## TAX NAMES IN DRAVIDIAN LANGUAGES

abhişeka-kkāņikkai (SITI), Sanskrit-Tamil; presents offered to a king at the time of his coronation.

ācārya-pūjanai (SITI), honorarium payable to priests.

accu-tari, accu-ttari (SITI), Tamil; a variety of loom; tax payable on looms.

payable for minting gold or metal into coins; cf. akkaśālai-vari.

adhikāra-pperu (SITI), Sanskrit-Tamil; probably, presents offered to an officer.

adhikāra-varttanai (SITI), customary payments made to an officer at stipulated periods.

adimai-kkāśu (SITI), Tamil; fee collected from temple servants.

aḍi-kkāśu (SITI), Tamil; tax collected from stall-keepers in markets.

 $\bar{a}$  di-ppaccai (SITI), Tamil; probably, perquisities payable in grain in the month of  $\bar{A}$  di after the harvest.

ādirai-ppāṭṭam (SITI), Tamil; tax on cattle; cf. attiṛai-pāṭṭam.

 $\bar{a}$ dukkalai-ppuram (SITI), Tamil; an enowment for the kitchen expenses of a temple.

akkaśālai-vari (SITI), Tamil; tax payable to the mint for minting coins; cf. accu-vari.

āļ-amañji (SII 12), a levy; explained as 'workmen pressed into service without wages' (SITI); Sanskrit viṣṭi.

a<u>ll</u><u>ā</u>ya-mānyam (SITI), Tamil-Sanskrit; probably, the right to receive a handful of grain or a prescribed quantity of an article sold in the market as wages for measuring.

āl-něl, āněl (SITI), Tamil; a tax payable in paddy.

alpamirai (SITI), Tamil; a minor tax payable in grains. alu (SITI), Tamil; a variety of market dues; probably, the same as allu and allāya-mānyam.

alugal-sarakku (SITI), Tamil; the right of collecting the refuse and waste thrown in the village.