3. KUDRAKOTE RESERVE FORESTS

Limits of the Kudrakote Reserved Forest redefined

Fort St. George, July 29, 1940.

No.607

Whereas the Kudrakote and Kudrakote Additions I to IV reserved forests have been amalgamated into a single reserved forest known as the Kudrakote Reserved Forest:

And whereas the description of the limits of the Kudrakote Reserved Forest as amalgamated is not clear in reference to the existing facts;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub section (4) of section 17-A of the Madras Forest Act, 1882 (Madras Act V of 1882), and in supersession of the notification specified below, His Excellency the Governor of Madras is hereby pleased to redefine the limits of Kudrakote Reserved Forest so as to make the description clear in reference to existing facts by making the following correction to the limits of the said forest:-

- (1). Development Department Notification No.294, dated 16th March 1938, published at page 472 of Part I of the *Fort St.George Gazette*, dated 29th March 1938.
- (2). Development Department Notification No.580, dated 4th July 1938, published at pages 1008-1009 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 12th July 1938.

CORRECTION

For the schedule to the Revenue Department Notification No.559, dated 24th November 1892, published at page 1527 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 6th December 1892, the following schedule shall be substituted, namely:-

"SCHEDULE"

Malabar district, Wynaad taluk, Tirunelli amsam and desam

Name of forest – Kudrakote. Area. – 3,524.76 acres

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES

North: Starting from the north-east corner of Survey No.125 (which is the trijunction of Survey Nos. 124, 125 and 138) of Tirunelli desam, the boundary line runs eastwards along the south-sides of Survey Nos.,124, 121 and 122 to the easternmost corner of the last mentioned field; thence along the south and east sides of Survey No.121 again to its easternmost corner

and thence along a part of the south side of Survey No.120 to the west margin of the Manantoddy-Coorg Road.

East: - Thence the line runs southwards along the west margin of the said road till it crosses the northern boundary of Trissaleri desam at the northeast corner of Survey No.355-1 (Alathur Reserved Forest).

South: - Thence the line runs westwards along the said northern boundary of Trissaleri desam to the south-east corner of Survey No.354.

West: - Thence the line runs northwards along the eastern sides of Survey Nos. 354 and 365, south and east sides of Survey No.364 and the north side of Survey No.365 again to its northernmost corner. Thence the line turns eastwards along the south sides of Survey No.371 crossing the Bavali river to the southernmost corner of Survey No.369; thence along its east and north sides to its northernmost corner, thence along the east sides of Survey Nos. 371 again and 370 to the northernmost corner of the last-mentioned field; thence along the north sides of Survey Nos. 371 again and 378 to the northwest corner of the latter number; and thence along the east side of Survey No.379 to its north-east corner where it meets the east side of Survey No.399-I (Tirunelli Reserved Forest). Thence the line runs northwards in a straight line crossing the Tirunelli Road to the south-east corner of Survey No.207, thence along the east sides of Survey Nos. 207 and 206 to the south-west corner of Survey No.165; thence eastwards along the south sides of Survey Nos.165 and 164 to the south-east corner of the latter number; thence southwards along the west sides of Survey No.163 and the west, south and east sides of Survey No.161 to the northernmost corner of the latter field; thence northwards along the east side of Survey No.163 again to the south-west corner of Survey No.162, thence along its south, east and north sides to its north-west corner; thence along the east and north sides of Survey No.163 again to the southernmost corner of Survey No.170; thence along its south side to its south-east corner; thence along the south and east sides of Survey No.171 to the southernmost corner of Survey No.181. Thence the line runs in a north-easterly direction along the south sides of Survey No. 181 to the southernmost corner of Survey No.133; thence along its south side to its south-east corner; thence along the south side of Survey No.135 to the southernmost corner of Survey No.136; thence along its south, east and north sides to the easternmost corner of Survey No.137; thence along the north and west sides of the said Survey No.137; to its southernmost corner. Thence it runs westwards along the north sides of Survey Nos. 136 and 135 to the north-west corner of the last mentioned field; thence along the east sides of Survey Nos. 133 and 181, and the east and north sides of Survey No.132 to the southernmost corner of Survey No.127 (trijunction of Survey Nos. 132, 180 and 127) thence along the east sides of Survey Nos. 127 and 108 to the westernmost corner of Survey No.126; thence eastwards along the south side of the said Survey No.126 and along the south, east and north sides of Survey No.125 to the starting point.

NOTE: - The reserve comprises the following survey numbers of Tirunelli desam:-

Survey Nos. 138, 400, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 412, 43 (part) and 139 to 154.

REMARKS

A. The following survey numbers are admitted as enclosures within this reserve though being themselves excluded from reservation:-

		ACS			ACS.
155	 	13.41	401	 	1.52
156	 	6.66	402	 	9.50
157	 	8.30	403	 	6.09
158	 	12.17	410	 	1.70
159	 	21.42	411	 	10.50
100	 	6.54		 	

- B. The following public rights of way are admitted in this reserve: -
- (1). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 1 mile in length. It enters the reserve at a point on Manantoddy-Coorg Road which is 1 mile 3 furlongs south from the north-eastern corner of the reserve and runs generally in a westerly direction and quits the reserve on its western boundary at a point two chains south from the north-eastern corner of Survey No.132 of Tirunelli desam.
- (2). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 2 furlongs 6 chains in length. It enters the reserve at the north-west corner of Survey No.137 and runs in a north-westerly direction and quits the reserve at a point 8 chains north from the north-western corner of Survey No.132 of Tirunelli desam.
- (3). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 2 furlongs 4 chains in length. It enters the reserve at a point 3 chains south east from the northernmost point of Survey No.155 of Tirunelli desam and runs in a northerly direction and quits the

reserve at a point 2 chains north-east from the southernmost corner of Survey No.136 of Tirunelli desam.

- (4). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 2 furlongs and 2 chains in length. It enters the reserve at a point 7 chains south-west from the north-eastern corner of Survey No.156 of Tirunelli desam and runs in a south easterly direction and joins the Tirunelli District Road [right of way (8) below] at a point 5 ½ furlongs west from the junction of Tirunelli District Road with the Manantoddy-Coorg Road.
- (5). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 3 ½ chains in length. It enters the reserve at a point one, chain north from the south east corner of Survey No.159 of Tirunelli desam and runs in a south-easterly direction and joins the Tirunelli District Road [right of way (8)] at a point 1 mile 3 furlongs 5 chains west from the junction of Tirunelli District Road with Manantoddy Coorg Road.
- (6). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 11 chains in length. It enters the reserve at the northernmost point of Survey No.401 of Tirunelli desam and runs in a northerly direction and joins the Tirunelli District Road [right of way (8)] at a point 3 furlongs 6 chains west from the junction of the Tirunelli District Road with the Manantoddy-Coorg Road.
- (7). A path (for which there is no local name) is open to people and cattle. It is 10 yards wide and 2 miles 4 chains in length. It enters the reserve at the easternmost corner of Survey No.369 of Tirunelli desam and runs generally in an easterly direction and joins the Manantoddy-Coorg Road at a point 1 furlong 4 chains north from the south-east corner of the Reserve.
- (8). A road (Tirunelli District Road) is open to people, cattle and vehicles. It is 10 yards wide and 2 miles 5 furlongs 8 chains in length. It enters the reserve on its western boundary at a point 2 chains south from the south-east corner of Survey No.207 of Tirunelli desam and runs generally in an direction and joins the Manantoddy-Coorg Road at a point 1 mile 5 furlongs north from the south-east corner of the reserve.
- C. The Jain and Bet Kurumbers residing in this block are permitted to continue to enjoy their present privileges as tenants-at-will of the Forest department within Survey No.400 which has been assigned to them".

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