APPENDIX - I

TREATY Engagement executed by the Rajah of KILLAH NILGIRI, a Tributary Mehal subordinate to Cuttack, to the HONOURABLE EAST INDIA COMPANY'S SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS for the SOOBAH OF ORISSA, MESSRS. HARCOURT and MELVILLE, - 1803.

I, Rajah Ramchunder Murdraj Hurree Chundun, Rajah of Killah Nilgiri, in the Soobah of Orissa, engage faithfully and correctly to abide by this Engagement, entered into by me with the Honourable East India Company as contained in the following clauses, to wit:--

CLAUSE- 1: I will always hold myself in submission and loyal obedience to the Honourable East India Company aforesaid.

CLAUSE- 2: I will continue to pay, without demur, to the said Government, as my annual Peshkus or tribute, 23,400 Kahuns of Cowrees, in three instalments, as specified herein below.

CLAUSE- 3: I will on demand to that effect, cause any person who is an inhabitant of the Soobah appertaining to the Honourable Company aforesaid, and who may have fled and come into my territory, to be forthwith arrested and delivered over to the Government.

CLAUSE- 4: Should any person, who is a resident in my territories, commit a crime within the limits of the Moghulbundi, I hereby engage, on demand to that effect.
to cause such persons to be arrested and delivered over for trial to the Government Authority. Moreover, I further bind myself, in cases where I may possess any claim or demand on one who is an inhabitant of the Moghulbundi, not of my own authority to enforce such claim, but I will notify the same to the constituted authority and will act in accordance with such orders as may issue from him.

CLAUSE-5: I engage that whenever the troops of the Honourable Company's Government shall pass through my territories, I will direct the people of my Killah to supply, to the extent of their capability, all russud and supplies, which shall be sold at fair prices. Further, I will, on no manner of pretext whatever, ever stop or detain, or offer any let or hindrance to, any subject of the Honourable Company's Government, or to any other person whatever, who may be proceeding by land or water, with goods or orders, or with any perwanah on the part of the Government, through my boundaries, and will rather take care that no loss or mischief shall befall such parties in life or goods.

CLAUSE-6: In case any neighbouring Rajah or any other person whatever shall disobey the said Government, I engage, on demand and without demur, to depute a contingent force of my own troops with the forces of Government for the purpose of rebuking and chastising such rebel and bringing
him under the subjection of the aforesaid Government.
Such contingent to receive only rations agreeably to the previously current practice, so long as they shall be present.

These shall be the instalments of my Peshkus to be paid:

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Total 23,400 kahuns

Dated the 22nd November 1803,
Saban 6th, 1211 Umlee.