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on the
Administration of Minors' Estates by
Revenue Officers under the Guardians
and Wards Act, 1890, in the Bombay
Presidency

For the Year ending 31st July 1935

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REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF MINORS' ESTATES.

PRESIDENCY (EXCLUDING SIND).

Northern Division.

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Commissioner, N. D.

Central Division.

A. W. W. MACKIE, Esquire, C.I.E., I.C.S.
Commissioner, C. D.

Southern Division.

H. B. CLAYTON, Esquire, C.I.E., I.C.S.
Commissioner, S. D.

(1) NUMBER OF ESTATES UNDER MANAGEMENT.

Northern Division.—At the beginning of the year there were 5 estates (1 large and 4 small) under management. No estate was released from management nor was any taken under management during the year. The year thus closed with 5 estates (1 large and 4 small) under management.

Central Division.—At the beginning of the year there were 9 estates (1 large and 8 small) under management. Two small estates (one in Satara and one in East Khandesh) were released from management and therefore at the close of the year there were 7 estates under management.

Southern Division.—The year began with 17 estates under management. Out of these, 4 estates (one in Bijapur and three in Dharwar) were restored. The year thus closed with 13 estates under management.

(2) INCOME.

Northern Division.—The total income of the estates during the year amounted to Rs. 21,595 as against Rs. 16,753 in the last year. The increase is chiefly due to the fact that the cotton crop of the estates in the Ahmedabad District was not damaged by frost so seriously as during the previous year, because the crop was ready early this year.

Central Division.—The gross income of the estates amounted to Rs. 82,946 as against Rs. 1,28,960 in the preceding year. The decrease is due to the fact that there were no recoveries of loans by the Bhaiyya estate during the year under report.

Southern Division.—The gross income of the estates during the year amounted to Rs. 33,302 as against Rs. 35,184 in the preceding year. Notwithstanding an increase of Rs. 2,954 in the Belgaum district due to the sale proceeds of sandalwood trees and larger recoveries of rental dues there was a net fall in the aggregate amount of revenue for all the estates in the Division which is accounted for by the restoration of four to their owners.

(3) EXPENDITURE.

Northern Division.—The total gross expenditure of the estates management amounted to Rs. 16,987 during the year as against Rs. 12,498 during the preceding year. The marriage ceremony of the sister of the minor Talukdar of Thori Thamba estate in the Alwar District, the Musalmania ceremony of that talukdar, and ceiling-house-repairs in the Timbi and Segwa estates of the Broach and Panch Mahals district were chiefly responsible for the increase in expenditure during the year under report.

Central Division.—The gross expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,50,349 as against Rs. 1,12,367 in the previous year. The increase is mainly due to the advancing of loans by the Bhaiyya estate.

Southern Division.—The total gross expenditure amounted to Rs. 35,810 as against Rs. 24,514 in the previous year. All the districts except Kolaba share the income. In Belgaum it is mainly due to the purchase of lands on behalf of an estate in satisfaction of its decretal amount. The Nidgundi estate in Bijapur advanced a loan of Rs. 8,000 to the Darga estate under management in the same district. Rs. 9,000 were invested in Government securities in the Dharwar district. If these items of extraordinary expenditure—which are really investments and not expenditure—amounting to about Rs. 20,000 are excluded, the total normal expenditure amounts to about Rs. 16,000, a figure which indicates a considerable fall in expenditure as compared to that in the previous year. This is attributable to the release of four estates during the year.

(4) COLLECTION OF ESTATES' DUES.

Northern Division.—Out of the total demand of Rs. 20,799 (inclusive of Rs. 376 on account of arrears), Rs. 19,677 were collected leaving a balance of Rs. 1,122 (Rs. 905 on account of the year under report and Rs. 217 on account of past years). The balance of arrears is chiefly due to the grant of suspensions on account of frost during the year under report.

Out of the total demand of arrears of Rs. 361, Rs. 144 were recovered during the year under report leaving a balance of Rs. 217 to be recovered at the end of the year. This balance of arrears pertains to the estates in the Broach and Panch Mahals District.

Central Division.—The total demand on account of rents including arrears of Rs. 12,371 was Rs. 22,151. Rs. 10,238 were collected leaving a balance of Rs. 11,913. The major portion of the arrears relates to past years and its recovery could not be effected as prices of agricultural

produce continued low during the year. Steps for the recovery of all arrears are in progress. Decrees have been obtained for Rs. 6,388.

Southern Division.—The total demand including the arrears of Rs. 15,409 amounted to Rs. 25,878. Rs. 10,982 (including over collections of Rs. 66) were collected and Rs. 2,039 (Rs. 75 in Belgaum and Rs. 1,964 in Dharwar) were written off. The outstanding balance at the close of the year was thus Rs. 12,923 as detailed below :—

District.	Arrears.	
	Current.	Previous.
Belgaum	1,369	5,754
Bijapur	111	125
Dharwar	689	4,504
Kolaba	193	178
Total ..	2,362	10,561

In Belgaum a sum of Rs. 149 out of the outstandings has been recovered since the close of the year.

The percentage of collection of the current dues to the total current demand works out at 78 per cent. as against 48 per cent. in the previous year. This shows that the recovery work was satisfactory so far as current dues were concerned. The past arrears to be recovered are however still heavy and the Collectors are being requested to recover them soon.

(5) GOVERNMENT REVENUE, CESSSES AND RATES.

Northern Division.—All Government dues ordered to be recovered were paid in full.

Central Division.—All Government dues were paid in full by the estates.

Southern Division.—All Government dues were paid in full.

(6) COST OF MANAGEMENT.

Northern Division.—The total cost of management amounted to Rs. 1,472 or 7·0 per cent. of the gross income as against Rs. 1,421 or 8·5 per cent. in the previous year.

The decrease is primarily due to the fact that in the Ahmedabad District in which it amounted to Rs. 1,286 (or 6·8 per cent.) during the year under report as against Rs. 1,186 (or 8·6 per cent.) in the previous year.

Central Division.—The total cost of management amounted to Rs. 6,853 or 8·2 per cent. of the gross income as against Rs. 8,989 or 6·9 per cent. in the previous year. The increase in percentage despite the fall in actual cost is due to the great decrease in income.

Southern Division.—The total cost of management amounted to Rs. 2,046 or 6·1 per cent. of the total gross income as against Rs. 3,072 or 8·7 per cent. in the previous year. The decrease is due to the curtailment of establishment in Belgaum. The percentage in Kolaba was as high as 15·3 per cent. owing to the fact that the minimum expenditure on the management of the one estate had to be incurred despite the fall in its income. In no other case was the normal limit of 10 per cent. exceeded.

(7) ADVANCES TO CULTIVATORS.

Northern, Central and Southern Divisions.—No advances were made to cultivators out of the funds of any managed estate.

(8) SPECIAL SCHEME FOR MANAGEMENT.

Northern Division.—All the estates were managed departmentally and no special scheme was necessary for their management.

Central Division.—No special scheme for management was framed or undertaken.

Southern Division.—No special scheme was undertaken.

(9) MAINTENANCE AND EDUCATION OF MINORS.

Northern Division.—The total gross expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 6,372 as against Rs. 5,896 during the preceding year. The increase is chiefly due to the grant of increased maintenance allowance, to the mother of minor Fateh Mahammedkhanji of Thori Thamba estate from Rs. 200 to Rs. 233 per month.

There are 7 minors (all males) as reported last year. The number of minors receiving education is 4 as shown below :—

	2 in English Schools.
	2 in Vernacular Schools.
	—
Total ..	4
	—

Of the remaining 3 wards, one looks after household affairs and the other two have left studies.

Central Division.—All reasonable demands for the maintenance and education of the minors and their dependents continue to be met as far as funds permit. The total expenditure incurred on this account was Rs. 13,898. The minor Yamutai Natu of Poona is dependent for her maintenance on the estate of her brothers.

There are in all 10 wards—9 male and 1 female. The female ward, Miss Yamutai Natu attends the Kanyashala in Poona and is in the sixth English Standard. Of the 9 male wards one has left school and the rest are receiving education as under :—

1 in College.
5 in English Schools.
2 in Vernacular Schools.

Southern Division.—Reasonable provision was made for the maintenance and education of the minors and their dependents. The total expenditure incurred on this account amounted to Rs. 4,798.

There are 17 wards—14 males and 3 females.

Out of the 14 male wards 9 are receiving education as under :—

5 in Vernacular Schools and

4 in English Schools.

The wards of the Beleri and Betgeri estates in the Dharwar district were affected with lunacy. The ward of the Beleri estate is now under treatment in the Mental Hospital, Dharwar. The ward of the Betgeri estate who was promptly sent for treatment to the Mental Hospital at Bangalore, returned completely cured and is now reported to be in good health.

(10) REPAYMENT OF DEBTS AND EXISTING LIABILITIES.

Northern Division.—All the estates are free from debts.

Central Division.—Four out of the 7 estates are free from debt. The total balance of debt at the beginning of the year was Rs. 24,299. Additional debt of Rs. 280 was incurred by the Wani estate in the Nasik District. The Kaswekar estate of Savda in East Khandesh incurred debt of Rs. 800 by usufructuary mortgage of some property for a period of 9 years. The period having expired the estate has been discharged of the debt. Rs. 100 have been paid by the Wani estate. The balance of Rs. 23,679 is due from the following estates :—

	Rs.
(1) Bhaiyya estate in Sholapur	6,906
(2) Kaswekar estate in East Khandesh	7,464
(3) Wani estate in Nasik	9,309
Total ..	<u>23,679</u>

The debts of the Bhaiyya estate are deposits of the relatives of the ward and they can be paid at any time.

Southern Division.—The balance of debt at the beginning of the year stood at Rs. 27,198. No additional liabilities were incurred during the year. Rs. 400 were paid from the current income in repayment of debts, leaving a balance of Rs. 26,798 at the close of the year.

The estates in the Belgaum district alone are responsible for liabilities to the extent of Rs. 26,598.

Out of the 13 estates, 8 are free from debt—2 in Belgaum, 5 in Dharwar and 1 in Kolaba.

(11) LITIGATION.

Northern Division.—There were two suits pending at the beginning of the year. None of them has been decided and no fresh suit has been

filed during the year, thus leaving the above two suits pending at the close of the year.

Central Division.—The balance of the Wani estate in the Nasik District was attached by a Sawkar. An application was made to the Court to raise the attachment on the ground that the amount was required for the maintenance of the wards. It has been rejected.

Southern Division.—In the Belgaum district six suits were pending at the beginning of the year and six suits were filed during the year. Out of these, six suits were decided—all in favour of the wards and six are pending.

Out of the nine suits in Bijapur (six pending at the beginning and three filed during the year) six were disposed of and three are pending.

In the districts of Dharwar and Kolaba there were no suits.

(12) GENERAL REMARKS.

Northern, Central and Southern Divisions.—The administration of the estates through the local officers continued to be satisfactory.

STATEMENTS Nos. I, II AND III.

STATEMENT No.

Statement showing general position of Minors' Estates under Government management in the Northern, Central and Southern Divisions during the year 1934-35.

[Details are given only for estates with gross income of Rs. 10,000 and above. Figures for other estates are lumped together.]

Serial No.	Name of District	Name of Estate	Total area of the Estate	Cultivated Area	Uncultivated Area	Total Government demand				Total gross income			Total gross income recovered	Total gross expenditure	Balance		Total Liabilities	Cost of management	Percentage of cost on gross income	
						Assessment	Cesses	Other demands	Total	Income due from agricultural land excluding land revenue	Income due from house rent	Total			Invested	Uninvested				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
			Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Northern Division.	Ahmedabad.	Thori Thambha.	3,504	9,966	538	498	250	...	748	14,317	1,267	16,574	16,320	13,672	54,100	11,041	...	979	6%
2-3		Ahmedabad.																		
4-5		Broach and Panch Mahals.	Total for small estates.	962	912	60	474	49	...	523	4,626	584	5,210	5,276	3,315	19,618	10,030	...	493	9%
			Total, Northern Division.	4,466	3,678	598	970	299	...	1,271	18,943	1,851	20,794	21,593	16,987	73,618	21,071	...	1,472	7%

<i>Central Division.</i>																			
1	Sholapur ...	Bhairsa of Sholapur.	204	203	1	126	21	...	147	773	5,897	6,670	76,710	1,44,350	10,51,900	9,999	6,906	6,243	8-1
2	Sholapur ...	} Total for same 11 states.	813	705	107	877	107	80	1,014	1,723	184	1,907	6,236	5,768	6,030	3,086	16,773	605	0-7
3	Nasik ...																		
4-6	East Khandesh ...																		
7	Poona ...																		
	Total, Central Division ...		1,017	909	108	1,003	198	90	1,161	2,496	6,081	8,577	83,946	1,50,349	10,57,280	12,485	23,619	6,363	8-2
<i>Southern Division.</i>																			
1	Bijapur ...	Nidgundi ...	215	215	...	151	19	154	854	191	1,627	1,858	18,063	18,863	1,77,123	4,903	900	542	4-3
2-7	Belgaum ...	} Total for same 11 states.	2,008	1,744	264	1,533	183	105	1,521	6,144	483	6,627	20,250	21,948	2,17,129	18,962	26,596	1,504	7-4
8-12	Dharwar ...																		
13	Kolaba ...																		
	Total, Southern Division:		2,223	1,959	264	1,834	203	239	2,175	6,833	2,110	8,445	83,802	85,810	3,94,259	18,265	26,736	2,046	6-1
	Grand Total...		7,705	6,746	960	3,637	629	319	4,806	27,774	10,039	37,806	1,87,848	2,08,146	15,25,107	51,691	60,477	10,371	7-1

STATEMENT

Statement showing the efficiency of rent collections in Minors' Central and Southern Divisions

Serial No.	Name of District	Name of Estate	DEMANDS			COLLECTIONS	
			Current	Arrears	Total	On account of current year	On account of arrears
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	<i>Northern Division.</i>		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Ahmedabad ...	Thori Thamba ...	15,063	...	15,063	15,061	...
2-3	Ahmedabad ...	} Total for small estates.	5,360	375*	5,735	4,467	159
4-5	Broach and Panch Mahals.						
		Total, Northern Division ...	20,423	376	20,799	19,518	159
	<i>Central Division.</i>						
1	Sholapur ...	Bhaiyya of Sholapur.	6,819	8,901	15,719	6,097	1,744
2	Sholapur ...	} Total for small estates.	2,962	8,470	6,432	2,730	707
3	Nasik ...						
4-6	East Khandesh.						
7	Poona ...						
		Total, Central Division ...	9,780	12,371	22,151	7,787	2,461
	<i>Southern Division.</i>						
1	Bijapur ...	Nidgundi ...	2,024	219†	2,243	1,977	94
2-7	Belgaum ...	} Total for small estates.	8,445	15,119	23,635	6,196	2,716
8-12	Dharwar ...						
13	Kolaba ...						
		Total, Southern Division ...	10,469	15,409	25,878	8,173	2,809
		Grand Total ...	40,672	22,166	62,838	35,473	5,419

* This includes a sum of Rs. 361 reported by the Collector of Broach and Panch Mahals stated that an amount of Rs. 70 written off in 1932-33 was not taken into account last year but written off in respect of dues from khataas and not of rent-dues.

† After adjustment of accounts the actual arrears at the end of the last year

No. II.

*Estates under Government management in the Northern,
during the year 1934-35.*

Total	Amount written off	BALANCE			DETAILS OF BALANCE		Over collections	Collected in advance	Remarks
		Converted into bonds or decrees	Others	Total	Current year	Previous years			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
15,091	...	.....	12	12	12	...	...	...	...
4,626	...	.....	1,110	1,110	883	317	...	...	...
19,677	...	.....	1,122	1,123	905	217	...	...	...
6,501	...	5,866	3,053	8,918	1,761	7,157	...	...	...
3,137	...	522	2,473	2,925	232	2,763	...	...	...
10,238	...	6,388	5,225	11,513	1,993	9,320	...	...	...
2,071	...	.....	236	236	111	125	64	...	...
8,911	2,039	1,001	11,686	12,687	2,251	10,436	2	...	...
10,062	2,039	1,001	11,322	12,923	2,362	10,561	66	...	...
40,897	2,039	7,383	18,569	25,958	5,250	20,608	66	...	...

who had shown only Rs. 291 last year. In accounting for the difference of Rs. 70 (361-291), he has that this sum (i. e. Rs. 70) has now been reported by the Mamladar of Wagra to be a sum so that it has been added to the sum of Rs. 291 reported last year, were found to be Rs. 202 as shown in the last year's report.

STATEMENT

Statement showing the progress made in liquidation of debts
Divisions during the

Serial No.	Name of District	Name of Estate	Date on which management was assumed	Debts due on assumption of charge	Balance of debt at the beginning of the year	Additional debt incurred during the year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Northern Division.							
1	Ahmedabad ...	Thori Thamba ...		700	.....	.....
2-3	Ahmedabad ...	} Total for small estates.		350	.....	.....
4-5	Broach and Panch Mahals.						
Total, Northern Division.				1,050	.....	.....
Central Division.							
1	Sholapur ...	Bhaiyya of Sholapur ...		37,819	6,906	.....
9	Sholapur ...	} Total for small estates.					
8	Nasik ...						
4-6	East Khandesh.				38,450	17,398	280
7	Poona ...						
Total, Central Division.				75,769	24,299	280	
Southern Division.							
1	Bijapur ...	Nidgundi ...	28th June 1927.	17,144	200	.....
2-7	Belgaum ...	} Total for small estates.					
8-12	Dharwar ...				43,577	26,998
13	Kolaba ...						
Total, Southern Division.				60,671	27,198	.....
Grand Total ...				1,37,430	51,467	280	

No. III.

of Minors' Estates in the Northern, Central and Southern year 1934-35.

DEBTS SETTLED DURING THE CURRENT YEAR					Balance	Date by which it was expected on assumption of management or that the estate would be clear of debt	Remarks.
By incurring fresh debts	By sale of property	Rejected by Court of Wards or Civil Court	Remitted by the creditors	From current income			
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
.....		
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.....	6,806		
.....	800	100	16,773		
.....	800	100	23,679		
.....	200		
.....	400	26,598		
.....	400	26,798		
.....	800	500	50,477		

SIND.

R. E. GIBSON, Esquire, C.I.E., I.C.S.,
Commissioner in Sind.

1. * * * * *

ASSUMPTION AND RELINQUISHMENT OF ESTATES.

2. The year opened with 25 estates under management. One new estate was added, making a total of 26 estates for management during the year. Of these, one estate in the Sukkur District was discharged, leaving a total of 25 estates at the close of the year.

3. The guardianship of the person of minor Ali Nawaz vested in the Collector of Larkana. In no other district did the guardianship of the person of a minor vest in the Collector.

INCOME.

4. The total gross income of the estates was Rs. 3,547 as against Rs. 6,334 in the previous year.

EXPENDITURE.

5. The expenditure during the year amounted as under, to Rs. 1,730 as against Rs. 4,519 in the preceding year:—

			Rs.
Government assessment	...	...	44
Maintenance	...	...	1,144
Suit expenses	...	...	155
Miscellaneous	...	...	360
Management charges	...	...	7
			<hr/>
		Total	1,730

MANAGEMENT OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

6. Out of the 25 estates which were under management, the following estates were not leased out.

(a) The estate of Suleman in the Dadu District. The area is small and scattered. It is full of weeds and is, therefore, uncultivable. The possibility of reclaiming it is under consideration.

(b) The land of the estate of Chellaram in the Larkana District was not given on lease during the year under report, as it is joint property with land of his brothers. It was managed departmentally through the brothers of the ward.

(c) The land of the estate of minor Haji Kako in the Nawabshah District was neither leased out nor cultivated during the year under report, as nobody would take up the lease. The Collector is being asked to arrange for its lease or cultivation by departmental agency.

(d) The estate of Ghulam Zuhran and others in the Sukkur District. The agricultural land of the estate-owners is held in partnership with Syed Ali Muhammad Shah, who is their cousin and is looking after the land.

(e) The estate of Hisab and Dhayani in the Hyderabad District was managed departmentally.

MANAGEMENT OF MOVEABLE PROPERTY.

7. The moveable property of all the wards continued in charge of their relatives.

LIABILITIES.

8. The balance of the debts at the commencement of the year amounted to Rs. 19,187, from which Rs. 315 have so far been paid, leaving a balance of Rs. 18,872.

EDUCATION.

9. There are in all 41 wards—29 males and 12 females. The Collectors are concerned with the education of those wards only whose persons vest in them. There is only one such ward, viz., Ali Nawaz, who is under the guardianship of the Collector of Larkana and he has been permitted by the Collector to look after his cattle, as he is about 19 years of age. Besides, two other male wards in the Karachi District are reported to be receiving education.

LITIGATION.

10. The suit referred to in the last year's report (*Revomal versus Muhammad Hassan*) is still pending. One more Civil suit was filed during the year under report, by Khatanmal and others against the estate of Muhammad Bukhsh and others in the Larkana District regarding the possession of one survey number comprised in the estate. It is still pending.

No amount of costs of appeals remains to be recovered.

STATEMENT No. I.

Statement showing the general position of estates under Government management in the Province of Sind during the year 1934-35.

1	2	3	4	5	6	Total Government demand				Total gross income			14	16	Balance		18	19	20	21	
						7	8	9	10	11	12	13			Invested	Uninvested					Cost of management	Percentage of cost on gross income
Serial No.	Name of division	Name of estate	Total area of estates	Cultivated area	Uncultivated area	Assessment	Cesses	Other demands	Total	Income due from agricultural land excluding land revenue	Income due from house rent	Total	Total of gross income recovered	Total expenditure	Invested	Uninvested	Total liabilities	Cost of management	Percentage of cost on gross income	Remarks	
3 to 25.	Sind	Total of small estates.	Aores	Aores	Aores	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	6	20	
			1,344	686	658	2,542	238	191	2,971	2,028	86	2,064	2,547	1,790	800	6,333	18,872				

STATEMENT No. II.

Statement showing the efficiency of rent collections in estates under Government management in the Province of Sind during the year 1934-35.

Serial No.	Name of division	Name of estate	Demands			Collections			Amount written off	Balance			Remarks	
			Current	Arrears	Total	On account of current year	On account of arrears	Total		Converted into bonds or decrees	Others	Total		Details of balance
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1 to 25.	Sind	Total of small estates.	Rs. 2,137	Rs. 3,446	Rs. 5,683	Rs. 1,928	Rs. 55	Rs. 1,883	..	..	Rs. 3,760	Rs. 3,799	..	..

STATEMENT No. III.

Statement showing progress made in liquidation of debts in estates under Government management in the Province of Sind during the year 1934-35.

Serial No.	Name of Division	Name of estate	Debts due on assumption of charge	Balance of debts at the beginning of the year	Additional debts incurred during the year	Debts paid off during the year						Balance	Date by which it was expected on assumption of management that estate would be cleared of debt	Remarks
						By increasing fresh debts	By sale of property	Rejected by the Manager or the Civil Court	Remitted by creditors	From current income	Balance			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
1 to 25.	Sind	Total of small estates.	..	Rs. 19,187	Rs. 171	Rs. 144	Rs. 18,872	

Reports.

Minors' Estates.

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GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Resolution No. P. 65/23706.

Bombay Castle, 25th January 1936.

Letter from the Commissioner, S. D. (Mr. H. B. Clayton, C.I.E., I.C.S.), No. W.R.D.P.R.B. 2, dated the 15th October 1935.

Letter from the Commissioner, N. D. (Mr. J. H. Garrett, C.S.I., I.C.S.), No. W.R.D. 29, dated the 15th October 1935.

Letter from the Commissioner, C. D. (Mr. A. W. W. Mackie, C.I.E., I.C.S.), No. W.R.D. 129, dated the 6th November 1935.

Memorandum from the Commissioner in Sind (Mr. R. E. Gibson, C.I.E., I.C.S.), No. Rev. 7342, dated the 1st November 1935.

Submitting the reports for the year ending 31st July 1935 on the administration of Minors' Estates by Revenue Officers under the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890, in their respective charges.

RESOLUTION.—Recorded.

By order of the Governor in Council,

N. A. FARUQUI,

Officiating Under Secretary to Government.

To

The Commissioner in Sind,
 The Commissioners of Divisions,
 All Collectors including the Deputy Commissioner, Upper Sind Frontier,
 The Director of Agriculture,
 The Chief Agricultural Officer in Sind,
 The Director of Land Records,
 The Manager, Incumbered Estates in Sind,
 The Director of Public Instruction,
 The Compiler, General Administration Report,
 The Commissioner of Labour and Director of Information,
 The Accountant General,
 The Oriental Translator to Government,
 The Educational Department,
 The Finance Department,
 The Secretary to the High Commissioner for India, London
 (by letter).