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APPENDIX A.

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List showing the Ranges together with the Talukas constituting the same and the ports included in each Taluka.

Name of the Range.	Talukas in the Range.	Customs ports in each Taluka.
I. Virangam Range	Ghogo Dhanduka Jambusar Broach	(1) Ghogha. (1) Dholera. (1) Kavi. (2) Tankari. (1) Broach. (2) Dehej.
II. Surat Range	Surat Dharasana Daman Frontier Marolj Dahsuru	(1) Bhagva. (2) Surat. (3) Matvad. (1) Bulsar. (2) Umarsadi. (1) Kolak. (2) Kalai. (1) Maroli. (2) Umbergaon. (1) Dahanu. (2) Tarapur. (3) Nawapur. (4) Sapat.
III. Thana Range	Bassain Bhandup Trombay Belspur Karanja Uran	(5) Kelva. (6) Dantivra. (1) Bassain. (2) Arnala. (1) Utan. (2) Manori. (3) Vesava. (4) Bandra. (1) Thana. (2) Kalyan. (3) Bhiwandi. (1) Trombay. (2) Mahul.
IV. Ratnagiri Range	Revdanda Bankot Dabhol Ratnagiri Jaitapur Malvan Vengurla Shiroda	(1) Thal. (2) Alibaug. (3) Revdanda. (4) Mandad. (1) Bankot. () Harai. (1) Dabhol. (2) Borya. (1) Jaigad. (2) Varavda. (3) Ratnagiri. (4) Purnagad. (1) Jaitapur. (2) Vijaydurg. (1) Deogad. (2) Achra. (3) Malvan. (1) Niv. (2) Vengurla. (1) Redi.

APPENDIX A—contd.

List showing the Ranges together with the Talukas constituting the same and the ports included in each Taluka—contd.

Name of the Range.	Talukas in the Range.	Customs ports in each Taluka.
V. Goa Frontier	Dodsmarg	(1) Kirnapani.
	Karwar	(1) Tilmati (Majali). (2) Sadashivgad. (3) Karwar. (4) Bhinga. (5) Chendie. (6) Belekori.
VI. Canara Range	Sanikatta	(1) Ankola. (2) Tadri. (3) Gangavali.
	Honawar	(1) Kumta. (2) Honswar (3) Manki. (4) Murdeshwar. (5) Shirafi. (6) Bhatkal

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	Dhanduka	(1) Dholera.
	Jambusar	(1) Kavi.
	Broach	(2) Tankari.
		(1) Broach.
II. Surat Range		(2) Dahej.
	Surat	(1) Bhagva.
		(2) Surat.
	Dharasana	(3) Matvad.
	Daman Frontier	(1) Bulsar.
III. Thana Range	Maroli	(2) Umarsadi.
		(1) Kolak.
	Dahanu	(2) Kalai.
		(1) Maroli.
		(2) Umbergaon.
IV. Ratnagiri Range	Bassein	(1) Dahanu.
		(2) Tarapur.
	Rsi	(3) Nawapur.
		(4) Satpadi.
		(5) Kelva.
V. Bankol Range		(6) Dantivra.
	Bhandu	(1) Bassein.
	Trombay	(2) Arnala.
	Belapur	(1) Utan.
	Karanja	(2) Manori.
VI. Bankol Range	Utan	(3) Vesava.
		(4) Bandra.
	Revdanda	(1) Thana.
	Bankol	(2) Kalyan.
	Dabhol	(3) Bhiwandi.
VII. Bankol Range		(1) Trombay.
	Ratnagiri	(2) Mahul.
	Jeitapur	(1) Panvel.
	Malvan	(1) Karanja.
	Vengurla	(1) Mora.
VIII. Bankol Range		(1) Thal.
	Shiroda	(2) Alibang.
		(3) Revdanda.
		(4) Mandad.
		(1) Bankol.
IX. Bankol Range		(2) Harnal.
		(1) Dabhol.
		(2) Borya.
		(1) Jaigad.
		(2) Varavda.
X. Bankol Range		(3) Ratnagiri.
		(4) Purnagad.
		(1) Jaitapur.
		(2) Vijaydurg.
		(1) Deogad.
XI. Bankol Range		(2) Achra.
		(3) Malvan.
		(1) Nivti.
		(2) Venurla.
		(1) Redl.

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List showing the Ranges together with the Talukas constituting the same and the ports included in each Taluka—contd.

Name of the Range.	Talukas in the Range.	Customs ports in each Taluka.
V. Goa Frontier	Dadamarg	(1) Kirnapani.
	Karwar	(1) Tilmoti (Majali). (2) Sadashivgad. (3) Karwar. (4) Bhing. (5) Obencie. (6) Belekari.
VI. Canara Range	Sankatta	(1) Ankola. (2) Tadri. (3) Gangavali.
	Honawar	(1) Kumta. (2) Honawar (3) Manhi. (4) Murdeshwar. (5) Shirali. (6) Bhatkal

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