

Revenue (1898) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 146-46A

Dated 10th March

[Despatch Abstract.]

Reserved Forest

The draft rules, under section 16 of the Madras Forest act, for the constitution of the Tanapad block, in the palnad and Satt-
-kenapalle Taluqs, as a —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the District Gazettes.

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Forest No 30.

Order No 146 of 10th May 1898.

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

From

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue and Revenue Madras.

Forest No 5

Dated 3rd February 1898.

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SUBJECT.

To the Bd: LR with map.

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

Depd: Subj to Govt for approval and draft notification under Sec 11 of the Forest Act for the creation of the Panapad block in the Palni & Edthnapalle Taluks, Krishna Dist. as a reserved forest.

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by a footpath for me
to the corner of 2220
only entering the reserve
about 9 chains East of the
northernmost corner of 2523
of Peddanevalapuri and
running north-northwest
for about 7 chains to the
temple
to the southeast corner of no 204
northwest to the southernmost
straight line to the easternmost
southernmost corner of no 208
west to a village boundary
northeast of the northeast
Survey village boundary
east corner of no 102 (all
the boundary) to
village boundary of Gutthapur

Acc. to the
District Forest Officer

E. A. Smith
Forest Settlement Officer

2220/2220

on the north side of $2\frac{5}{34}$ then the south side of $5\frac{1}{2}$ furlongs, leave it about 19 chains northeast of the northwest corner of No 181 of Gullapalli.

Side of No 2524 about 15 half a chain south east of its northwest corner;

on the north side of $2\frac{5}{34}$ then the south side of $5\frac{1}{2}$ furlongs, leave it about 19 chains northeast of the northwest corner of No 181 of Gullapalli.

then a straight line southeast corner of No 977, north side of No $2\frac{5}{34}$, southeast corner of No 977, northwest corner of the nearly the same direction to southwest corner of the survey No 973; then a straight line about 11 chains to the north side of No $2\frac{5}{14}$ a cairn about 11 chains west of the southwest corner, then a straight line of survey No 972, 1 chain west of the southwest corner of Janapad and then a straight line south southwest corner of the survey stone about $4\frac{3}{4}$ chains in the same direction forest corner of No 577 of a cairn; then a straight line east southeast about 40 chains to a cairn at a side of the Dacheppalli road about 22 yards of the road where it then along the survey line up to a cairn 23 chains north southwest to the corner of No 162 of Gullapalli line to the northeast corner of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line to a cairn about 2 chains northwest corner of that line west northwest for

5 1/2 furlongs, leave it about 19 chains northeast of the northwest corner of No 181 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 572 of Janapadu and running southwest for about 2 furlongs merges into the cart track No 11 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 3 1/2 chains west of the southwest corner of No 972 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 $2\frac{5}{14}$

Attended by

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

189 the area, the boundaries

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Boundaries.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
	Guttikonda Taluk	Janapada Reserve	<p>North.</p> <p>Starting from the Northeast corner of Survey No 1019 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, then a straight line to the Cairn on the northside of No 205 about 4 chains northeast of its Northwest corner; then the north, west and southsides of that number up to a Cairn about 5 chains north east 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 Janapada; then the southside of that number</p>	<p>The following public rights of way are allowed.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(ii) Cart track 5 yards wide from Pan diwaripalem (hamlet of Julakalla) to Gullapalli. This enters the reserve about 23 chains west southwest of the southwest corner of No 572 of Janapada and running south-southeast for about</p>

at a point in the S. E. corner
Side of No 252 A about
15
half a chain south
- east of its northwest
corner;

on the north side of $\frac{25}{34}$ about 6 chains East
Southeast of its northernmost corner; then along the
north side of No. $\frac{2523}{34}$, $\frac{2523}{33}$ and $\frac{2521}{10}$ to the
Northwest corner of the last No., then a straight line
Southwest to the Northwest corner of No. $\frac{2521}{10}$, then
the north side of No. $\frac{2521}{10}$ up to its northwest
corner, then a straight line Southwest to a point
1 chain West of the Southeast corner of that survey,
then a straight line South-Southwest to the
Southwest corner of No. $\frac{2521}{10}$; then a straight line
in the same direction for about 28 chains to a
cave; then a straight line West-Southwest for
about 40 chains to a village boundary stone
about $1\frac{1}{2}$ chains West of the northernmost corner
of No. $\frac{2521}{34}$. All the above numbers are of Rodanivalpore
then along the Survey boundary of Gullapalli
up to a cave 23 chains Northwest of the Northwest
corner of No. $\frac{102}{30}$ of Gullapalli; then a straight
line to the Northeast corner of No. $\frac{2523}{12}$ of
Peddanevalpore; then a straight line Northwest
to a cave about 2 chains Northwest of the
Northwest corner of that
line West-Northwest for about 38 $\frac{1}{2}$ 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. This enters the reserve about $12\frac{1}{2}$ chains southwest of the southernmost corner of No 966 of Guttikonda and running southeast for about 1 mile and $2\frac{1}{2}$ furlongs; leaves it about 12 chains west of the northernmost corner of No $\frac{546}{36}$ of Gullapalli.

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

4 The temple of Venkateswara
situated on the southern slope of Venkateswara
with a space of 25 yards square
including the temple with area

up to its southeast corner; then the southside of No $\frac{586}{4}$ up to its southeast corner, then a straight line northeast up to the southeast 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 southeast to a cairn about 11 chains west of the southeast corner of Survey No $\frac{772}{4}$ (all the above nos are of Janapada); then along the southern surveyed boundary of Janapada and Pidingurala up to a survey stone about $4\frac{3}{4}$ chains southeast of the southeast corner of No 877 of Pidingurala; then a straight line east-southeast to a cairn on the west side of the Dashepalli-Narasarowpet Local Road about 22 yards west of the central line of the road where it branches to Gunthi.

East - Then a straight line southwest to the northwest corner of No 156 of Peddanevalapuri; then a straight line southwest for about $18\frac{1}{2}$ chains to a village boundary stone.

South - Then a straight line northwest for about $15\frac{1}{2}$ chains to a cairn; then a straight line west for about $6\frac{1}{2}$ chains to a cairn

$5\frac{1}{2}$ furlongs; leave it about 19 chains northeast of the northwest corner of No 181 of Gullapalli.

(III) Cart track from Janapada to Peddanevalapuri via Gullapalli. This enters the reserve about 3 chains west-southwest of the southwest corner of No 572 of Janapada and running southwest for about 2 furlongs merges into the cart track No II supra about 13 chains south of the point of entrance into the reserve.

(IV) Foot-path 1 yard wide for men only from Janapada to Peddanevalapuri. This enters the reserve about $3\frac{1}{2}$ chains west of the southwest corner of No 972 of Janapada and running south and then south-south for about 5 furlongs; leaves the reserve about 1 chain northeast of the northwest corner of No $\frac{252}{75}$.

First of George, 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 Sattana-palle.	Janapad reserve ..	<p>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. 536-4 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 Pidugurula up to a survey stone about four and three-quarter chains south-east of the south-east corner of No. 897-11 of Pidugurula; 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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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-14 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; 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; 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).</p> <p>West.—Then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda to the starting point.</p>

a point in the north side of No. 252-A about half a chain southeast of its north-west corner;

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

- Cart-track five yards wide from Guttikonda to the cultivated fields 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.
- 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.
- Cart-track to a width of five yards from Janapad to Peddanevalapuri 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.
- Foot-path one yard wide for men only from Janapad to Peddanevalapuri.—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. 252-A-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 Peddanevalapuri 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.

Handwritten notes in the left margin, including "a point in the north side of No. 252-A about half a chain southeast of its north-west corner;" and "the above numbers are of Guttikonda up to the north-east corner of No. 1022 (all the above numbers are of Guttikonda)."

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT:

1898.

Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

Printed February th.

Proceedings, Forest No. 53, 3rd February 1898.

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 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	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 claim 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 a distance of twenty-two yards from the centre of the road. Supported by village accounts. The claimant is willing to part with land for a compensation of Rs. 30; Anurri Gurumuthi, the other joint pattadar, is also willing to the above terms.	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 junction instead of to a point thirty-three feet from the centre point of bifurcation of the road from Hyderabad to Sattenapalle and to Narasaraopet.	Claim rejected as unnecessary; no portion of the road having been included in the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 10th April 1897.
2	Pegadala 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; Anurri Gurumuthi, the other joint pattadar, is also willing to the above terms.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 21st April 1897.
3	Pegadala 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 field.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the field will be acquired—vide order on claim 2-14. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 21st April 1897.
4	Kattiboina Venkatachellam of Gullapalli as guardian.	Do.	Claims on behalf of minors Parthi Baligada and Subbigadco patta right over the undermentioned fields of Gullapalli :—	Supported by village accounts.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the fields.	Claim admitted. The fields will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 120. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 21st April 1897.
15			Survey number. Extent. Assessment.			
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			548 9 61 9 10 0			
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			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		3	4	5	6	7
5 17	Katti Boyina Venkata-chellam of Gullapalli.	6th Mar. 1897.	Claims right of way to survey Nos. 190, 192 and 546 of Gullapalli.		Thinks it unnecessary, as 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.
6 6	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.
7 2	Atkinzen Lutchimina-rayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Pandirivaripalem (hamlet of Jalakalla) 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.
8 3	Atkinzen Lutchimina-rayana, 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.
9 4	Bundla Kottaya of Guttikonda	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 206-29 of Guttikonda, measuring 6-35 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. 206-29 inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.
10 8	Kasim 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.	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. E. A. SMITH, 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		3	4	5	6	7
11 9	Bundla Kasim 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, Forest Sett.-officer.
12 10	Ponugupathi Kumara-chendrapa of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 1-6-A of Gullapalli, measuring 2-85 acres, assessed at Rs. 4-8-0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	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.
13 11	Ponugupathi Kumara-chendrapa 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.	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.
14 12	Ponugupathi Kumara-chendrapa 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.	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.
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.
16 25	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.	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.
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.	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 width of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, 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 to Gullapalli.	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.
19 17	Ganjava Hoyinakotappa of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 131-A of Gullapalli, measuring 0-42 acres, assessed at Rs. 7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	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.
20 18	Tissepati 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.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.

Claims Nos. 15 and 16.—I (ii).

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	Pisasepati Ramaaswami 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
19	Dachepalli Chinna Kasiim of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over a portion of survey No. 546-36 of Gullapalli, measuring 0.75 acre, assessed at Rs. 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
22	Dachepalli Chinna Kasiim 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
23	Dachepalli Chinna Kasiim 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
24	Dachepalli Chinna Mogala Sahib of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 196-B of Gullapalli.		Unnecessary.	Rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
25	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right to worship at the temple of Venkateswaraswami 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. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
26	Muppala Ramiah, munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	11th Mar. 1897.	No. 262-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and about seven chains to the temple. Claims on behalf of Local Fund Board the road from Gutrikonda to Nakasikil to a width of thirty-three ft. on either side from its centre line. konda, 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.	This enters the reserve, about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of the northernmost corner of survey No. 936 of Gullapalli.	Do.	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
27	The District Forest-officer, Kistna.					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, Forest Sett.-officer. 5th May 1897.

Claim No. 26-III.

Claim No. 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.		Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.						
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	23
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 Sattenapalle .. 286,876 Palnad .. 38,099 Sattenapalle .. 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 .. Unoccupied ..	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.	Un-assessed.	Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Unsurveyed	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Guttikonda	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Janapad	27,182	22,106	4,251	..	3	2,928	..	..	..
Pidugurala	1,954	269	3	..	..	120	305	397	702
Gullapalli	1,011	204	..	..	..	..	628	1,054	1,682
Peddanevalipuri	5,501	435	2,466	795	19	..	135	672	807
	7,487	330	3,696	..	..	145	701	884	1,585
Total	..	..	10,416	..	..	..	688	2,773	3,461
									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 correspond 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.

Ed. Md. Fahlivan.

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

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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.															
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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 claim 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 a 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 claim at the junction instead of to a point thirty-three feet from the centre point of bifurcation of the road from Hyderabad to Sattenapalle and to Narasaraopet.	Claim rejected as unnecessary; no portion of the road having been included in the reserve. 10th April 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.															
2	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.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. 21st April 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.															
3	Pagadala Chandrappa of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 189 of Gullapalli.		Thinks it unnecessary, as the field is to be acquired.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, as the field will be acquired—vide order on claim 2-14. 21st April 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.															
4	Kattiboina Venkateshcham of Gullapalli as guardian.	Do.	Claims on behalf of minors Panthi Baligada and Subbigadoo patta right over the undermentioned fields of Gullapalli:—	Supported by village accounts.	The District Forest-officer agrees to the acquisition of the fields.	Claim admitted. The fields will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation of Rs. 120. 21st April 1897. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer.															
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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.
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5	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	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	Akkrazu Lutchiminarayana, karnam of Guttikonda.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Pandirivipalem (hamlet of Julakalla) 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	Akkrazu 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.	Supported by the village accounts.	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	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.	Do.	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	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.	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).

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
11	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, Forest Sett.-officer. 22nd April 1897.
9	Ponugupathi Kunara-chendruppa of Gullapalli.	Do.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 196-A of Gullapalli, measuring 2-85 acres, assessed at Rs. 4-0-0, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	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.
12	Ponugupathi Kunara-chendruppa 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.	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.
13	Ponugupathi Kunara-chendruppa 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.	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	Ponugupathi Kunara-chendruppa of Gullapalli.	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 cart-track to a width of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 3rd May 1897.
15	Janapad Rungiah, karnam of Janapad.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the foot-path from Janapad to Peddanevalipuri.	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.
16	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	7th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Peddanevalipuri via Gullapalli to Janapad.	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. 4th May 1897.
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18	Muppala Ramiah, village munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	7th March 1897.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Peddanevalipuri via Gullapalli to Janapad.	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. 4th May 1897.
19	Gurjara Boyinakotappa of Gullapalli.	6th March 1897.	Claims joint patta right over survey No. 181-A of Gullapalli, measuring 0-42 acre, assessed at Rs. 7, a portion of which is included in the reserve.	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. 4th May 1897.
20	Pisepati 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.	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.

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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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
21	Pissapati 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
19	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 Rs. 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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
22	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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
23	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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
24	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, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
25	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 yard-square including the temple will be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
26	Muppala Ramiah, munsif of Peddanevalipuri.	Do.	No. 262-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and runs north-west for about seven chains to the temple. Claims on behalf of Local Fund Board the road from Gutthikonda to Nakarikul to a width of thirty-three ft. on either side from its centre line, konda, 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.	This enters the reserve, about nine chains east of the northernmost corner of the northernmost corner of No. 262-B-34 of Peddanevalipuri and runs north-west for about seven chains to the temple. It enters the reserve, about twelve and a half chains south-west of the southernmost corner of survey No. 946 of Gutthikonda, 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.	Do.	Admitted as a foot-path for men only to a width of two yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 4th May 1897.
27	The District Forest-officer, Kistna.	11th Mar. 1897.				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, Forest Sett.-officer. 5th May 1897.

Claim No. 28. III.

Claim No. 28. II.

Nos. 146, 146A, REVENUE, 10TH MARCH 1898.

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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.		Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.						
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 289,665 286,876 38,099 144,685	ACS. 165,094 61,641	ACS. 27,989 7,699	ACS. 3,215	Chloroxylon, Acacias, Albizzia, &c.	Forms enclosure to Collector's letter, Dis. No. 910-For., dated 16th October 1897.
Palnad .. Sattenapalle ..	Occupied .. Unoccupied .. { Palnad .. Sattenapalle .. { 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.	Un-assessed.	Assessed.	Unassessed.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Unsurveyed ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,928	..	..	..
Guttikonda ..	27,182	22,106	4,251	..	..	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 ..	7,437	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 correspond 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	<p><i>North.</i>—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 straight line to a cairn on the north side of No. 205-29 about four chains north-east of its north-west corner; then a straight line south-east to a cairn about five chains north-east of its south-west corner; then a straight line east-north-east up to the south-west corner of No. 572 of Janapad; then the corner; then a straight line north-east up to the south-east corner of No. 886-4 up to its south-east 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 Pidugurula up to a survey stone about four and three-quarter chains south-east of the south-east corner of No. 897-11 of Pidugurula; then a straight line east-south-east to a cairn on the west side of the Dacheppalli-Narasaraopet Local Fund road about twenty-two yards west of the central line of the road where it branches to Guntur.</p> <p><i>East.</i>—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.</p> <p><i>South.</i>—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 corner of the last number; then along the north sides of Nos. 252-B-34, 252-B-33 and 252-A-10 to the north-west 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.</p> <p><i>West.</i>—Then the surveyed village boundary of Guttikonda to the starting point.</p>

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. 1016, 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 Peddanevalapuri 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 Peddanevalapuri.*—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 Peddanevalapuri and running north-north-west for about seven chains to the temple.

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