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Dated 10th March

[Despatch Abstract.]

Reserved Forest

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the constitution of the Tamapad block, in the palmad and Sattenapalle Tks, as a ——, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Kistna Dt. Gazettes.

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The draft notification will be published in the Fort St George and Kistna Dt gazettes, the 31st May 1898 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

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Note. The initial reservation of this block was approved in G.O 176 of 24.4.96.

SUBJECT.

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Subg to Govt for approval of draft notification under sec: 16 of the Forest act for the constitution of the Janapad block in the Palmaner & Kottenapalle Taluks, Kistna Dt. as a reserved forest.

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~~boundary stone, then~~ ~~to the northern~~ ~~corner~~ ~~than the west side of that~~ ~~corner, then a straight~~ ~~southwest corner of~~ ~~84;~~ ~~southwest to a claim about~~ ~~of~~ ~~No 258;~~ ~~then along~~ ~~the southeast corner of No 204~~ ~~northwest to the southernmost~~ ~~straight line to the easternmost~~ ~~northside of that number to~~ ~~a straight line to the~~ ~~then a straight line in~~ ~~northernmost corner of No 228~~ ~~west to a village boundary~~ ~~northeast of the northeast~~ ~~Survey village boundary~~ ~~east corner of No 202 (all~~ ~~attached)~~ ~~village boundary) of Guttikar~~

by a footpath for one ~~to~~ 2 2 2 3 only entering the reserve about 9 chains East of the northernmost corner of $\frac{25\ 2\ 23}{34}$ of Peddanevulapuri and running north-northwest for about 7 chains to the temple

Ed Smith
Forest Settlement Officer.

A Rabindra
District Forest Officer.

a point in the South
side of No 2 52/15 4 about
½ a chain South
East of its northwest
Corner;

on the northside of 2 5/34
Southeast of its northern
northsides of Nos 2 5/34 2 0 5/1,
Northwest Corner of the la
Southwestern to the northwe
the northside of No 2 5/14
Corner; thence straight
1 Chain west of the sou
then a straightline sou
southwest corner of No 2
in the same direction for
Cairn; then a straight
about 40 Lks for a Cairn at a
about 12½ Chains West of
of No 2 52/32 (all the above n
then along the Survey
up to a Cairn 23 chains n
Corner of No 16 2/30 (of Gulla
line to the northeast Corner
Peddanevalapuri; then a
to a Cairn about 2 chain
northwest corner of that
line west-northwest for

; then the southside of
Corner, then a straight
southeast corner of No 977;
erly the same direction to
Survey No 973; then a
a Cairn about 11 Chains
side of Survey No 972/4 (
anapad); then along the
of Janapad and
eyestone about 4 3/4 Chains
west Corner of No 977/11 of
straightline East-southeast
side of the Dadepalli
a road about 22 yards
of the road where it

thence southwest to the
156 ct of Peddanevalapuri;
45 thwest for about 18 7/2 Chains
stone
line northwest from
Cairn; then a straight
1½ Chains to a Cairn

5½ furlongs; leaves it about
19 chains northeast of the
northwest corner of No 1 of
of Gullapalli
(III) Cart-track from Janapad
to Peddanevalapuri via Gullapalli
This enters the reserve about
3 chains west-southwest of
the southwest corner of No 5 72
of Janapadu and running
southwest for about 2 furlongs
merges into the cart track
No (i) supra about 13 chains
south of the point of entrance
into the reserve.
(IV) Foot-path 1 yard wide for
men only from Janapad to
Peddanevalapuri. This enters
the reserve about 3½ chains
west of the Southwest corner
of No 97 2/1 of Janapad and
running south and then South
for about 5 furlongs; leaves the
reserve about 1 chain northeast
of the northwest corner of No 2 52/15

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 189 . the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the Schedule appended to this Notification shall be constituted "Reserved Forest."

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Boundaries.	Remarks.
1	2	3		5
Nellore	Kottapatnam Taluk	Gullapalli Reserve	North. Starting from the Northeast Corner of Survey No 1018 of Guttikonda, a straight line northeast to the Southeast Corner of No 966; then the Southside of Nos 263 and 205 to the Southeast Corner of the latter number; then a straight line northeast for about 4 chains to a Cairn; then a straight line to the Southeast Corner of No 205/25; then a straight line to a Cairn on the Northside of No 205/29 about 4 Chains northeast of its northwest Corner; then the north, west and Southsides of that number up to a Cairn about 5 Chains northeast of its southwest Corner; then a straight line Southeast to a Cairn 5 Chains distant (All the above numbers are of Guttikonda); then a straight line east northeast up to the Southwest Corner of No 572 of Janapadu, then the Southside of that number	I. The following public rights of way are allowed. (i) Cart track 4 yards wide from Guttikonda to the cultivated fields of the Southwest corner of the reserve (Nos 1018, 1017, 1020 &c). This enters the reserve at the northeast corner of No 1019 of Guttikonda and running along the western boundary of the Reserve for about 14 chains, leaves it about 6 chains South of the Southeast corner of the same number. (ii) Cart track 5 yards wide from Pandiwaripalem (hamlet of Julakalle) to Gullapalli. This enters the reserve about 23 Chains west Southwest of the southwest corner of No 572 of Janapadu and running South Southeast for abou

a point in the South
side of No 252 A about
15 links south
east of its northwest
Corner;

on the northside of 25/34 about 6 chains east
southeast of its northernmost Corner; thence along the
northsides of Nos 25/34, 25/33 & 25/10 to the
northwest Corner of the last No; thence a straight line
Southwestwards to the northwest Corner of No 25/15; thence
the northside of No 25/14 & up to its northwest
Corner; thence a straight line southwestwards to a point
10 chains west of the southwest Corner of that No;
then a straight line southsouthwest to a
southwest Corner of No 25/2 A; thence a straight line
in the same direction for about 28 Chains to a
Cairn; then a straight line westsouthwest for
about 40 links to a Cairn at a
about 1½ Chains west of
No 25/32 B; all the above
then along the Surveyed
up to a Cairn 23 chains
Corner of No 16/30 (of Gullap
line to the northeast Corner
Peddanevelipare; then a
to a Cairn about 2 chains
northwest corner of that
line westnorthwest for

village boundary stone
the northernmost corner
numbers are of Peddanevelipare)
boundary of Gullapalli
northwest of the northwest
alli; then a straight
of No 25/23 of
straight line northwest
northwest of the
number; then a straight
about 38½ Chains to

II Local Fund road from
Guttikonda to Nakirakal
to a width of 22 yards on
either side from the centre has
been excluded from reservation.
It enters the reserve about
12½ chains southwest of the
southernmost Corner of No 966
of Guttikonda and running
southeast for about 1 mile
and 2½ furlongs; leaves it
about 12 chains west of the
northernmost corner of No 346/36 of
Gullapalli.

III The following has
been ordered to be demarcated
out and retained as an
enclosure within the reserve free
from reservation.

IV The temple of Venkateswaraswami
situated on the south bank of Vankatavaramma
with a space of 25 yards square
including the temple with a wall

up to its southeast corn, then the southside of No 586/4 up to its southeast corner, then a straight line northeast up to the southeast corner of No 977; then a straightline in nearly the same direction to the easternmost corner of survey no 973; then a straightline southeast to a cairn about 11 chains west of the southwest corner of survey No 972/4 (all the above nos are of Janapad); then along the Southern surveyed boundary of Janapad and Pedagavala up to a surveystone about 4 3/4 chains southeast of the southeast corner of no 877/11 of Pedagavala; then a straight line east-southeast to a cairn on the west side of the Dasherpalli Narasarowpet Local Fund road about 22 yards west of the Central line of the road where it branches to Guntur.

East:- Then a straightline southwest to the northwest corner of no 156/4 of Pedda nevalapuri; then a straight line southwest for about 18 1/2 chains to a village boundary stone.

South:- Then a straight line northwest for about 15 1/2 chains to a cairn; then a straight line west for about 6 4/2 chains to a cairn

5 1/2 furlongs; leaves it about 19 chains northeast of the northwest corner of No 181 of Gullapalli

(III) Cart-track from Janapad to Pedda nevalapuri via Gullapad. This enters the reserve about 3 chains west-southwest of the southwest corner of No 572 of Janapad and running southwest for about 2 furlongs merges into the cart track no (i) supra about 13 chains south of the point of entrance into the reserve.

(IV) Foot-path 1 yard wide for men only from Janapad to Pedda nevalapuri. This enters the reserve about 3 1/2 chains west of the southwest corner of No 972/1 of Janapad and running south and then southeast for about 5 furlongs; leaves the reserve about 1 chain northeast of the northwest corner of No 252/15

First Gazette, March 10, 1898.

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

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Kistna.	Palnad and Sattenapalle.	Janapad reserve ..	*North.*—Starting from the north-east corner of survey No. 1019 of Guttikonda a straight line north-east to the south-east corner of No. 966; then the south side of Nos. 263 and 205 to the south-east corner of the latter number; then a straight line north-east for about forty-seven chains to a cairn; then a straight line to the south-east corner of No. 205-28; then a straight line to a cairn on the north side of No. 205-29 about four chains north-east of its north-west corner; then the north, west and south sides of that number up to a cairn about five chains north-east of its south-west corner; then a straight line south-east to a cairn five chains distant (all the above numbers are of Guttikonda); then a straight line east-north-east up to the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad; then the south side of that number up to its south-east corner; then the south side of No. 586-4 up to its south-east corner; then a straight line north-east up to the south-east corner of No. 977; then a straight line in nearly the same direction to the easternmost corner of survey No. 973; then a straight line south-east to a cairn about eleven chains west of the south-west corner of survey No. 972-4 (all the above numbers are of Janapad); then along the southern surveyed boundary of Janapad and Pidugurala up to a survey stone about four and three-quarter chains south-east of the south-east corner of No. 897-11 of Pidugurala; then a straight line east-south-east to a cairn on the west side of the Dachepalli-Narasaraopet Local Fund road about twenty-two yards west of the central line of the road where it branches to Guntur. *East.*—Then a straight line south-west to the north-west corner of No. 156-A-45 of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line south-west for about eighteen and half chains to a village boundary stone. *South.*—Then a straight line north-west for about fifteen and half chains to a cairn; then a straight line west for about sixty-four and half chains to a cairn on the north side of No. 252-B-34 about six chains east-south-east of its northernmost corner; then along the north sides of Nos. 252-B-34, 252-B-33 and 252-A-10 to the north-west corner of the last number; then a straight line south-west to ~~the north-west corner of No. 252-A-15~~ a point in the north side of No. 252-A about half 15 a chain southeast of its northwest corner; then the north sides of Nos. 252-A-15 and 252-A-14 up to its north-west corner; then a straight line south-west to a point one chain west of the south-west corner of that number; then a straight line south-south-west to the south-west corner of No. 252-A-37; then a straight line in the same direction for about twenty-eight chains to a cairn; then a straight line west-south-west for about forty chains to a cairn at a village boundary stone about twelve and half chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 252-B-32 (all the above numbers are of Peddanevalapuri); then along the surveyed boundary of Gullapalli up to a cairn twenty-three chains north-west of the north-west corner of No. 162-30 of Gullapalli; then a straight line to the north-east corner of No. 252-B-12 of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line north-west to a cairn about two chains north-west of the north-west corner of that number; then a straight line west-north-west for about thirty-eight and half chains to a cairn at a village boundary stone; then a straight line south-west to the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli; then the west side of that number to its south-west corner; then a straight line south-east to the south-west corner of No. 184; then a straight line west-south-west to a cairn about half a chain north of north-east corner of No. 250; then along the north side of No. 205 up to the south-east corner of No. 204; then a straight line north-north-west to the southernmost corner of No. 190; then a straight line to the easternmost corner of No. 193; then the north side of that number to its northernmost corner; then a straight line to the northernmost corner of No. 546-36; then a straight line in a westerly direction to the northernmost corner of No. 1028-24; then a straight line south-west to a village boundary stone about seven chains east-north-east of the north-east corner of No. 1028-19; then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda up to the north-east corner of No. 1022 (all the above numbers are of Guttikonda) *West.*—Then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda to the starting point.

of Guttikonda

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

(i) *Cart-track four yards wide from Guttikonda to the cultivated fields of the south-west corner of the reserve (Nos. 1015, 1017, 1020, &c.).*—This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running along the western boundary of the reserve for about fourteen chains, leaves it about six chains south of the south-east corner of the same number.

(ii) *Cart-track five yards wide from Pandirivaripalem (hamlet of Julakallu) to Gullapalli.*—This enters the reserve about twenty-three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south-south-east for about five and half furlongs, leaves it about nineteen chains north-east of the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli.

(iii) *Cart-track to a width of five yards from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri via Gullapalli.*—This enters the reserve about three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south-west for about two furlongs merges into the cart-track No. (ii) *supra* about thirteen chains south of the point of entrance of the latter into the reserve.

(iv) *Foot-path one yard wide for men only from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri.*—This enters the reserve about three and half chains west of the south-west corner of No. 972-1 of Janapad and running south and then south-east for about five furlongs, leaves the reserve about one chain north-east of the north-west corner of No. 252A-15.

II. Local Fund road from Guttikonda to Nakirakal to a width of twenty-two yards on either side from the centre has been excluded from reservation. This enters the reserve about twelve and half chains south-west of the southernmost corner of No. 966 of Guttikonda and running south-east for about one mile and two and half furlongs, leaves it about twelve chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.

III. The following has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation.

The temple of Venkateswaraswami situated on the southern slope of Venkateswaraswami konda with a space of twenty-five yards square including the temple with access by a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards entering the reserve about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of No. 252-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and running north-north-west for about seven chains to the temple.

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

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

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

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FEBRUARY.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, draft notification under section 16 of the Forest Act for the constitution of the Janapad block, in the Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks, Kistna district, as a reserved forest.

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 Camp, Nellore, 17th May 1897 :—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Janapad reserve in the Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks of your district.

2. The initial notification under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act proposing to constitute this area into a reserved forest, appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 5th May 1896; and the proclamation under section 6 of the Act was published in the District Gazette, dated 4th July 1896. The time allowed for the presentation of claims expired on the 4th October 1896.

3. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in March 1897, and twenty-eight ~~chains~~ were preferred for the following rights :—

(i) Two claims for the exclusion of two district board roads.
(ii) Twelve claims to patta and inam fields.
(iii) Five claims to the right of way to the above.
(iv) Seven claims to other rights of way.
(v) One claim to a temple.
(vi) One claim to a right of way to the temple.

Of the two claims for the exclusion of the district board roads, one claim was admitted and the other rejected, as the road does not pass through the reserve. The district board road to which the claim has been admitted has been excluded from reservation to a width of 22 yards on either side from the centre. The claims to patta and inam fields were admitted. The fields in two claims have been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, while those in the remaining claims have been ordered to be excluded from the reserve by alteration of the boundary of the reserve. The claims to rights of way to the fields involved in item No. III were rejected as unnecessary, the fields having been either acquired or excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. Of the seven claims to rights of way, six claims to four rights of way were admitted, and the remaining claim was rejected as unnecessary. The claims to the temple and to a right of way to the same were admitted; and the temple has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation.

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

5. 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) The numerical statement of the claims.

6. 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 Janapad reserved forest, Sattenapalle and Palnad taluks, Kistna 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 claims.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief summary of the order of the Collector in respect of claims.
1	2	3	4	5	7	6	
1 1	The Vice-President, Masulipatam.	7th Nov. 1896.	Brings to notice that the trunk road No. VII, section iii passes through the reserve for a distance of about two and a half furlongs and requests to exclude 120 feet on each side of the road from reservation.	The easternmost corner of the reserve line only touches the road, but does not take in any portion of it. The cairn at a village boundary stone on the side of the road, which was wrongly placed there, has been removed to the west side of the road to a distance of twenty-two yards from the centre of the road.	Claim rejected as unnecessary; no portion of the road having been included in the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 10th April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.	Disputes the claim to a width of 120 feet on either side of the road. Demarcation has wrongly been taken to a cairn at the trijunction instead of to a point thirty-three feet from the centre point of bifurcation of the road from Hyderabad to Sattenapalli and to Narsaraopet.	
2 14	Pagadala Chandrappa of Gullapalli.	6th Mar. 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 189 of Gullapalli, measuring 5·13 acres and assessed at Rs. 6-2-0.	Supported by village accounts. The claimant is willing to part with land for a compensation of Rs. 30; Anthuri Gurumurthi, the other joint pattadar, is also willing to the above terms.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the field.	
3 15	Pagadala Chandrappa of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 189 of Gullapalli.	....	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the field will be acquired—*vide* order on claim 2-14. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer	Thinks it unnecessary, as the field is to be acquired.	
4 16	Kattiboina Venkatachellam of Gullapalli as guardian.	Do.	Claims on behalf of minors Panthi Baligadu and Subbigadoo patta right over the undermentioned fields of Gullapalli :—	Supported by village accounts.	Claim admitted. The fields will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 120. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the fields.	

Survey number.	Extent.	Assessment.
	Acs.	Rs. A. P.
190	8·48	3 8 0
192	3·68	3 11 0
546	9·61	9 10 0
	16·75	16 13 0

and is willing to receive Rs. 120 as compensation for the fields.

Register of claims to lands, rights to forest produce or easements in the proposed Janapad 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 claims.	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
5 / 17	Katti Boyina Venkatachellam of Gullapalli.	6th Mar. 1897.	Claims right of way to survey Nos. 190, 192 and 546 of Gullapalli.	....	Thinks it unnecessary, the fields having been acquired.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the fields will be acquired—*vide* order on claim No. 4–16. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
6 / 5	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Janapad to Anupalam.	This now passes outside the reserve and is used as a cart-track.	Unnecessary	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the path now passes outside the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
I (ii) 7 / 2	Akkirazu Lutchiminarayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Pandirivaripalem (hamlet of Julakallu) to Gullapalli.	This enters the reserve, about twenty-three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south-south-east for about five and a half furlongs, leaves it about nineteen chains north-east of the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli.	Admits claim ..	Admitted as a cart-track to a width of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 22nd April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
I (ii) 8 / 3	Akkirazu Lutchiminarayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	As head of the village, claims on behalf of the owners of survey Nos. 1018, 1017, 1020 and other numbers right of way over the cart-track entering the reserve at the village boundary stone north-east of survey No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running south and leaving the reserve south of the south-east corner of that number.	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running along the western boundary of the reserve for about fourteen chains, leaves it about six chains south of the south-east corner of the same number.	Admits it along the boundary.	Admitted as a cart-track to a width of four yards along the boundary. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 22nd April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
9 / 4	Bundla Kottaya of Guttikonda	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 205–29 of Guttikonda, measuring 5·35 acres, assessed at Rs. 8; portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion of survey No. 205–29 inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 22nd April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
10 / 8	Kassim Sahib of Janapad.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 586-4 of Janapad, measuring 8·7 acres, assessed at Rs. 12–2–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do.	Do. do.	Claim admitted to the portion of survey No. 586-4 inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 22nd April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.

Claim No. 7.—I (ii). *Claim No.* 8.—I (i).

Register of claims to lands, rights to forest produce or easements in the proposed Janapad 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 claims.	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
11 / 9	Bundla Kassim Sahib of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims patta right over survey No. 1028-24 of Guttikonda, measuring 11·35 acres, assessed at Rs. 17, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 22nd April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
12 / 10	Ponugupathi Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 196-A of Gullapalli, measuring 2·85 acres, assessed at Rs. 4–9–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 3rd May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
13 / 11	Ponugapathi Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 196-B of Gullapalli, measuring 3·11 acres, assessed at Rs. 5–7–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 3rd May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
14 / 12	Ponugupathi Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 181-B of Gullapalli, measuring 4·47 acres, assessed at Rs. 4–8 7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve, which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 3rd May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
15 / 6	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri.	This enters the reserve, about three and a half chains west of the south-west corner of No. 972-1 of Janapad and running south and then south-east for about five furlongs; leaves the reserve about one chain north-east of the north-west corner of No. 252-A-15.	Admits claim	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of one yard. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 3rd May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
16 / 26	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	7th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Peddanevalipuri to Janapad.			
17 / 7	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	6th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Janapad to Gullapalli.	This enters the reserve, about three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad, and running south-west for about two furlongs merges* into the cart-track from Pandirivaripalem to Gullapalli.	Admits claim	Admitted as a cart-track to a with of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 3rd May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
18 / 27	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	7th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Peddanevalipuri *vid* Gullapalli to Janapad.			
19 / 17	Ganjava Boyinakotappa of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 181-A of Gullapalli, measuring 0·42 acre, assessed at As. 7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
20 / 18	Pissepati Ramaswami of Gullapalli.	7th March 1897.	Claims joint inam patta right over survey No. 193 of Gullapalli, measuring 8·15 acres, assessed at Rs. 1–9–4.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.

Claims Nos. 15 *and* 16.—I (iv). *Claims Nos.* 17 *and* 18.—I (iii).

* About thirteen chains south of the point of entrance of path I (ii) into the reserve.

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21 19	Pissepati Ramaswami of Gullapalli.	7th March 1897.	Claims right of way to field No. 193 of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
22 20	Dachepalli Chinna Kassim of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over a portion of survey No. 546-36 of Gullapalli, measuring 0·75 acre, assessed at As. 12.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
23 21	Dachepalli Chinna Kassim of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
24 22	Dachepalli Chinna Mogala Sahib of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 195-B of Gullapalli, measuring 3·4 acres and assessed at Rs. 3.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
25 23	Dachepalli Chinna Mogala Sahib of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 195-B of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
26 24	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right to worship at the temple of Venkataswaraswami situated on the southern slope of Venkateswaraswami konda and states that a space of twenty-five yards square including the temple will be required for purposes of worship. Claims right of way to the temple of Venkateswaraswami.	....	Admits claim.	Claim admitted. The temple with a space of 25 yards square including the temple will be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. 4th May 1897. (Signed) F. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
27 25	Muppala Ramiah, munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	No. 262-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and runs north-north-west for about seven chains to the temple.	This enters the reserve, about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.	Do.	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards. 4th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
28 26	The District Forest-officer, Kistna.	11th Mar. 1897.	Claims on behalf of Local Fund Board the road from Guttikonda to Nakarikal to a width of thirty-three ft. on either side from its centre line.	It enters the reserve, about twelve and a half chains south-west of the southernmost corner of survey No. 936 of Guttikonda, and running south-east for about one mile two and a half furlongs, leaves it about twelve chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.	....	The Local Fund road to a width of twenty-two yards (this is the usual width allowed for such roads) on either side from the centre will be excluded from reservation. 5th May 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.

Claim No. 26-III.

Claim No. 11.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft Notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and disposed of.

Name and number of the block.	Claims to patta and inam lands.						Claims to rights of way.			Claims to shrines or temples and rights of way to them.		
	Filed.		Admitted.		Rejected.							
	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Janapad reserve ..	12	Acs. 69·44	12	Acs. * 69·44	..	Acs. ..	† 9	7	2	2	2	..

Name and number of the block.	Claims to rights of way to fields.			Miscellaneous claims.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Janapad reserve ..	5	..	5	..	..	..	28	21	7

* Of these, 21·88 acres have been acquired and the remaining 47·56 acres excluded by revision of boundary.
† Includes the claims to the two District Board roads.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by J. K. BATTEN, Esq., Acting Collector of Kistna, dated 16th October 1897, Dis. No. 910-For.

Submitted to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.

2. The area of the forest as settled after excluding four bits of lands covering an area of 82 acres is 3,215 acres.

3. The statement of area and condition and the ayacut abstract are enclosed.

4. There has been some delay which was due to the obtaining of particulars for ayacut abstract, and pressure of business due to the preparation of the plan of operations, budget and administration report.

5. Attention is invited to this office letter, D. No. 1767, dated 9th January 1897 (embodied in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 101, dated 11th March 1897), in regard to the land in Gullapalli village. It will be noticed that 145 acres unassessed and 19 acres assessed have been taken up for this reserve instead of 222 acres unassessed as computed in the above letter.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

STATEMENT of area and condition.

Total area of the taluk.	Extent of occupied and unoccupied Government land in the taluk.	Area of reserves already notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves submitted for notification under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.	Sketch-map.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
sq. mls. 1,066 714	ACS. 289,565 286,876 38,099 144,686	ACS. 165,094 *61,641	ACS. 27,989 7,699	ACS. 3,215	Chloroxylon, Acacias, Albizzias, &c.	Forms enclosure to Collector's letter, Dis. No. 910-For., dated 16th October 1897.
Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Occupied .. { Palnad .. Sattenapalle .. Unoccupied { Palnad .. Sattenapalle ..	Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Janapad		

*Includes 759 acres subsequently notified.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

AYAKAT abstract of Janapad reserve in Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks.

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.	Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Unsurveyed ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,928	..	..	..
Guttikonda ..	27,182	22,106	4,251	..	3	120	305	397	702
Janapad ..	1,954	269	3	..	..	..	628	1,054	1,682
Pidugurala ..	1,011	204	..	..	..	..	135	672	807
Gullapalli ..	5,501	435	2,466	..	19	145	701	884	1,585
Peddanevalipuri ..	7,487	330	3,696	795	..	..	688	2,773	3,461
Total ..	..	..	10,416	..	..	..	..	..	8,237
								Percentage of column 10 to column 4.	79·08

Endorsement by A. W. PEET, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Waltair, 24th October 1897, R. C. No. 734.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 53, dated 3rd February 1898.

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

2. (*a*) *Claims* 17 *and* 18.—The width of the cart-track dealt with in these claims, as well as of the access in claim 27, though given in the register, has not been recorded in the draft notification. The Board has supplied the omission.

(*b*) The point at which the above cart-track joins that from Pandirivaripalem to Gullapalli has also been definitely fixed in the register so as to corresponed with the draft notification.

3. With reference to the figures given in column 5 of the numerical statement, it should have been specifically stated what area of the lands admitted has been acquired and how much excluded by revision of boundary. The omission has, however, been supplied.

4. The proposed block covers an area of 3,215 acres as finally settled. As it is situated partly in Palnad and partly in Sattenapalle taluk, the area of the portion lying in each of the taluks should be given.

5. The reservation of the block may take effect from the 31st May next.

(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.

Exd. Md. Pahilvan.

Government {1898} of Madras.

REVENUE.

Recd. } 1898. *Enclosures*

Regd. } *Spare copies*

G.O., Nos. 146, 146A, 10th March 1898.

MARCH.

Reserved Forest.

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the constitution of the Janapad block, in the Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks, as a —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Kistna District Gazettes.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Forest No. 53, dated 3rd February 1898:—

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 Camp, Nellore, 17th May 1897:—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Janapad reserve in the Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks of your district.

2. The initial notification under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act proposing to constitute this area into a reserved forest, appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 5th May 1896; and the proclamation under section 6 of the Act was published in the District Gazette, dated 4th July 1896. The time allowed for the presentation of claims expired on the 4th October 1896.

3. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in March 1897, and twenty-eight claims were preferred for the following rights:—

(i) Two claims for the exclusion of two district board roads.
(ii) Twelve claims to patta and inam fields.
(iii) Five claims to the right of way to the above.
(iv) Seven claims to other rights of way.
(v) One claim to a temple.
(vi) One claim to a right of way to the temple.

Of the two claims for the exclusion of the district board roads, one claim was admitted and the other rejected, as the road does not pass through the reserve. The district board road to which the claim has been admitted has been excluded from reservation to a width of 22 yards on either side from the centre. The claims to patta and inam fields were admitted. The fields in two claims have been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, while those in the remaining claims have been ordered to be excluded from the reserve by alteration of the boundary of the reserve. The claims to rights of way to the fields involved in item No. III were rejected as unnecessary, the fields having been either acquired or excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. Of the seven claims to rights of way, six claims to four rights of way were admitted, and the remaining claim was rejected as unnecessary. The claims to the temple and to a right of way to the same were admitted; and the temple has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation.

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

5. 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) The numerical statement of the claims.

6. 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 Janapad reserved forest, Sattenapalle and Palnad taluks, Kistna 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 claims.	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
1 / 1	The Vice-President, District Board, Masulipatam.	7th Nov. 1896.	Brings to notice that the trunk road No. VII, section iii passes through the reserve for a distance of about two and a half furlongs and requests to exclude 120 feet on each side of the road from reservation.	The easternmost corner of the reserve line only touches the road, but does not take in any portion of it. The cairn at a village boundary stone on the east side of the road, which was wrongly placed there, has been removed to the west-side of the road to - distance of twenty-two yards from the centre of the road.	Disputes the claim to a width of 120 feet on either side of the road. Demarcation has wrongly been taken to a cairn at the trijunction instead of to a point thirty-three feet from the centre point of bifurcation of the road from Hyderabad to Sattenapalle and to Narsaraopet. The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the field.	Claim rejected as unnecessary; no portion of the road having been included in the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 10th April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
2 / 14	Pagadala Chandrappa of Gullapalli.	6th Mar. 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 189 of Gullapalli, measuring 5·13 acres and assessed at Rs. 5-2-0.	Supported by village accounts. The claimant is willing to part with land for a compensation of Rs. 30; Anthuri Gurumurthi, the other joint pattadar, is also willing to the above terms.	Thinks it unnecessary, as the field is to be acquired.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
3 / 15	Pagadala Chandrappa of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 189 of Gullapalli.	Supported by village accounts.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the fields.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the field will be acquired—*vide* order on claim 2-14. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
4 / 16	Kattiboina Venkatachellum of Gullapalli as guardian.	Do.	Claims on behalf of minors Panthi Baligadu and Subbigadoo patta right over the undermentioned fields of Gullapalli:—			Claim admitted. The fields will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 120. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 21st April 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.

Survey number.	Extent.	Assessment.
	Acs.	Rs. A. P.
190 ..	8·43	3 8 0
192 ..	3·63	3 11 0
546 ..	9·61	9 10 0
	16·75	16 13 0

and is willing to receive Rs. 120 as compensation for the fields.

Register of claims to lands, rights to forest produce or easements in the proposed Janapad reserved forest, &c—*cont.*

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
5 / 17	Katti Boyina Venkatachellam of Gullapalli.	6th Mar. 1897.	Claims right of way to survey Nos. 190, 192 and 546 of Gullapalli.	....	Thinks it unnecessary, the fields having been acquired.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the fields will be acquired—*vide* order on claim No. 4–16. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 21st April 1897.
6 / 5	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Janapad to Anupalam.	This now passes outside the reserve and is used as a cart-track.	Unnecessary	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the path now passes outside the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 21st April 1897.
7 / 2	Akkirazu Lutchiminarayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Pandirivaripalem (hamlet of Julakallu) to Gullapalli.	This enters the reserve, about twenty-three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south-south-east for about five and a half furlongs, leaves it about nineteen chains north-east of the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli.	Admits claim ..	Admitted as a cart-track to a width of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.
8 / 3	Akkirazu Lutchiminarayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	As head of the village, claims on behalf of the owners of survey Nos. 1018, 1017, 1020 and other numbers right of way over the cart-track entering the reserve at the village boundary stone north-east of survey No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running south and leaving the reserve south of the south-east corner of that number.	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running along the western boundary of the reserve for about fourteen chains, leaves it about six chains south of the south-east corner of the same number.	Admits it along the boundary.	Admitted as a cart-track to a width of four yards along the boundary. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.
9 / 4	Bundla Kottaya of Guttikonda	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 205–29 of Guttikonda, measuring 5·35 acres, assessed at Rs. 8; portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion of survey No. 205–29 inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.
10 / 8	Kassim Sahib of Janapad.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 586-4 of Janapad, measuring 8·7 acres, assessed at Rs. 12–2–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do.	Do. do.	Claim admitted to the portion of survey No. 586-4 inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.

Claim No. 7.—I (ii). *Claim No.* 8.—I (i).

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11 / 9	Bundla Kassim Sahib of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims patta right over survey No. 1048-24 of Guttikonda, measuring 11·35 acres, assessed at Rs. 17, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.
12 / 10	Ponugupathi Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 196-A of Gullapalli, measuring 2·85 acres, assessed at Rs. 4–9–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
13 / 11	Ponugapatli Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 196-B of Gullapalli, measuring 3·11 acres, assessed at Rs. 5–7–0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
14 / 12	Ponugupathi Kumarachendrappia of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 181-B of Gullapalli, measuring 4·47 acres, assessed at Rs. 4–8–7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve, which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
15 / 6	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri.	This enters the reserve, about three and a half chains west of the south-west corner of No. 972-1 of Janapad and running south and then south-east for about five furlongs; leaves the reserve about one chain north-east of the north-west corner of No. 252-A-15.	Admits claim	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of one yard. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
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17 / 7	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	6th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Janapad to Gullapalli.	This enters the reserve, about three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad, and running south-west for about two furlongs merges* into the cart-track from Pandirivaripalem to Gullapalli.	Admits claim	Admitted as a cart-track to a with of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
18 / 27	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	7th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Peddanevalipuri *viâ* Gullapalli to Janapad.			
19 / 17	Garjava Boyinakotappa of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 181-A of Gullapalli, measuring 0·42 acre, assessed at As. 7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
20 / 18	Pissepati Ramaswami of Gullapalli.	7th March 1897.	Claims joint inam patta right over survey No. 193 of Gullapalli, measuring 8·15 acres, assessed at Rs. 1–9–4.	Do. do. ..	Do. do. ..	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.

Claims Nos. 15 *and* 16.—I (iv). *Claims Nos.* 17 *and* 18.—I (iii).

* About thirteen chains south of the point of entrance of path I (ii) into the reserve.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
21 19	Pissepati Ramaswami of Gullapalli.	7th March 1897.	Claims right of way to field No. 193 of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
22 20	Dachepalli Chinna Kassim of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over a portion of survey No. 546-36 of Gullapalli, measuring 0·75 acre, assessed at As. 12.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
23 21	Dachepalli Chinna Kassim of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
24 22	Dachepalli Chinna Mogala Sahib of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 195-B of Gullapalli, measuring 3·4 acres and assessed at Rs. 3.	Supported by the village accounts.	Agrees to the exclusion of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
25 23	Dachepalli Chinna Mogala Sahib of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 195-B of Gullapalli.	....	Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
26 24	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right to worship at the temple of Venkataswaraswami situated on the southern slope of Venkateswaraswami konda and states that a space of twenty-five yards square including the temple will be required for purposes of worship.	....	Admits claim.	Claim admitted. The temple with a space of 25 yards square including the temple will be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
27 25	Muppala Ramiah, munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	Claims right of way to the temple of Venkateswaraswami.	This enters the reserve, about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of No. 252-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and runs north-north-west for about seven chains to the temple.	Do.	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 4th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.
28 28	The District Forest-officer, Kistna.	11th Mar. 1897.	Claims on behalf of Local Fund Board the road from Guttikonda to Nakarikal to a width of thirty-three ft. on either side from its centre line.	It enters the reserve, about twelve and a half chains south-west of the southernmost corner of survey No. 946 of Guttikonda, and running south-east for about one mile two and a half furlongs, leaves it about twelve chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.	....	The Local Fund road to a width of twenty-two yards (this is the usual width allowed for such roads) on either side from the centre will be excluded from reservation. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 5th May 1897. Forest Sett.-officer.

Claim No. 26. III. *Claim No. 28. II.*

Enclosure No. 2.—Draft Notification.

Enclosure No. 3.

Statement showing the number of claims filed and disposed of.

Name and number of the block.	Claims to patta and inam lands.						Claims to rights of way.		Claims to shrines or temples and rights of way to them.	
	Filed.		Admitted.		Rejected.					
	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Filed.	Admitted.	Filed.	Admitted.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Janapad reserve ..	12	Acs. 69·44	12	* Acs. 69·44	..	Acs. ..	† 9	7	2	2	2	..

Name and number of the block.	Claims to rights of way to fields.				Miscellaneous claims.				Total of all claims.			
	Filed.		Admitted.		Filed.		Admitted.		Filed.		Admitted.	
	14		15		17		18		20		21	
	Admitted.	Rejected.	Rejected.		Rejected.				Rejected.			
	16		16		19				22			
Janapad reserve ..	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	28		21	7

* Of these, 21·88 acres have been acquired and the remaining 47·56 acres excluded by revision of boundary.
† Includes the claims to the two District Board roads.

Enclosure No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by J. K. BATTEN, Esq., Acting Collector of Kistna, dated 16th October 1897, Dis. No. 910-For.

Submitted to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.

2. The area of the forest as settled after excluding four bits of lands covering an area of 82 acres is 3,215 acres.

3. The statement of area and condition and the ayacut abstract are enclosed.

4. There has been some delay which was due to the obtaining of particulars for ayacut abstract, and pressure of business due to the preparation of the plan of operations, budget and administration report.

5. Attention is invited to this office letter, D. No. 1767, dated 9th January 1897 (embodied in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 101, dated 11th March 1897), in regard to the land in Gullapalli village. It will be noticed that 145 acres unassessed and 19 acres assessed have been taken up for this reserve instead of 222 acres unassessed as computed in the above letter.

Enclosure No. 1.

Statement of area and condition.

Total area of the taluk.	Extent of occupied and unoccupied Government land in the taluk.	Area of reserves already notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves submitted for notification under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.	Sketch-map.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
sq. mls. 1,066 714	Acs 269,665 286,876 38,099 144,685	Acs. 165,094 *61,641	Acs. 27,989 7,699	Acs. 3,215		Forms enclosure to Collector's letter, Dis. No. 910-For., dated 16th October 1897.
Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Occupied .. { Palnad / Sattenapalle .. Unoccupied { Palnad / Sattenapalle ..	Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Palnad .. Sattenapalle	Janapad	Chloroxylen, Acacias, Albizzias, &c.	

* Includes 759 acres subsequently notified.

Enclosure No. 2.

Ayakat abstract of Janapad reserve in Palnad and Sattenapalle taluks.

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.	Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Unsurveyed ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,928	..	..	..
Guttikonda ..	27,182	22,106	4,251	..	3	120	305	397	702
Janapad	1,954	269	3	..	..	..	628	1,054	1,682
Pidugurala ..	1,011	204	..	..	..	..	135	672	807
Gullapalli	5,501	435	2,466	795	19	145	701	884	1,585
Peddanevalipuri ..	7,487	330	3,696	..	..	..	688	2,773	3,461
Total ..	..	..	10,416	..	..	..	..	..	8,237
								Percentage of column 10 to column 4.	79·08

Endorsement by A. W. PEET, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Waltair, 24th October 1897, R. C. No. 734.

Forwarded.

Resolution—Forest No. 53, dated 3rd February 1898.

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

2. (*a*) *Claims* 17 *and* 18.—The width of the cart-track dealt with in these claims, as well as of the access in claim 27, though given in the register, has not been recorded in the draft notification. The Board has supplied the omission.

(*b*) The point at which the above cart-track joins that from Pandirivaripalem to Gullapalli has also been definitely fixed in the register so as to corresponed with the draft notification.

3. With reference to the figures given in column 5 of the numerical statement, it should have been specifically stated what area of the lands admitted has been acquired and how much excluded by revision of boundary. The omission has, however, been supplied.

4. The proposed block covers an area of 3,215 acres as finally settled. As it is situated partly in Palnad and partly in Sattenapalle taluk, the area of the portion lying in each of the taluks should be given.

5. The reservation of the block may take effect from the 31st May next.

(True Copies and Extract.)

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

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with draft notifications (one original and two printed),
and a sketch-map to be returned.

Order—No. 146, Revenue, dated 10th March 1898.

Forest No. 36.

The draft notification will be published in the Fort St. George and Kistna District Gazettes, the 31st May 1898 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

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

Endorsement No. 146A.

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

(Signed) N. E. MARJORIBANKS,
Ag. Under Secretary to Government.

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 31st May 1898, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted "reserved forest."

Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Kistna.	Palnad and Sattenapalle.	Janapad reserve ..	*North.*—Starting from the north-east corner of survey No. 1019 of Guttikonda a straight line north-east to the south-east corner of No. 966; then the south side of Nos. 263 and 205 to the south-east corner of the latter number; then a straight line north-east for about forty-seven chains to a cairn; then a straight line to the south-east corner of No. 205-28; then a straight line to a cairn on the north side of No. 205-29 about four chains north-east of its north-west corner; then the north, west and south sides of that number up to a cairn about five chains north-east of its south-west corner; then a straight line south-east to a cairn five chains distant (all the above numbers are of Guttikonda); then a straight line east-north-east up to the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad; then the south side of that number up to its south-east corner; then the south side of No. 586-4 up to its south-east corner; then a straight line north-east up to the south-east corner of No. 977; then a straight line in nearly the same direction to the easternmost corner of survey No. 973; then a straight line south-east to a cairn about eleven chains west of the south-west corner of survey No. 972-4 (all the above numbers are of Janapad); then along the southern surveyed boundary of Janapad and Pidugurala up to a survey stone about four and three-quarter chains south-east of the south-east corner of No. 897-11 of Pidugurala; then a straight line east-south-east to a cairn on the west side of the Dachepalli-Narasaraopet Local Fund road about twenty-two yards west of the central line of the road where it branches to Guntur. *East.*—Then a straight line south-west to the north-west corner of No. 156-A-45 of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line south-west for about eighteen and half chains to a village boundary stone. *South.*—Then a straight line north-west for about fifteen and half chains to a cairn; then a straight line west for about sixty-four and half chains to a cairn on the north side of No. 252-B-34 about six chains east-south-east of its northernmost corner; then along the north sides of Nos. 252-B-34, 252-B-33 and 252-A-10 to the north-west corner of the last number; then a straight line south-west to a point in the north side of No. 252-A-15 about half a chain south-east of its north west corner; then the north sides of Nos. 252-A-15 and 252-A-14 up to its north-west corner; then a straight line south-west to a point one chain west of the south-west corner of that number; then a straight line south-south-west to the south-west corner of No. 252-A-37; then a straight line in the same direction for about twenty-eight chains to a cairn; then a straight line west-south-west for about forty chains to a cairn at a village boundary stone about twelve and half chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 252-B-32 (all the above numbers are of Peddanevalapuri); then along the surveyed boundary of Gullapalli up to a cairn twenty-three chains north-west of the north-west corner of No. 162-30 of Gullapalli; then a straight line to the north-east corner of No. 252-B-12 of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line north-west to a cairn about two chains north-west of the north-west corner of that number; then a straight line west-north-west for about thirty-eight and half chains to a cairn at a village boundary stone; then a straight line south-west to the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli; then the west side of that number to its south-west corner; then a straight line south-south-east to the south-west corner of No. 184; then a straight line west-south-west to a cairn about half a chain north of north-east corner of No. 250; then along the north side of No. 205 up to the south-east corner of No. 204; then a straight line north-north-west to the southernmost corner of No. 190; then a straight line to the easternmost corner of No. 193; then the north side of that number to its northernmost corner; then a straight line to the northernmost corner of No. 546-36; then a straight line in a westerly direction to the northernmost corner of No. 1028-24 of Guttikonda; then a straight line south-west to a village boundary stone about seven chains east-north-east of the north-east corner of No. 1028-19; then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda up to the north-east corner of No. 1022. *West.*—Then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda to the starting point.

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

(i) *Cart-track four yards wide from Guttikonda to the cultivated fields west of the reserve (Nos. 1018, 1017, 1020, &c.).*—This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of No. 1019 of Guttikonda and running along the western boundary of the reserve for about fourteen chains, leaves it about six chains south of the south-east corner of the same number.

(ii) *Cart-track five yards wide from Pandirivaripalem (hamlet of Julakallu) to Gullapalli.*—This enters the reserve about twenty-three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south south-east for about five and half furlongs, leaves it about nineteen chains north-east of the north-west corner of No. 181 of Gullapalli.

(iii) *Cart-track to a width of five yards from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri* viâ *Gullapalli.*—This enters the reserve about three chains west-south-west of the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad and running south-west for about two furlongs merges into the cart-track No. (ii) *supra* about thirteen chains south of the point of entrance of the latter into the reserve.

(iv) *Foot-path one yard wide for men only from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri.*—This enters the reserve about three and half chains west of the south-west corner of No. 972-1 of Janapad and running south and then south-east for about five furlongs, leaves the reserve about one chain north-east of the north-west corner of No. 252A-15.

II. Local Fund road from Guttikonda to Nakirakal to a width of twenty-two yards on either side from the centre has been excluded from reservation. This enters the reserve about twelve and half chains south-west of the southernmost corner of No. 966 of Guttikonda and running south-east for about one mile and two and half furlongs, leaves it about twelve chains west of the northernmost corner of No. 546-36 of Gullapalli.

III. The following has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation.

The temple of Venkateswaraswami situated on the southern slope of Venkateswaraswami konda with a space of twenty-five yards square including the temple with access by a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards entering the reserve about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of No. 252-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and running north-north-west for about seven chains to the temple.

Exd. Shaik Karim.

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