Revenue (189) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 292-924

Dated 20 May

[Despatch Abstract.]

Reserved Torch

re The draft-Notifn, under section 16 of the Madras Torch Act, for the constitution of the Arlova extension blocks Nos II & I in the Golgonda Taluk as —, ordered to be published in the Fort St George and the Vizagapatam Dt. Gazettes.

BACK PAPERS.

No.	Name and Date	G.O.	No.	Department	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

No.	Name and Date	G.O.	No.	Department	Date.

Revenue (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 3164

Print

Forest No. 79

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

Order No. 292 A, 20th May 1898.

The draft notification is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Vizagapatam district Gazettes, the 15th August next being fixed as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

Forest No. 135.

Dated 15th April 1898.

Received 27 —

Registered 30 —

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SUBJECT.

Subg to Govt for approval of draft notifications under Sec: 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Arlova extension blocks Nos III & IV in the Golgunda Taluk, Vizagapatam dist as reserved forests.

To the Board, L.R. with two plans
" Supdt., Govt. Press with Notifn.
Encls: No. 292A.
Copy to G.J.S., R.& A. Dept.

P.T.O.

Block No. 45 is free of all rights; while block No. 46. is subject to a right to a Local Fund Road on behalf of the President, District Board, Vizagapatam and to a right of way over the same for men, cattle & carts.

2. The notification under section 4 was approved in G. O. 154, d/ 11.3.97. (vide page 12 of the order)

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	173		11.3.97

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

North East for 4 Chains to Cairn no 10, then North East for 3 Chains to Cairn no 11, then in the same direction for 11 Chains to Cairn no 12, then East North East for 15 Chains to Cairn no 13, then East South East for 10 Chains to Cairn no 14, then North-East for 3½ Chains to Cairn no 15, then North North East for 11½ Chains to Cairn no 16, then North East for 13 Chains to Cairn no 17, then East North East for 3½ Chains to Cairn no 18, then in the same direction for 3 Chains to Cairn no 19, then South-East for 6 Chains to Cairn no 20, then North East for 4 Chains to Cairn no 21, then in the same direction for 8 Chains to Cairn no 22, then in the same direction for 7 Chains to Cairn no 23, then in the same direction for 9 Chains to Cairn no 24, then East for 13 Chains to Cairn no 25, then North East for 14 Chains to the starting point.

Con.
District Forest Officer
Trincomalee District

Rob Lushington
Forest Settlement Officer
Eastern Province
13-10-87

G. C. P. 15-4-96. 100.

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 January 1st 1898, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, will be constituted a Reserved Forest.

SCHEDULE

No.	District.	Taluk.	Name of block.	Situation and boundaries.	Remarks.
46.	Vizagapatam	Cocanada	No V Chintalavalasa Reserve Extension	North.—Starting from the North-West Point of Survey Number 96 of Yerravaram village, the boundary runs along the North sides of Survey nos 87 and 85 A, west and North sides of S.no 86 A to its North east Corner. East.—Thence along the east sides of Survey Numbers 86, 85 A, 87, 89 & 91 to the South East Corner of the last mentioned field. South.—Thence along the South side of Survey no 91, west sides of S.nos 91 & 90 to the North west Corner of the latter then a straight line North for 44 yards to Cairn No 1, then along the North Margin of the Local Funds Road from Narsipatnam to Polgonda to the South East Corner of Survey no 94, South and West sides of Survey no 92, then along the north margin to the South west Corner of Survey West.—Thence along the west and North sides of Survey Numbers 95, 97 and 96 (all of Yerravaram village) to the starting point.	Admitted Rights Right of way is admitted for men, carts and carts over the Local Funds Road from Narsipatnam to Polgonda; right to the road on behalf of the Presidency District Board is also admitted. The road to a width of 22 yards on the either side from its Centre will be demarcated and kept free from reservation and retained as an enclosure within the Reserve. It enters the Reserve at the South East Corner of Survey no 89 of Yerravaram, runs west for about 10 Chains and gets it at the North West Corner of S.no 90, re enters it at the North east Corner of S.no 92, runs west for 4 1/2 Chains and gets the Reserve at the South West Corner of that Number. then along the East sides of Survey nos 93 & 92 and west sides of Survey no 93 to its North west of the Local Fund Road mentioned above. no 98. North sides of Survey no 98, the west sides of Survey no 98 (all of Yerravaram village) to the starting

Dy. Conservator
District Forest Officer
Vizagapatam

Asst. Conservator
Forest Settlement Officer
Ganjam & Vizagapatam

30-10-97

G. C. P. 15-4-96. 100.

Draft

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SCHEDULE

No.	District.	Taluk.	Name of block.	Situation and boundaries.	Remarks.
45.	Vizagapatam	Golgonda	Arlova Reserve Extension No. IV	North.— Starting from the 3rd Village boundary stone Northwest of the conjunction of Nallakotti and Rapuchattipalem Agraharams and Gerravaram village a straight line North East for 5 Chains to Cairn no 1, then East North East for 8½ Chains to Cairn no 2, then East South East for 8 Chains to Cairn no 3, then Southeast for 4 Chains to Cairn no 4, then North East for 4 Chains to Cairn no 5, then East for 12 Chains to Cairn no 6, then in the same direction for 12 Chains to Cairn no 7 the boundary of Arlova Reserved Forest. East and South.— Hence South East along the boundary of Arlova Reserved Forest to Cairn no 8 on the North boundary of Nagamudhorapalem village West.— Hence North Northwest for 5 Chains to Cairn no	Admitted Rights Nil

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 ... 1898, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, will be constituted reserved forests.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	District.	Taluk.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
45	Vizagapatam.	Golgonda ..	Arlova reserve extension No. IV.	*North.*—Starting from the third village boundary stone north-west of the trijunction of Nallanki and Papuchettypalem agraharams and Yerravaram village a straight line north-east for five chains to cairn 1; then east-north-east for eight and a half chains to cairn No. 2; then east-south-east for eight chains to cairn No. 3; then south-east for five chains to cairn No. 4; then north-east for four chains to cairn No. 5; then east for seven and a half chains to cairn No. 6; then in the same direction for twelve chains to cairn No. 7 on the boundary of Arlova reserved forest. *East and South.*—Thence south-east along the boundary of Arlova reserved forest to cairn No. 8 on the north boundary of Nagandhorapalem village. *West.*—Thence north-north-west for five chains to cairn No. 9; then north-north-east for four chains to cairn No. 10; then north-east for three chains to cairn No. 11; then in the same direction for eleven chains to cairn No. 12; then east-north-east for fifteen chains to cairn 13; then east-south-east for ten chains to cairn No. 14; then north-east for three and a half chains to cairn No. 15; then north-north-east for eleven and a half chains to cairn No. 16; then north-east for thirteen chains to cairn No. 17; then east-north-east for three and a half chains to cairn No. 18; then in the same direction for three chains to cairn No. 19; then south-east for six chains to cairn No. 20; then north-east for four chains to cairn No. 21; then in the same direction for eight chains to cairn No. 22; then in the same direction for seven chains to cairn No. 23; then in the same direction for nine chains to cairn No. 24; then east for thirteen chains to cairn No. 25; then north-east for fourteen chains to the starting point. REMARKS.—Admitted rights—*Nil.*
46	Vizagapatam.	Golgonda ..	Arlova reserve extension No. V.	*North.*—Starting from the northernmost point of survey No. 96 of Yerravaram village, the boundary runs along the north sides of survey Nos. 87 and 85-A, west and north sides of survey No. 86 to its north-east corner. *East.*—Thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 86, 85-A, 87, 89 and 91 to the south-east corner of the last mentioned field. *South.*—Thence along the south side of survey No. 91, west sides of survey Nos. 91 and 90 to the north-west corner of the latter; then a straight line north for forty-four yards to cairn No. 1; then along the north margin of the Local Fund road from Narsipatnam to Golgonda to the south-east corner of survey No. 94; then along the east sides of survey Nos. 93 and 92, south and west sides of survey No. 92, and west side of survey No. 93 to its north-west corner; then along the north margin of the Local Fund road mentioned above to the south-west corner of survey No. 98. *West.*—Thence along the west and north sides of survey No. 98, the west sides of survey Nos. 95, 97 and 96 (all of Yerravaram village) to the starting point. REMARKS—*Admitted rights.*—Right of way is admitted for men, cattle and carts over the Local Fund road from Narsipatnam to Golgonda; right to the road on behalf of the President, District Board, is also admitted. The road to a width of twenty-two yards on either side from its centre will be demarcated out free from reservation and retained as an enclosure within the reserve. It enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 89 of Yerravaram, runs west for about ten chains and quits it at the north-west corner of survey No. 90, re-enters it at the north-east corner of survey No. 92, runs west for four and a half chains and quits the reserve at the north-west corner of that number.

(Signed) S. COX,
District Forest-officer.

(Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON,
Forest Sett.-officer.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1898.

Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

Printed April th.

Proceedings, Forest No. 135, 15th April 1898.

APRIL.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, draft notifications under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Arlova extension blocks Nos. IV and V in the Golgonda taluk, Vizagapatam district, as reserved forests.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts, to the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated Camp Latipada, 30th October 1897, No. 170:—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of Arlova reserve extension block No. 46 of Golgonda taluk, Vizagapatam district.

2. The notification under section 4 proposing to constitute this area a reserved forest appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 16th March 1897, and the proclamation under section 6 was published in the District Gazette, dated 1st May 1897.

3. I perambulated and enquired into the claims in the block in July 1897. One claim was filed during the enquiry for a right of way over a road, which was admitted. This road was subsequently found to be the property of the district board and was claimed by the President, District Board, Vizagapatam. The claim was admitted on 29th October 1897. The road will be demarcated out free from reservation and retained as an enclosure within the reserve.

4. The block is free of all rights except the above.

5. The following records are sent herewith:—

(*a*) A signed copy of the B. Register of claims.

(*b*) Draft notification under section 16.

(*c*) Numerical statement of claims filed and their disposal.

(*d*) Sketch of the block.

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

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Arlova reserve extension reserved forest No. 46.

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.
1	2	3	4	6	7
1	Madira Kristnayya of Gundepala, karnam of Yerravaram.	5th July 1897.	Claims right of way over the forest* road from Narsipatnam to Golgonda.	The District Forest-officer does not contest the claim and states that it has already been admitted in Arlova reserve.	Right of way for men, cattle and carts is admitted. (Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Forest Sett.-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts. 7th July 1897.
2	Mr. W. O. Horne, President, District Board, Vizagapatam.	29th Oct. 1897.	Claims right to the Local Fund road † from Narsipatnam to Golgonda which passes through the Arlova extension reserve.	....	The claim is admitted. The road to a width of twenty-two yards to either side from its centre will be demarcated out free from reservation and retained as an enclosure within the reserve. (Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Forest Sett.-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts. 29th October 1897.

* Same as the Local Fund road.
† The road enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 89 of Yerravaram, runs west for about ten chains and quits it at the north-west corner of survey No. 90; re-enters it at the east corner of survey No. 92, runs west for four and a half chains and quits the reserve at the north-west corner of that number.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification under section 16.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

Number and name of block.	Claims to right of way over a road and right to the road.			Claims to grazing rights and to water cattle.			Claims of patta and inam rights over lands and to Government patta usufruct over trees.						Miscellaneous claims.			Total of all claims.		
							Filed.			Admitted.								
	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Number of claims.	Extent of land and number and nature of trees.	Number of claims.	Extent of land and number and nature of trees.	Rejected.		Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
46. Arlova extension reserve	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by W. O. HORNE, Esq., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, dated Camp Karaka, 30th November 1897.

Forwarded to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, Waltair.

Endorsement by A. W. PEET, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Waltair, 9th December 1897, R.C. No. 967.

Forwarded.

READ—the following letter from R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts, to the Collector of Vizagapatam, dated Camp Waltair, 13th October 1897, No. 169 :—

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2. The notification under section 4 proposing to constitute this area a reserved forest appeared in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 16th March 1897, and the proclamation under section 6 was published in the District Gazette, dated 1st May 1897.

3. I perambulated and enquired into the claims in the block in July 1897. Two claims were filed to portions of two hills by certain agraharamdars which were rejected. No appeals have been filed against the orders.

4. The block is thus free of all rights.

5. The date for presentation of claims expired on 31st July 1897 and the date of appeal on 12th August 1897.

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ENCLOSURE No. 1.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Arlova extension reserved forest No. 45.

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.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Sagara Benniah, Mokhasadar of Nallanki.	6th July 1897.	Claims a portion of the hill to the south of his mokhasa included between the survey stones at the top and the proposed reserve boundary at the bottom.	Title-deed, a registered cowle and an endorsement from the Principal Assistant Collector, dated 9th April 1894.	The claimant has failed to prove his right to the hill claimed either by title or prescription; the claim is therefore rejected. (Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Forest Sett.-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts. 13th July 1897.
2	Achanna, Mokhasadar of Papuchettipalem.	7th July 1897.	Claims a portion of the hill south of his mokhasa between the survey boundary on the top of the hill and the reserve boundary at its foot.	Abstract from the inam fair register. A permit issued to a ryot to cut timber, dated 23rd March 1894, and two witnesses.	I find that the claimant has failed to prove his right either by title or prescription and reject the claim accordingly. (Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Forest Sett.-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts. 13th July 1897.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

Number and name of block.	Claims to rights of way.			Claims to portions of hills.			Claims of patta and inam rights over lands and to Government patta usufruct over trees.						Miscellaneous claims.			Total of all claims.	
							Filed.			Admitted.							
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45. Arlova reserve extension	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2

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Forwarded to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, Waltair.

Endorsement by A. W. PEET, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Waltair, 9th December 1897, R.C. No. 966.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 135, dated 15th April 1898.

The draft final notifications, received with the letters read above, will be submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, with the recommendation that the 31st July next be fixed as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

2. The point at which the Local Fund road re-enters the proposed extension No. V not having been correctly fixed, the Board has made the necessary alteration in the register and notification in accordance with the sketch-map.

3. The retention of the proposed extensions has been sanctioned in Government Order, No. 154, Revenue, dated 11th March 1897. They cover an area of 51·40 and 64 acres, respectively, as finally settled.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

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

Exd. Md. Pahilvan.

Government {1898} of Madras.

REVENUE.

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G.O., Nos. 292, 292A, 20th May 1898.

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Reserved Forests.

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the constitution of the Arlova extension blocks Nos. IV and V in the Golgonda taluk as —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Vizagapatam District Gazettes.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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* Same as the Local Fund road.
† The road enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 89 of Yerravaram, runs west for about ten chains and quits it at the north-west corner of survey No. 90; re-enters it at the north-east corner of survey No. 92, runs west for four and a half chains and quits the reserve at the north-west corner of that number.

Enclosure No. 2.—Draft notification.

Enclosure No. 3.

Statement showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

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Forwarded.

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3. I perambulated and enquired into the claims in the block in July 1897. Two claims were filed to portions of two hills by certain agraharamdars which were rejected. No appeals have been filed against the orders.

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6. The following records are sent herewith:—

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B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Arlova extension reserved forest No. 45.

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	Sagara Benniah, Mokhasadar of Nallanki.	6th July 1897.	Claims a portion of the hill to the south of his mokhasa included between the survey stones at the top and the proposed reserve boundary at the bottom.	Title-deed, a registered cowle and an endorsement from the Principal Assistant Collector, dated 9th April 1894.	The District Forest-officer contests the claim on the grounds that the claimant has failed to prove his right to the portion of hill claimed either by title or prescription.	The claimant has failed to prove his right to the hill claimed either by title or prescription; the claim is therefore rejected. (Signed) R. H. L. LUSHINGTON, Forest Sett.-officer, 13th July 1897. Ganjám, &c., Districts.
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Enclosure No. 2.—Draft notification.

Enclosure No. 3.

Statement showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

Number and name of block.	Claims to rights of way.			Claims to portions of hills.			Claims of patta and inam rights over lands and to Government patta usufruct over trees.						Miscellaneous claims.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.			Admitted.			Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
								Extent of land and number and nature of trees.	Number of claims.	Extent of land and number and nature of trees.	Number of claims.	Rejected.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
45. Arlova reserve extension	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2

Enclosure No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by W. O. HORNE, Esq., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, dated Camp Karaka, 30th November 1897.

Forwarded to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, Waltair.

Endorsement by A. W. PEET, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Waltair, 9th December 1897, R.C. No. 966.

Forwarded.

Resolution—Forest No. 135, dated 15th April 1898.

The draft final notifications, received with the letters read above, will be submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, with the recommendation that the 31st July next be fixed as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

2. The point at which the Local Fund road re-enters the proposed extension No. V not having been correctly fixed, the Board has made the necessary alteration in the register and notification in accordance with the sketch-map.

3. The retention of the proposed extensions has been sanctioned in Government Order, No. 154, Revenue, dated 11th March 1897. They cover an area of 51·40 and 64 acres, respectively, as finally settled.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) LIONEL DAVIDSON,
Acting Secretary.

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

Order—No. 292, Revenue, dated 20th May 1898.

Forest No. 79.

The draft notification is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Vizagapatam District Gazettes, the 15th August next being fixed as the date from which the reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract.)

Ag. Secretary to Government.

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

Endorsement No. 292A.

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 15th August 1898, the areas, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted reserved forests.

Schedule.

Number.	District.	Taluk.	Name of block.	Boundaries.
45	Vizagapatam.	Golgonda ..	Arlova reserve extension No. IV.	*North.*—Starting from the third village boundary stone north-west of the trijunction of Nallanki and Papuchettypalem agraharams and Yerravaram village a straight line north-east for five chains to cairn 1; then east-north-east for eight and a half chains to cairn No. 2; then east-south-east for eight chains to cairn No. 3; then south-east for five chains to cairn No. 4; then north-east for four chains to cairn No. 5; then east for seven and a half chains to cairn No. 6; then in the same direction for twelve chains to cairn No. 7 on the boundary of Arlova reserved forest. *East and South.*—Thence south-west along the boundary of Arlova reserved forest to cairn No. 8 on the north boundary of Nagandhorapalem village. *West.*—Thence north-north-west for five chains to cairn No. 9; then north-north-east for four chains to cairn No. 10; then north-east for three chains to cairn No. 11; then in the same direction for eleven chains to cairn No. 12; then east-north-east for fifteen chains to cairn 13; then east-south-east for ten chains to cairn No. 14; then north-east for three and a half chains to cairn No. 15; then north-north-east for eleven and a half chains to cairn No. 16; then north-east for thirteen chains to cairn No. 17; then east-north-east for three and a half chains to cairn No. 18; then in the same direction for three chains to cairn No. 19; then south-east for six chains to cairn No. 20; then north-east for four chains to cairn No. 21; then in the same direction for eight chains to cairn No. 22; then in the same direction for seven chains to cairn No. 23; then in the same direction for nine chains to cairn No. 24; then east for thirteen chains to cairn No. 25; then north-east for fourteen chains to the starting point. Remarks.—Admitted rights—*Nil.*
46	Vizagapatam.	Golgonda ..	Arlova reserve extension No. V.	*North.*—Starting from the northernmost point of survey No. 96 of Yerravaram village, the boundary runs along the north sides of survey Nos. 87 and 85-A, west and north sides of survey No. 86 to its north-east corner. *East.*—Thence along the east sides of survey Nos. 86, 85-A, 87, 89 and 91 to the south-east corner of the last mentioned field. *South.*—Thence along the south side of survey No. 91, west sides of survey Nos. 91 and 90 to the north-west corner of the latter; then a straight line north for forty-four yards to cairn No. 1; then along the north margin of the Local Fund road from Narsipatnam to Golgonda to the south-east corner of survey No. 94; then along the east sides of survey Nos. 93 and 92, south and west sides of survey No. 92, and west side of survey No. 93 to its north-west corner; then along the north margin of the Local Fund road mentioned above to the south-west corner of survey No. 98 *West.*—Thence along the west and north sides of survey No. 98, the west sides of survey Nos. 95, 97 and 96 (all of Yerravaram village) to the starting point. Remarks—*Admitted rights.*—Right of way is admitted for men, cattle and carts over the Local Fund road from Narsipatnam to Golgonda; right to the road on behalf of the President, District Board, is also admitted. The road to a width of twenty-two yards on either side from its centre will be demarcated out free from reservation and retained as an enclosure within the reserve. It enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 89 of Yerravaram, runs west for about ten chains and quits it at the north-west corner of survey No. 90, re-enters it at the north-east corner of survey No. 92, runs west for four and a half chains and quits the reserve at the north-west corner of that number.

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