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31st May, 1912.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter 14315/1912, forwarding for my consideration a copy of correspondence with the officer administering the Government of the East Africa Protectorate on the subject of the location of the office of the Currency Board.

Although I am inclined on the whole to agree with Mr Bowring as to the suitability of Mombasa for the main office of the Board. I am inclined to agree with the Managers of the Banks that the time has arrived for the location of a suboffice at Nairobi.

If you cannot agree with this proposal, I propose to take up the matter on my return to the Protectorate, and forward an official recommendation in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

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The Under-secretary of State. Colonial Office. London, S.W.

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