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SLAVE TRADE. No. 6 (1874).

ENGAGEMENT

OF THE

JEMADAR OF SHUHR

FOR THE

ABOLITION OF THE SLAVE TRADE

IN HIS

DOMINIONS.

Signed at Shuhr, November 17, 1873.

Presented to both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty. 1874.

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Engagement of the Jemadar of Shuhr for the Abolition of the Slave Trade in his Dominions.

Signed at Shuhr, November 17, 1873.

THIS 17th day of November, A.D. 1873, answering to the 26th day of Ramadhan, A.H. 1290, I, Abdoollah bin Omar Ali Kaiatee, Ruler of Shuhr, engage with the great English Government to abolish and prohibit the import and export of slaves to or from the port of Shuhr and all the dependencies thereof, from or to any other place in Africa or Asia, or elsewhere; and whereas his Excellency Sir Henry Bartle Edward Frere, G.C.S.I., K.C.B., Her Britannic Majesty's Special Envoy, has impressed upon me the advantage of adhering in perpetuity to the terms of the Agreement* entered into by Ali bin Najee, Nakeeb of Shuhr, with Brigadier William Marcus Coghlan, on the 14th day May, A.D. 1863, answering to the 25th day of Dhil Kaada, A.H. 1279, therefore I and my brothers, Awadh and Salih, on behalf of ourselves, our heirs and successors, do hereby solemnly confirm and engage to be bound by the terms of that Agreement.

(Signed) ABDOOLLA BIN OMAR ALKAIATEE, KATUBH AWUZ BIN OMAR ALKAIATEE SULTAN (in Arabic.)
NOOR AHMED BAHADOOR.

J. W. Schneider, Brigadier-General, Political Resident at Aden.

W. F. PRIDEAUX, Assistant Resident at Aden,

(L.S.) (Signed) NORTHBROOK.

Ratified by his Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General of India at Calcutta, on the 11th day of February, 1874.

(Signed) C. U. AITCHISON,

Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department.

Note.—This Agreement is precisely similar to that concluded on the same date with the Nukeeb of Maculla (see Slave Trade No. 4: 1874).

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