Revenue (1897) Department.

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Dated 8th September 1897.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Reserved Forest.

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the proposed constitution of the Kolingalam block, in the Madurantakam taluk, ar—, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Chingleput Dt. Gazettes.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting draft notification for the final reservation of Koliyalam block, Madhurantakam Taluk, Chingleput Dt.

* Para 2 of the P.S. dt. 11-8-97

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The draft notification will be published in the Fort St George and the Chingleput Dt gazettes, the 1st December 1897 be inserted as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

2 The necessary access to the four feeder channels lying within the reserve should be allowed by a departmental order.

3 The estimate as to the area of the block as it now stands appears to have been arrived at by assuming that the block comprised 1200 acres when notified under Section 4. In the Statement printed in however G.O 155 16.2.92 the latter area is shown as acres 1165. The correct area should be reported.

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To the B.S: L.R with map.

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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 area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted reserved forest.

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Number of the block.	Name of the block.	Boundaries.
Chingleput.	Madurántakam ..	104	Koliyalam.	*North.*—Starting from the north-east corner of survey No. 276 of Koliyalam, the line follows the south side of survey No. 104, the west and south sides of survey No. 273 to the north-west corner of survey No. 272; thence along the west side of survey No. 272 to its south-west corner; thence south-south-east to a cairn about three and a half chains from the last point; thence eastwards to a cairn about three and a half chains on the south side of survey No. 101; thence the south side of that number to its south-east corner; thence a straight line east-north-east to the south-west corner of survey No. 221; thence along its south side to its south-east corner; thence a straight line north-east to the south-east corner of survey No. 5; thence the east sides of survey Nos. 5, 6, 9 and 10 to the south-west corner of survey No. 2; thence the south side of survey No. 2 (all of Koliyalam) to its south-east corner; thence a straight line east by north to the fourth boundary stone counted south from the Sittattur-Koliyalam-Papanallur trijunction inclusive; thence east-north-east along the Sittattur village west boundary to the next boundary stone. *East.*—Thence southwards along the west boundaries of Sittattur and Valayaputtur, the north and west boundaries of Puducheri and the west boundary of Madurai to the boundary stone next south of the Koliyalam-Perumbakkam-Madurai trijunction; thence a straight line south-west to the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam. *South.*—Thence along the north side of survey No. 423 to the next khandam stone; thence north-westwards to the Perumbakkam-Tittalam-Koliyalam trijunction. *West.*—Thence a straight line north-north-east to the south-east corner of survey No. 275 of Koliyalam; thence north along the east sides of that number and No. 276 to the starting point.

REMARKS.—1. The following public rights of way are admitted:—

(1) *Foot-path* from Perumbakkam to Tittalam. Enters the forest on the south boundary about five chains west of the khandam stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam and running west leaves the forest near the khandam stone next west of the said corner.

(2) *Cart-track* from Chrotriem Madurai to Koliyalam. It enters the forest on the east boundary about one chain north-east of the third boundary stone counted north-east from the Chrotriem-Madurai-Perumbakkam-Koliyalam trijunction inclusive, and leaves the forest on the west boundary about three chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 267 of Koliyalam.

(3) *Cart-track* from Endattur to Koliyalam. Enters the forest on the west boundary about eleven chains north of the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction and leaves the forest on the north boundary about two and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam.

(4) *A right of way* (*Cart-track*) along the west boundary of the block from where the Endattur-Koliyalam path cuts it to the north-east corner of survey No. 276 of Koliyalam.

NOTE.—Cart-tracks are twelve feet wide each and open for people, cattle and carts, and foot-paths six feet broad and open for people and cattle.

(Signed) W. C. HAYNE,
District Forest-officer.

(Signed) A. PINTO,
Deputy Collr. and
Forest Sett.-officer.

Secretary.

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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 area the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification shall be constituted Reserved Forest.

Schedule.

District	Taluq	Number of the block	Name of the block	Boundaries
Chingleput	Kadaveruka kam	104	Koliyalam.	North:- Starting from the northeast corner of survey no 276 of Koliyalam, the line follows the south side of survey no 101, the west and south sides of survey no 273 to the northwest corner of survey no 272; thence along the west side of survey no 272 to its southwest corner; thence south-southeast to a cairn about 3½ chains from the last point; thence east-northeast to a cairn about 3½ chains on the south side of survey no 101; thence the south side of that number to its southeast corner; thence a straight line east-northeast to the southwest corner of survey no 221; thence along its south side to its southeast corner; thence a straight line northeast to the southeast corner of survey no 5; thence the east sides of survey nos 5, 6, 9 and 10 to the southwest corner of survey no 2;

thence the south side of survey no 2 all of Koliyalam to its southeast corner; thence a straight line east by north to the 4th boundary stone counted south from the Tiddakkur-Koliyalam-Papanellur-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive; thence eastnortheast along the Tiddakkur village west boundary to the next boundary stone.

East:- Thence southwards along the west boundaries of Tiddakkur and Valayapudhur, the north and west boundary of Puducheheri and the west boundary of Madurai to the boundary stone next south of the Koliyalam-Perumbakkam-Madurai trijunction; thence a straight line southwest to the northeast corner of survey no 423 of Perumbakkam-

South:- Thence along the north side of survey no 423 to the next Kandam stone; thence a straight line southwest to the Kandam stone on the north side northeast corner of survey no 426 of Perumbakkam; thence the north side of northeast of the 3rd boundary stone counted east from the Lapakaranai-Gudapakkam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive; thence a straight line south-west to the said boundary stone; thence along that number to its northeast corner; thence along the Gudapakkam north boundary to the Gudapakkam-Ladakaranai-Perumbakkam trijunction.

West:- Thence northwards along the east boundaries of Ladakaranai and Vanjipakkai to a curve at the southwest corner of Vedhachalanchetti within the limits of Perumbakkam; thence along its south side for 4 chains to its southeast corner;

thence along its east side for 6 chains to its northeast corner; thence along its north side for 3 1/2 chains to its northwest corner on the Vanjipakkam village east boundary; thence along the Vanjipakkam and Tiddakkam village east boundaries to the Perumbakkam-Tiddakkam-Koliyalam trijunction; thence a straight line north-northeast to the southeast corner of survey no 275 of Koliyalam; thence north along the east sides of that number and No 276 to the starting point.

Remarks:-

The following public rights of way are admitted:-

(1) Foot path from Perumbakkam to Tiddakkam. Enters the forest about 5 chains west of the Kandam stone at the northeast corner of survey no 423 of Perumbakkam and running west leaves the forest about a chain south of the 2nd boundary stone counted west from the Tiddakkam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive.

(2) Cart track from Chrotrein Madurai to Koliyalam. It enters the forest about one chain northeast of the 3rd boundary stone counted

northeast from the Chrotrium Kadavai-Perumbakkam-Koliyalam trijunction inclusive. and leaves the forest about 3 chains south of the southwest corner of Survey No 267 of Koliyalam-

(3) Cart track from Eudalur to Koliyalam. Enters the forest about 11 chains north of the Pillalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction and leaves the forest about 2/2 chains northwest of the northwest corner of survey No 273 of Koli-yalam.

(4) Cart track from Vaippanai to Perumbakkam. Enters the forest about 12 chains south of Vettai-Karan Kuttai and leaves the south boundary of the block about a chain west of the 3rd boundary stone counted east from the Ladakaranai-Gudappakkam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive.

5) A branch from No 4 cart track along the west boundary to Vettakaran Kuttai.

6) A right of way (cart track) along the west boundary of the block from where the Eudalur-Koliyalam path cuts it to the northeast corner of Survey No 276 of Koliyalam.

This path falls outside the reserve owing to the District Forest officer's revision of boundary.

—Do—

Note:— Cart tracks are 12 feet wide each and open for people cattle and carts and foot paths 6 feet broad and open for people and cattle.

II The following patta field is excluded from the forest as an enclosure within it approached by public right of way viz—

K Survey No 422 of Perumbakkam. acres 5.35

K Falls outside the reserve owing to the District Forest Officer's revision of boundary.

Dy Collector and
Dist. officer

Dy Forest officer

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1897.

Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

Printed August

Proceedings, Forest No. 344, 11th August 1897.

AUGUST.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. Geo[illegible] Gazette*, draft notification under section 16 of the Forest Act for the constitution of the Ko[illegible]n block, in the Madurántakam taluk, Chingleput district, as a reserved forest.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from A. PINTO, Esq., Deputy Collector and Forest Settlement-officer, Chingleput, to the Collector of Chingleput, dated Saidapet, 20th July 1894, No. 221-F. :—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest block No. 104, Madurántakam taluk.

2. The block takes in portions of two villages and as notified under section 4 comprised acres 1,200·12 including patta. Deducting roughly acres 30·12 as the area excluded at settlement both by revision of boundary and as enclosures leaves a net area of acres 1,170 or 1·82 square miles in extent.

3. The notification under section 4 appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 23rd February 1892, and the proclamation under section 6 was issued in the District Gazette Supplement for April 1892. Time was allowed for preference of claims up to 15th August 1892 and was subsequently extended to 5th May 1894. The block was perambulated by me on 23rd April 1894.

4. Thirteen claims were received in respect of this block. Seven claims relate to patta land. In one case the land was thrown out of the reserve by revision of boundary; in four others they were acquired for the forest by granting exchanges; in another the land was excluded as an enclosure * and a right of way allowed thereto and in the seventh case the claim was to land wholly outside the reserve and was accordingly dismissed. The eighth claim was for the exclusion of the burning and burial grounds of the Brahmins, Sudras and Pariahs of Koliyalam village. The two former are wholly outside the forest; those of the Pariahs are on the north boundary of the block. They have consented to move a little further north so as to be wholly outside the forest. Four other claims relate to rights of way. Of these, one by the District Forest-officer to four rights of way was admitted. The three other claims relate to ten rights of way; of which three are included in, and disposed of on, the District Forest-officer's claim; two were admitted and recorded and five were disallowed. The thirteenth and the last was the District Forest-officer's proposal to make certain alterations in the boundary which were adopted.

* Since thrown out of the reserve.

5. The pattadar of survey No. 423-A of Perumbakkam, acres 7·38, though duly served with a proclamation notice on the 24th April 1894, has not appeared and claimed the land up to date. I have seen the land. It is worthless. Probably the pattadar does not care to claim it. His right will become extinguished after the block is notified under section 16 of the Forest Act.

6. Access will have to be allowed under Government Order, No. 74, Revenue, dated 11th February 1889, over the following feeder channels :—

† (1) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It enters the west boundary of the reserve about a chain north of the Ladakaranai-Vaippanai-Perumbakkam trijunction and running in an easterly direction for 22 chains empties itself into the tank.

† (2) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It enters the west boundary of the forest about four chains north of the boundary stone next north of Vettakarankuttai and running east for about four chains empties itself into the tank.

† Channels Nos. 1 and 2 fall outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.

* (3) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam about eight chains north of Settikulam of Perumbakkam and running southwards for about 45 chains discharges itself into the Perumbakkam tank.

* Leaves the forest at the south end of Settikulam.

(4) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and running south for about 35 chains leaves the forest on the south boundary about four chains west of the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam.

(5) *Feeder channel* of Koliyalam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and running northwards for about seventeen chains empties itself into the Koliyalam tank.

(6) *Feeder channel* of Koliyalam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and flowing generally north-easterly leaves the north boundary of the forest about four and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam.

All the channels are on an average two yards broad between banks.

7. I beg that three months' time be allowed for promulgation of the notification under section 16 in the towns and villages concerned as required by the Act from the probable date of its appearance in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

B. REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, block No. 104, Madurántakam taluk, Chingleput district.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claim.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-11 / B-I	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	9th May 1894.	In order to shorten boundaries and to exclude rights, proposes to revise the boundary as follows:— From the south-east corner of survey No. 221, a straight line to the south-east corner of survey No. 5 of Koliyalam. From the village boundary stone south of the trijunction of shrotriem Madurai, Koliyalam and Perumbakkam villages a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam. From the trijunction between Perumbakkam, Tittalam and Koliyalam villages a straight line to the south-east corner of survey No. 275 of Koliyalam.	....	....	The proposed revisions are adopted. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-2 / B-II	Govinda Reddi and other ryots of Papanallur village.	5th Nov. 1892.	Pray for the exclusion of survey Nos. 11 and 115 of their village from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	....	....	The lands referred to in this claim are all outside the forest. This petition is therefore dismissed. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A—3-A / B-III	Venkatavaradachariar and others of Koliyalam village.	Do.	Claim seven rights of way through the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	....	....	Petitioners ask for the following paths:— (1) Koliyalam to Sittattur, foot-path. (2) Do. to Puducheri do. (3) Do. to Madurai, cart-track. (4) Do. to Perumbakkam, foot-path. (5) Do. to Endattur, cart-track. (6) Do. to Tittalam, a branch from the above. (7) Do. to Papanallur, foot-path. Numbers (1) and (7) are outside the forest altogether. No. (2) is a foot-path parallel to No. (3). It is superfluous and is not allowed. No. (4) is another foot-path parallel to No. (3) and is also disallowed. 2. Nos. (3) and (5) are cart-tracks and are claimed by the District Forest-officer. Orders will be passed on his claim. 3. No. (6) is a little branch from No. (5) and saves the people a few yards of walking. It is not important and is disallowed. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claim.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-3-B / B-IV	Venkatavaradachariar and others of Koliyalam village.	5th Nov. 1892.	Pray for the exclusion of the burial and burning grounds of the Brahmins, Sudras and Pariahs from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	....	....	The burial-ground for the Brahmins and Sudras are already outside the forest. The Pariah's burial-ground is along the northern boundary of the block, and they have now moved outside the forest just north of the north boundary. The claim is therefore rejected. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-4 / B-V	Veerasawmi Reddi, munsif of Perumbakkam on behalf of himself and other ryots of his village.	3rd Oct. 1892.	Claims two rights of way— (1) From Perumbakkam to Vaippanai, and (2) From that path to Tittalam as far as Vettakarankuttai and four feeder channels through the forest to the Perumbakkam tank.	Statement of claimant's spokesman.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the paths claimed.	The paths * described below are allowed:— (1) Cart-track † entering the reserve at its southern boundary a little to the west of the north-east corner of survey No 30 of Gudappakkam, running north-westwards and quitting the western boundary a little to the north of the third station north of the Gudappakkam-Perumbakkam-Ladakaranai trijunction inclusive. (2) A branch from the latter point along the forest boundary to Vettakarankuttai. 2. As regards the feeder channels to the Government tank access will be allowed to the ryots by a departmental order. Not being rights, their claim to them is formally rejected. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-7 / B-VI	Gopala Reddi and two others of Tittalam.	5th May 1894.	Claim a right of way from their village to the Koliyalam tank, through the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	The people are willing to go along the forest boundary.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the use of the forest boundary by the ryots.	The claimants are allowed a path along the western boundary of the block from where the Endattur-Koliyalam path cuts it to the north-east corner of survey No. 276. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.

* Both these paths fall outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.
† This is the same cart-track as No. 4 in the District Forest-officer's claim No. A-1—B-XIII.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claim.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-5 / B-VII	Anusan and other, Vetti inamdars of Koliyalam village.	3rd May 1894.	Claim their inam land, survey No. 269, acres 4·45, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire it by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval * of the Collector the following exchange will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands and his land acquired for the forest :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 4·45 acres, assessed at Rs. 2-4-0, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, east of survey Nos. 253, 254 and a straight line drawn south from the south-east corner of survey No 254 to the above said straight line and south of survey Nos. 229, 234 and 235, all of Koliyalam, and east of the exchange granted to Tukri inamdars out of the same field ; to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-6 / B-VIII	Varadan and other Tukri inamdars of Koliyalam.	Do.	Claim their inam field No. 268, 2·04 acres, of Koliyalam included in the proposed reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval * of the Collector, the following exchange will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 2·04 acres, assessed at Re. 1, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, south of survey Nos. 256, 255 and 254 and east of survey Nos. 258 and 259, all of Koliyalam village, to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-8 / B-IX	Venkatasawmi Reddi, pattadar No. 38 of Koliyalam.	8th May 1894.	Prays for the exclusion of his patta land, survey No. 280—A-2, 2·70 acres, of Koliyalam village from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	Village account ..	....	Owing to the revision of boundary by the District Forest-officer, the subject of this claim falls outside the reserve. No order is therefore necessary in this case. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-9 / B-X	Govinda Reddi on behalf of himself and other joint holders of Ejaman maniem of Koliyalam.	Do.	Claims survey No. 271, 3·92 acres, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and applies for an exchange.	Do. ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval of the Collector the following exchange † will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands and his land acquired for the forest :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 3·92 acres assessed at Rs. 1-15-0, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, west of survey No. 222, south of survey Nos. 227, 229, and the exchange granted for nottam inam and east of the exchange granted to Vetti and nottam maniems out of the same field ; to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.

* Collector's sanction received in his No. 1255-Ind., dated 25th June 1894.

† Sanctioned by the Collector in his No. 1255-Ind., dated 25th June 1894.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claim.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-10 / B-XI	Govinda Reddi and other joint holders of nottam inam of Koliyalam village.	8th May 1894.	Claim their inam land, survey No. 270, 1·36 acres, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and at the instance of the District Forest-officer, the land acquired for the forest by granting the claimant the following exchange * in full of all demands :— Out of dry survey No 280-B, 1·36 acres, assessed at As. 11, to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, west and north of the exchange to the Ejaman maniem, east of the exchange to the Vetti maniem out of the same field and south of survey Nos. 229 and 234, all of Koliyalam village, to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 9th May 1894.
A-12 / B-XII	Perumal Reddi, pattadar No. 14 of Perumbakkam village.	11th May 1894.	Prays for the exclusion of his patta lands, survey No. 422, 5·35 acres, of Perumbakkam village from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to exclude the land from the forest as an enclosure.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and at the instance of the District Forest-officer, the land † will be excluded from the forest as an enclosure ; approached by public right of way No. 1. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 11th May 1894.
A-1 / B-XIII	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	29th and 11th May 1892.	Brings to notice the following rights of way through the proposed reserve :— (1) Foot-path from Perumbakkam to Tittalam. Enters the forest about five chains west of the khandam stone on the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam and running west and north-west leaves ‡ the forest about a chain south of the second boundary stone counted west from the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive ; six feet wide and open for people and cattle. (2) Cart-track from shrotriem Madurai to Koliyalam. It enters the forest about one chain east of the third boundary stone counted east from the shrotriem Madurai-Perumbakkam-Koliyalam trijunction inclusive and leaves the forest about three chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 267 of Koliyalam ; twelve feet broad and open for people, cattle and carts. (3) Cart-track from Endattur to Koliyalam. Enters the forest about eleven chains north of the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction and leaves the forest about two and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam ; twelve feet wide and open for people, cattle and carts. (4) Cart-track § from Vaippanai to Perumbakkam. Enters the west boundary of the forest about twelve chains south of the Vettakarankuttai and leaves the south boundary of the block about a chain west of the third boundary stone east of the Ladakaranai-Gudappakkam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive ; four yards broad and open for people, cattle and carts.	....	....	No. 2 right of way enters the forest about a chain north-east of the third boundary stone counted north-east from the Koliyalam-Perumbakkam shrotriem Madurai trijunction. No. 4 right of way enters about twelve chains south of Vettakarankuttai. With these alterations, the claim is admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. ACHCHARAVAKKAM, 11th May 1894.

* Sanctioned by the Collector in his No. 1255-Ind., dated 25th June 1894.

‡ Leaves the forest near the khandam stone next west of the said corner.

† Falls outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.

§ This path falls outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by the Collector of Chingleput, dated Saidapet, 30th March 1897, C. No. 1063.

Submitted in original with all enclosures to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, Madras.

2. The required statement of area and condition is enclosed.

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5. The area of the block as finally settled is 1,070 acres.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT of area and condition for the proposed Koliyalam block No. 104, Madurántakam 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. 445,209	ACS. 149,107	ACS. 139,554	ACS. 5,807	..	Now submitted block No. 104, Koliyalam.. ACS. 1,170	ACS. 1,100	ACS. 70	Submitted.

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Endorsement by E. P. POPERT, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, dated Madras, 31st March 1897, No. 1447.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 344, dated 11th August 1897.

Submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, with the recommendation that the date of reservation may be fixed as the 1st December next.

2. It is observed that the description of the Perumbakkam-Tittalam foot-path has not been amended in the claim register with reference to the subsequent revision of boundary at settlement. The Board has made the necessary correction in accordance with the entry in the draft notification.

3. The access to the feeder channels traversing the reserve should be conceded by a departmental order as proposed by the Forest Settlement-officer in paragraph 6 of his report.

4. The block covers an area of 1,170 acres as finally settled. The entry of 1,070 acres in the area statement is apparently a clerical mistake for 1,170 acres. The necessary correction has, however, been made in the Board's office.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with draft notifications (one original and two printed)
and a sketch-map to be returned.
„ Collector of Chingleput.
„ Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.
„ Forest Settlement-officer, Chingleput, &c., Districts.

Exd. P. Seetharam.

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REVENUE.

Recd. } 1897. *Enclosures*

Regd. *Spare copies*

G.O., Nos. 771, 771A, 8th September 1897.

SEPTEMBER.

Reserved Forest.

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the constitution of the Koliyalam block, in the Madurántakam taluk, as a — , ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Chingleput District Gazettes.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Forest No. 344, dated 11th August 1897 :—

Read—the following letter from A. PINTO, Esq., Deputy Collector and Forest Settlement-officer, Chingleput, to the Collector of Chingleput, dated Saidapet, 20th July 1894, No. 221-F. :—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest block No. 104, Madurántakam taluk.

2. The block takes in portions of two villages and as notified under section 4 comprised acres 1,200·12 including patta. Deducting roughly acres 30·12 as the area excluded at settlement both by revision of boundary and as enclosures leaves a net area of acres 1,170 or 1·82 square miles in extent.

3. The notification under section 4 appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 23rd February 1892, and the proclamation under section 6 was issued in the District Gazette Supplement for April 1892. Time was allowed for preference of claims up to 15th August 1892 and was subsequently extended to 5th May 1894. The block was perambulated by me on 23rd April 1894.

4. Thirteen claims were received in respect of this block. Seven claims relate to patta land. In one case the land was thrown out of the reserve by revision of boundary; in four others they were acquired for the forest by granting exchanges; in another the land was excluded as an enclosure * and a right of way allowed thereto and in the seventh case the claim was to land wholly outside the reserve and was accordingly dismissed. The eighth claim was for the exclusion of the burning and burial grounds of the Brahmins, Sudras and Pariahs of Koliyalam village. The two former are wholly outside the forest; those of the Pariahs are on the north boundary of the block. They have consented to move a little further north so as to be wholly outside the forest. Four other claims relate to rights of way. Of these, one by the District Forest-officer to four rights of way was admitted. The three other claims relate to ten rights of way; of which three are included in, and disposed of on, the District Forest-officer's claim; two were admitted and recorded and five were disallowed. The thirteenth and the last was the District Forest-officer's proposal to make certain alterations in the boundary which were adopted.

* Since thrown out of the reserve.

5. The pattadar of survey No. 423-A of Perumbakkam, acres 7·38, though duly served with a proclamation notice on the 24th April 1894, has not appeared and claimed the land up to date. I have seen the land. It is worthless. Probably the pattadar does not care to claim it. His right will become extinguished after the block is notified under section 16 of the Forest Act.

6. Access will have to be allowed under Government Order, No. 74, Revenue, dated 11th February 1889, over the following feeder channels :—

† (1) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It enters the west boundary of the reserve about a chain north of the Ladakaranai-Vaippanai-Perumbakkam trijunction and running in an easterly direction for 22 chains empties itself into the tank.

† (2) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It enters the west boundary of the forest about four chains north of the boundary stone next north of Vettakaran-kuttai and running east for about four chains empties itself into the tank.

† Channels Nos. 1 and 2 fall outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.

* (3) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam about eight chains north of Settikulam of Perumbakkam and running southwards for about 45 chains discharges itself into the Perumbakkam tank.

* Leaves the forest at the south end of Settikulam.

(4) *Feeder channel* of Perumbakkam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and running south for about 35 chains leaves the forest on the south boundary about four chains west of the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam.

(5) *Feeder channel* of Koliyalam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and running northwards for about seventeen chains empties itself into the Koliyalam tank.

(6) *Feeder channel* of Koliyalam tank. It rises in survey No. 280 of Koliyalam and flowing generally north-easterly leaves the north boundary of the forest about four and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam.

All the channels are on an average two yards broad between banks.

7. I beg that three months' time be allowed for promulgation of the notification under section 16 in the towns and villages concerned as required by the Act from the probable date of its appearance in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

Enclosure No. 1.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, block No. 104, Madurántakam taluk, Chingleput district.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-11 / B-I	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	9th May 1894.	In order to shorten boundaries and to exclude rights, proposes to revise the boundary as follows:— From the south-east corner of survey No. 221, a straight line to the south-east corner of survey No. 5 of Koliyalam. From the village boundary stone south of the trijunction of shrotriem Madurai, Koliyalam and Perumbakkam villages a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam. From the trijunction between Perumbakkam, Tittalam and Koliyalam villages a straight line to the south-east corner of survey No. 275 of Koliyalam.	....	....	The proposed revisions are adopted. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.
A-2 / B-II	Govinda Reddi and other ryots of Papanallur village.	5th Nov. 1892.	Pray for the exclusion of survey Nos. 11 and 115 of their village from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	....	....	The lands referred to in this claim are all outside the forest. This petition is therefore dismissed. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.
A-3-A / B-III	Venkatavaradachariar and others of Koliyalam village.	Do.	Claim seven rights of way through the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	....	....	Petitioners ask for the following paths:— (1) Koliyalam to Sittattur, foot-path. (2) Do. to Puducheri do. (3) Do. to Madurai, cart-track. (4) Do. to Perumbakkam, foot-path. (5) Do. to Endattur, cart-track. (6) Do. to Tittalam, a branch from the above. (7) Do. to Papanallur, foot-path. Nos. (1) and (7) are outside the forest altogether. No. (2) is a foot-path parallel to No. (3). It is superfluous and is not allowed. No. (4) is another foot-path parallel to No. (3) and is also disallowed. 2. Nos. (3) and (5) are cart-tracks and are claimed by the District Forest-officer. Orders will be passed on his claim. 3. No. (6) is a little branch from No. (5) and saves the people a few yards of walking. It is not important and is disallowed. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-3-B / B-IV	Venkatavaradachariar and others of Koliyalam village.	5th Nov. 1892.	Pray for the exclusion of the burial and burning grounds of the Brahmins, Sudras and Pariahs from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest	....	....	The burial-ground for the Brahmins and Sudras are already outside the forest. The Pariah's burial-ground is along the northern boundary of the block, and they have now moved outside the forest just north of the north boundary. The claim is therefore rejected. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.
A-4 / B-V	Veerasawmi Reddi, munsif of Perumbakkam on behalf of himself and other ryots of his village.	3rd Oct. 1892.	Claims two rights of way— (1) From Perumbakkam to Vaippanai, and (2) From that path to Tittalam as far as Vettakarankuttai and four feeder channels through the forest to the Perumbakkam tank.	Statement of claimant's spokesman.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the paths claimed.	The paths * described below are allowed:— (1) Cart-track † entering the reserve at its southern boundary a little to the west of the north-east corner of survey No 30 of Gudappakkam, running north-westwards and quitting the western boundary a little to the north of the third station north of the Gudappakkam-Perumbakkam-Ladakaranai trijunction inclusive. (2) A branch from the latter point along the forest boundary to Vettakarankuttai. 2. As regards the feeder channels to the Government tank access will be allowed to the ryots by a departmental order. Not being rights, their claim to them is formally rejected. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.
A-7 / B-VI	Gopala Reddi and two others of Tittalam.	5th May 1894.	Claim a right of way from their village to the Koliyalam tank, through the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	The people are willing to go along the forest boundary.	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the use of the forest boundary by the ryots.	The claimants are allowed a path along the western boundary of the block from where the Endattur-Koliyalam path cuts it to the north-east corner of survey No. 276. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.

* Both these paths fall outside the reserve owing to the District Forest-officer's revision of boundary.
† This is the same cart-track as No. 4 in the District Forest-officer's claim No. A-1—B-XIII.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or other easements in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of the claim.	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	7
A-5 / B-VII	Anusan and other, Vetti inamdars of Koliyalam village.	3rd May 1894.	Claim their inam land, survey No. 269, acres 4·45, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire it by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval * of the Collector the following exchange will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands and his land acquired for the forest :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 4·45 acres, assessed at Rs. 2-4-0, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, east of survey Nos. 253, 254 and a straight line drawn south from the south-east corner of survey No 254 to the above said straight line and south of survey Nos. 229, 234 and 235, all of Koliyalam, and east of the exchange granted to Tukri inamdars out of the same field ; to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
A-6 / B-VIII	Varadan and other Tukri inamdars of Koliyalam.	Do.	Claim their inam field No. 268, 2·04 acres, of Koliyalam included in the proposed reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval * of the Collector, the following exchange will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 2·04 acres, assessed at Re. 1, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, south of survey Nos. 256, 255 and 254 and east of survey Nos. 258 and 259, all of Koliyalam village, to be sub divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
A-8 / B-IX	Venkatasawmi Reddi, pattadar No. 38 of Koliyalam.	8th May 1894.	Prays for the exclusion of his patta land, survey No. 280—A-2, 2·70 acres, of Koliyalam village from the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest.	Village account ..	....	Owing to the revision of boundary by the District Forest-officer, the subject of this claim falls outside the reserve. No order is therefore necessary in this case. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894.
A-9 / B-X	Govinda Reddi on behalf of himself and other joint holders of Ejaman maniem of Koliyalam.	Do.	Claims survey No. 271, 3·92 acres, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and applies for an exchange.	Do. ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and subject to the approval of the Collector the following exchange † will be granted to the claimant in full of all demands and his land acquired for the forest :— Out of survey No. 280-B, 3·92 acres assessed at Rs. 1-15-0, situated outside the reserve to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, west of survey No. 222, south of survey Nos. 227, 229, and the exchange granted for nottam inam and east of the exchange granted to Vetti and nottam maniems out of the same field ; to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.

* Collector's sanction received in his No. 1255-Ind., dated 25th June 1894.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
A-10 / B-XI	Govinda Reddi and other joint holders of nottam inam of Koliyalam village.	8th May 1894.	Claim their inam land, survey No. 270, 1·36 acres, of Koliyalam village included in the proposed Koliyalam reserved forest and apply for an exchange.	Village account ..	The District Forest-officer has no objection to the claim. He elects to acquire the land by granting an exchange.	The claim is admitted under section 10 of the Forest Act and at the instance of the District Forest-officer, the land acquired for the forest by granting the claimant the following exchange * in full of all demands :— Out of dry survey No 280-B, 1·36 acres, assessed at As. 11, to the north of a straight line drawn from the south-west corner of survey No. 222 to the south-east corner of survey No. 259, west and north of the exchange to the Ejaman maniem, east of the exchange to the Vetti maniem out of the same field and south of survey Nos. 229 and 234, all of Koliyalam village, to be sub-divided and lettered. It is unreserved land. Achcharavakkam, 9th May 1894. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer.
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A-1 / B-XIII	The District Forest-officer, Chingleput.	29th and 11th May 1892.	Brings to notice the following rights of way through the proposed reserve :— (1) Foot-path from Perumbakkam to Tittalam. Enters the forest about five chains west of the khandam stone on the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam and running west and north-west leaves ‡ the forest about a chain south of the second boundary stone counted west from the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive ; six feet wide and open for people and cattle. (2) Cart-track from shrotriem Madurai to Koliyalam. It enters the forest about one chain east of the third boundary stone counted east from the shrotriem Madurai-Perumbakkam-Koliyalam trijunction inclusive and leaves the forest about three chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 267 of Koliyalam ; twelve feet broad and open for people, cattle and carts. (3) Cart-track from Endattur to Koliyalam. Enters the forest about eleven chains north of the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction and leaves the forest about two and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam ; twelve feet wide and open for people, cattle and carts. (4) Cart-track § from Vaippanai to Perumbakkam. Enters the west boundary of the forest about twelve chains south of the Vettakarankuttai and leaves the south boundary of the block about a chain west of the third boundary stone east of the Ladakaranai-Gudappakkam-Perumbakkam trijunction inclusive ; four yards broad and open for people, cattle and carts.	....	....	With these alterations, the claim is admitted and recorded under section 11 of the Forest Act. (Signed) A. PINTO, Forest Sett.-officer. Achcharavakkam, 11th May 1894.

Sanctioned by the Collector in his No. 1255-Ind., dated 25th June 1894.

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4. The portion of the Perumbakkam tank lying at the south-west corner of the block has been excluded.

5. The area of the block as finally settled is 1,070 acres.

Enclosure.

Statement of area and condition for the proposed Koliyalam block No. 104, Madurántakam 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. 445,209	Acs. 149,107	Acs. 139,554	Acs. 5,807	..	Now submitted block No. 104, Koliyalam .. Acs. ~~1,170~~ X	Acs. ~~1,100~~	Acs. ~~70~~	Submitted.

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Forwarded.

Resolution—Forest No. 344, dated 11th August 1897.

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(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. C. C. CARR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
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„ Collector of Chingleput.
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Order—No. 771, Revenue, dated 8th September 1897.

Forest No. 170.

The draft notification will be published in the Fort St. George and the Chingleput District Gazettes, the 1st December 1897 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

2. The necessary access to the four feeder channels lying within the reserve should be allowed by a departmental order.

3. The estimate as to the area of the block as it now stands appears to have been arrived at by assuming that the block comprised 1,200 acres when notified under section 4. In the statement printed in G.O., No. 155, dated 16th February 1892, however, the latter area is shown as 1,165 acres. The correct area should be reported.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), with map.
„ the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

Endorsement No. 771A.

Copy to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 the Madras Forest Act (V of 1882), that from the 1st December 1897, the area, the boundaries of ich are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted reserved est.

Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	Number of the block.	Name of the block.	Boundaries.
Chingleput.	Madurántakam ..	104	Koliyalam.	*North.*—Starting from the north-east corner of survey No. 276 of Koliyalam, the line follows the south side of survey No. 101, the west and south sides of survey No. 273 to the north-west corner of survey No. 272; thence along the west side of survey No. 272 to its south-west corner; thence south-south-east to a cairn about three and a half chains from the last point; thence eastwards to a cairn about three and a half chains on the south side of survey No. 101; thence the south side of that number to its south-east corner; thence a straight line east-north-east to the south-west corner of survey No. 221; thence along its south side to its south-east corner; thence a straight line north-east to the south-east corner of survey No. 5; thence the east sides of survey Nos. 5, 6, 9 and 10 to the south-west corner of survey No. 2; thence the south side of survey No. 2 (all of Koliyalam) to its south-east corner; thence a straight line east by north to the fourth boundary stone counted south from the Sittattur-Koliyalam-Papanallur trijunction stone inclusive; thence east-north-east along the Sittattur village west boundary to the next boundary stone. *East.*—Thence southwards along the west boundaries of Sittattur and Valayaputtur, the north and west boundaries of Puducheri and the west boundary of Madurai (shrotriem) to the boundary stone next south of the Koliyalam-Perumbakkam-Madurai trijunction; thence a straight line south-west to the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam. *South.*—Thence along the north side of survey No. 423 to the next khandam stone; thence north-westwards to the Perumbakkam-Tittalam-Koliyalam trijunction. *West.*—Thence a straight line north-north-east to the south-east corner of survey No. 275 of Koliyalam; thence north along the east sides of that number and No. 276 to the starting point.

Remarks.—The following public rights of way are admitted:—

(1) *Foot-path* from Perumbakkam to Tittalam. Enters the forest on the south boundary about five chains west of the khandam stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 423 of Perumbakkam and running west leaves the forest near the khandam stone next west of the said corner.

(2) *Cart-track* from Madurai shrotriem to Koliyalam. It enters the forest on the east boundary about one chain north-east of the third boundary stone counted north-east from the Madurai shrotriem Perumbakkam-Koliyalam trijunction inclusive, and running north-west leaves the forest on the north boundary about three chains south of the south-west corner of survey No. 267 of Koliyalam.

(3) *Cart-track* from Endattur to Koliyalam. Enters the forest on the west boundary about eleven chains north of the Tittalam-Koliyalam-Perumbakkam trijunction and running north-east leaves the forest on the north boundary about two and a half chains north-west of the north-west corner of survey No. 273 of Koliyalam.

(4) *A right of way* (*Cart-track*) along the west boundary of the block from where the Endattur-Koliyalam path cuts it to the north-east corner of survey No. 276 of Koliyalam.

Note.—Cart-tracks are twelve feet wide each and open for people, cattle and carts and foot-path six feet broad and open for people and cattle.

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