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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Re draft notification under Sec. 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the Constitution of the Somalapuram South-East Extension block in the Kadigiatabetta as a ——, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.

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The draft notification is approved and will be published in Fort St George and Bellary Dt. Gazette, 15th March 1900 being entered as date from which reservation shall take effect.

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SUBJECT.

Subg to Govt, for approval and publication in the Govt St George Gazette, draft notifn under sec 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Somalapuram South-east extension in the Hadagalli taluk, Bellary Dt, as a reserved forest.

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Proceedings, Forest No. 495, 16th November 1899.

NOVEMBER.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, draft notification under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Somalapuram south-east extension in the Kudligi taluk, Bellary district, as a reserved forest.

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RESOLUTION—Forest No. 495, dated 16th November 1899.

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(True Copies and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
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and a sketch-map to be returned.

Exd. Md. Pahilwan.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(LAND REVENUE).

The Hon'ble Mr. J. STUBROCK, I.C.S.

READ—the following letter from E. A. SMITH, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement Duty, Nellore, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Bellary (through the District Forest-officer, Bellary), dated Camp, Dhone, 29th September 1899, Ref. on No. 5 B. and G.:—

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Somalapuram south-east extension reserve in the Kudligi taluk 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 at page 1257 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, and the proclamation under section 6 of the Act was published in the District Gazette, dated 6th May 1899.

The time allowed for the presentation of claims expired on the 5th August 1899.

3. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in August 1899, when three claims were preferred for the following rights:—

(1) One claim to one right of way.
(2) One claim to a patta field.
(3) One claim to a right of way to the same.

The claim to a right of way involved in item (1) was admitted.

The claim to the patta field involved in item (2) was also admitted and the field has been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of money compensation; and the claim to a right of way to the field was rejected in consequence as unnecessary.

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 claims filed and disposed of.

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 Somalapuram south-east extension reserved forest, block No. 173, Kudligi taluk, Bellary district.

Number.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claim.	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 I	Kanakallu Bhimasena Chari, karnam-gumastah of Ankammanahalu.	15th Aug. 1899.	Brings to notice that Bommanta Razu, poligar of Gudikota, holds patta right over survey No. 1-A of Ankammanahalu, measuring 12 acres and assessed at Rs. 3.	Supported by village accounts and pattadar agrees to part with the land for Rs. 66-11-0.	Wants the field acquired.	Claim admitted. The field has been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act on payment of a money compensation of Rs. 66-11-0. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 23rd September 1899.
2 II	Kanakallu Bhimasena Chari, karnam-gumastah of Ankammanahalu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public right of way over the cart-track from Kanavihalli to Ankammanahalu.	Admitted in main reserve. It enters this reserve from the Somalapuram reserved forest and running south-east for about four furlongs, leaves it about eight chains east of the south-east corner of No. 1-A of Ankammanahalu, inside the reserve.	Admits claim.	Admitted as a cart-track to a width of five yards. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 23rd September 1899.
3 III	Poligar Bommanta Razu of Gudikota.	25th Aug. 1899.	Claims right of way to No. 1-A of Ankammanahalu.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	Claim rejected as unnecessary owing to the acquisition of the field. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 23rd September 1899.

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ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and disposed of.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Somalapuram south-east extension No. 173.	1	ACS. 12	1	ACS. 12	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	2	1

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. FRANCIS,
Acting Secretary.

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and a sketch-map to be returned.

Order—No. 839, Revenue, dated 11th December 1899.

Forest No. 251.

The draft notification is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Bellary District Gazettes, the 15th March 1900 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Endorsement No. 839A.

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

(Signed) N. E. MARJORIBANKS,
Ag. Under Secy. 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 March 1900, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

Schedule.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Bellary.	Kúdligi ..	Somalapuram south-east extension.	*North.*—Starting from cairn No. 2 on the eastern boundary of the Somalapuram reserved forest, the line runs along the said forest boundary to cairn No. 1. *East.*—Thence along the surveyed and mapped boundary between the Sandur estate and the Ankammanahalu village to the fourth village boundary stone counting west from and including the one at the north-east corner of khandam No. 2 of Ankammanahalu; thence along the northern boundary of the said khandam to the khandam stone south of the last mentioned point. *South.*—Thence along the same khandam boundary to cairn No. 4 on the eastern boundary of the Somalapuram reserved forest. *West.*—Thence along the boundary of Somalapuram reserved forest to the starting point.

Remarks.—The following public right of way is admitted:—

The cart-track, five yards wide, from Kanavihalli to Ankammanahalu.—This enters the reserve from the Somalapuram reserved forest and running south-east for about four furlongs, leaves it about eight chains east of the south-east corner of survey No. 1-A of Ankammanahalu village (inside the reserve).

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SCHEDULE.

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(Signed) M. MUTTANNAH,
District Forest-officer.

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

Fort St. George, December 11, 1903.

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Fo. no. 839
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DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

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(Signed) M. MUTTANNAH,
District Forest-officer.

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

Draft

NOTIFICATION.

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1	2	3	4	5
Bellary	Kudligi	Somalapuram South-East Extension	North:- Starting from ... of the Somalapuram ... runs along the ... no: 1	The following public right of way is admitted:- (1) The cart track five yards wide from Komarihalli to Ankammanahalu. This enters the reserve from the Somalapuram reserved forest and running south-east for about 4 furlongs leaves it about 8 chains east of the south east corner of no: 1/A of Ankammanahalu village (outside the reserve)
			East:- Thence along ... between the ... nahalu village ... counting west- ... at the north- ... of Ankammanahalu ... boundary of the ... stone south of ...	
			South:- Thence along ... boundary ... boundary of ...	

... cairn no: 2 on the eastern boundary ... ram reserved forest, the line ... said forest boundary to cairn ... the surveyed and mapped boundary ... Sindur estate and the Ankamma- ... to the 4" village boundary stone ... from and including the one ... at the north-east corner of Khandam no: 2 ... nahalu; thence along the northern ... said Khandam to the Khandam ... the last-mentioned point: ... the same Khandam ... cairn no: 4 on the eastern ... the Somalapuram reserved Forest

West:- Thence along the

reserved forest

District Forest officer.

boundary of the Somalapuram

to the starting point.

Ed Smith

Forest Settlement officer

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