three furlongs leaves it about three chains south-west of the trijunction of Praganam, Amudalapalli and Adavuladivi.

II. The public right of navigation over, and fishing in, the Upputeru creek passing through the reserve is admitted.

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