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# English Translation

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The order (*pramāṃnagī* for *pramāṅgī*) was copied during the tenure of General #pen{Syāma Bahādura Kũvara Rāṇājī}#

He who watched, signature: Nau[sindā] #pen{Hari}#

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# Commentary

Jagadīśvaranātha, selected by his guru, Mahanta #pen{Lokanātha}#, as successor to Bhagavantanātha's throne, received his first confirmation of the abbotship in VS 1904 (see K\_0468\_0062), but as we know from another document in the same volume of copied material (see note 1)—a *mohara* that was annulled by the present document—he was dismissed by King Surendra in VS 1909 for keeping a woman in the maṭha (see K\_0356\_0032). Jagadīśvaranātha successfully challenged his replacement by Santoṣanātha, so much so that on the very day of his reappointment as mahanta the prime minister wrote to officials in Pyuthana and Salyan ordering them to respect certain privileges enjoyed by maṭha that seemingly had been contested in the past (Naraharinātha VS 2022: 464). Jagadīśvaranātha stayed in office—if not without further controversies (see Naraharinātha VS 2022: 464-465)—until he died and the abbotship passed on to his disciple Khīmānātha in VS 1934 (cf. K\_0097\_0040).

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1. This archival note indicates the document number in Volume 1 of copies of documents sent by the Kausī Tosākhānā to the Guṭhī Tahabila Phā̃ṭa under Śrī 5 Sarkāra and now kept in the Guṭhī Lagata and Tahabīla office in Bhadrakali (cf. note 1 in K\_0356\_0032). [↑](#footnote-ref-2)