

The Madras City Council for Child Welfare

(Incorporated under Act XXI of 1860)

(LIST OF OFFICE BEARERS AND MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND THE GOVERNING BODY)

Executive Committee—1960-61

President (ex-officio) :

Sri M. S. Abdul Khader, Mayor of Madras (from 30-11-59 to 29-11-60).

„ V. Munuswami, Mayor of Madras (from 30-11-60)

Chairman

Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman, South India Corptn., (Agencies)
Pte. Ltd.

Vice-Presidents (Ex-officio)

Sri R. Balasubramaniam, I.A.S., Commissioner, Corporation of
Madras.

„ R. M. Mahadevan, I.P., Commissioner of Police, Madras.

„ R. Sadasivam, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Madras.

Dr. E. Somasekar, F.R.C.S., Representative of Rotary Club, Madras

Secretary

Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., Retired Commissioner, C. M.

Jt. Secretary

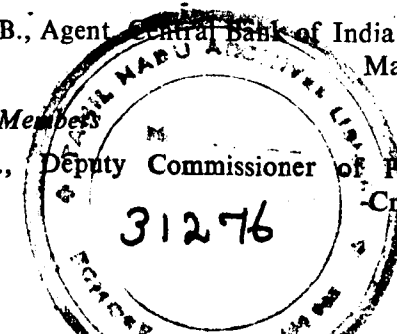
Mrs. Mary Clubwala Jadhav, M.L.C., J.P.

Treasurer

Sri D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., Agent, Central Bank of India Ltd.,
Madras.

Members

Sri N. Krishnaswami, I.P.S., Deputy Commissioner of Police,
Crimes.



Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthy.
Sri M. Vedachalam, Councillor, C.M.
„ A. Selvaraj, Deputy Mayor, C.M.

Co-opted Members

Smt. S. Manjubashini, M.L.C.

Governing Body, 1960-61

President
Chairman
Vice-President
Secretary
Jt. Secretary
Treasurer

Six Members of the Corporation Council

Sri G. Kannan
„ M. Vedachalam
„ A. Selvaraj
„ P. Karuppannan
„ S. Balan
„ R. Sadagopan

*Six Members elected by the General Body of the
Council for Child Welfare*

Mrs. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthy.
Sri N. Krishnaswami, M.Sc., I.P.S.
„ C. Vedachalam.
„ M. Murugesu Mudaliar, Chairman, Taxation Appeals Committee,
C.M.
„ T. Munuswami Reddi, M.A., B.L.
Dr. R. Subramaniam, M.D., M.R.C.P. (Lon.)

Officers

Sri D. Sankaran, B.Sc., Superintendent.
Miss Monica Dey, B.Sc., Dip. S.S.A., Woman Welfare Officer (on
leave).

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Madras
City Council for Child Welfare held on Tuesday the
5th September 1961.**

PRESENT

1. Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman.
2. „ D. Balasundaram, I.A.S. (retd.)
3. „ M. Murugesan, Chairman, Taxation Appeals
Committee, C.M.
4. Smt. S. Manjubashini, M.L.C.
5. Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A.,
6. „ S. Balan, Councillor, C.M.

**Annual Administration Report—Report of the Madras City
Council for Child Welfare—Report for the year 1960-61**

Read the Fifth Annual Administration Report of the Madras
City Council for Child Welfare and the Child Welfare Home for the
year 1960-61.

“ Approved ”

Madras-13, }
5-9-1961, }

M. A. CHIDAMBARAM,
Chairman,
Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1960-61

History of the Institution

It was found that about 2,000 children of ages eight to sixteen go begging in the City of Madras. To successfully reclaim and rehabilitate these destitute and disadvantageously placed children in the City, the then Mayor of Madras Sri M. A. Chidambaram convened a conference of persons interested in Child Welfare during October 1955. The conference decided to form an Association called the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and desired me, who happened to be the Commissioner, Corporation of Madras, at the time to prepare a scheme for running a Home with a Workshop to train them in crafts and useful occupations, so that when they were discharged, they could eke out their living as useful citizens.

I drew up a scheme for starting such a Home and drafted rules and regulations for an Association of officials and non-officials, which were duly approved. The scheme was also approved by the Standing Committees and the Council of the Corporation of Madras. In accordance with the scheme as finally approved, the committed inmates of the Corporation Industrial Home at Royapuram, namely, the able-bodied beggars, were transferred to the Government Care Camp at Avadi and the inmates of the Poor House, a voluntary reception home for the aged and the infirm, were transferred to the authorities of the Monegar and Raja* of Venkatagiri Choultries, subject to the Corporation meeting the cost of maintenance of these inmates. The premises of the Industrial Home and the Poor House at Royapuram thus vacated, were placed at the disposal of the Council for Child Welfare by the Corporation, which also agreed to pay an annual subsidy of Rs. 50,000/- for running the Home. The Government of Madras agreed to meet the net cost. The Madras Rotary Club agreed to meet the cost of equipments for running a Workshop to the tune of Rs. 25,000/-.

The Council for Child Welfare was registered under Act XXI of 1860 on December 22, 1955. It was inaugurated on the evening of the 26th December 1955 at the premises, No. 81, Suryanarayana Chetty Street, Madras, by Srimathi Durgabhai Deshmukh,

Chairman, Central Social Welfare Board, New Delhi. The Child Welfare Home was declared open on the same date by Sri C. Subramaniam, Finance Minister, Government of Madras. A Workshop attached to the Home with tools and plant equipped for carpentry, tailoring etc., by the Madras Rotary Club, was declared open by the then Union Finance Minister, Sri Chintaman Deshmukh.

The State Government, in their G. O. Ms. No. 3670 (Home) dated 22-12-55 declared the Home to be a place suitable for custody of boys and girls of ages 8 to 16 dealt with under section 29 of the Madras Children Act, 1920. Until 22-4-56, the institution was under the management of the City Corporation. On the afternoon of 23-4-56, the Council for Child Welfare took over the management of the Home and Workshop.

In order to open a section for Girls, the Central Social Welfare Board were approached for financial assistance. In their letter No. CBG/Mds/C-67-57 dated 12-12-57, the Central Social Welfare Board sanctioned a grant of Rs. 3,000/- for running a Girls' section for the period from the 1st January, 1957 to the 31st December 1957, subject to the condition that the institution should raise, an equivalent amount by way of matching contribution and spend during the same period on welfare activities coming within the Board's purview. The institution raised a matching contribution equivalent to the amount of grant towards the expenditure on the object.

The Board was requested to renew the grant for the next following year 1958-59 also and to enhance the contribution in view of the expanding activities of this particular section. Somehow or other the grant was not given, but the section was run from out of funds of the institution. This had put the finance of the institution under great strain. The Board sanctioned for the period from 1st April 1959 to 31st March 1960, a grant not exceeding Rs. 2,500/- for maintenance of girls' section. It was represented that for the year 1959-60 the cost of maintenance of girls' section would exceed twice the amount sanctioned by the Central Social Welfare Board and they were requested to reconsider the matter and to sanction a further grant of Rs. 1,200/- so that half the minimum needs of the section might be met. There was no response. A matching contribution of Rs. 2,500/- was met from fees collected from ordinary members

under Account No. I of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare. For the year 1960-61 also, the Central Social Welfare Board sanctioned only Rs. 2,500/- though the cost was much more than Rs. 5,000/-.

In G. O. Ms. No. 2615 (Home) dated 30-8-60, the State Government declared the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram, as a place suitable for the custody of boys and girls between 8 and 18 years of age dealt with under section 29 of the Madras Children Act, 1920. In view of this order, the Juvenile Courts have been committing children to this Home from 1-4-60 upto the age of 18 years, as against 16 years previously in force.

Management and Activities

The Administrative control of the Child Welfare Home was vested with the Governing Body and the Executive Committee. Under their general directions, the Chairman and the Secretary took all initiative for the development of the Child Welfare Home and to enhance the utility of the City Council for Child Welfare.

Strength

On the 1st April 1960, there were 319 boys and 21 girls. During the year, the strength of the institution steadily increased by commitments through Juvenile Courts. There was also reduction due to discharges on completion of committal period in the institution and on account of certain escapes. At the end of the financial year, the strength of the institution was 363 inmates, consisting of 341 boys and 22 girls.

A statement showing the details is furnished hereunder :—

Sex	Inmates on 1-4-60.	Admis- sions.	Dis- charges.	Escapes	Total strength as on 31-3-61
Boys	319	83	45	16	341
Girls	21	5	4	...	22
Total	340	88	49	16	363

Audit

The accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and that of the Child Welfare Home, were audited by the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts for the year under report. The Audit report together with remarks are appended.

Membership

There were 23 ordinary members on 31-3-61. Besides, the following institutions enlisted themselves as life members contributing a lump sum of Rs. 250/- each.

1. M/s. V. M. Periaswamy Chetty & Co.
2. „ The Madras Circle Pipe Dealers' Association.
3. „ The Hindu.
4. „ The Madras Circle Regd. Stockholders Asstn. Ltd.
5. „ The India Cements Ltd.

Meetings of the Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare met 8 times during the financial year 1960-61 and disposed of 64 subjects.

Governing Body

The Governing Body met thrice during the year under report.

Annual General Body

The Annual General Body Meeting was held on the 19th January 1961 under the presidentship of Hon'ble Sri M. Bhakthavatsalam, Home Minister. On the occasion, he assured that the Government was willing to help such welfare institutions and he appealed to the public to co-operate in developing them. Difficulties experienced by delay in sanctioning the Government grant was explained to him and he promised to look into the matter. Mrs. Lalitha Balakrishna Shetty, wife of Mr. S. Balakrishna Shetty, Inspector General of Police, distributed the prizes. Earlier, Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman, in welcoming the chief guests said that the maladjusted children should be educated and the orphan and the waif sheltered and succoured; he explained the useful work that the Council for Child Welfare was doing.

Education

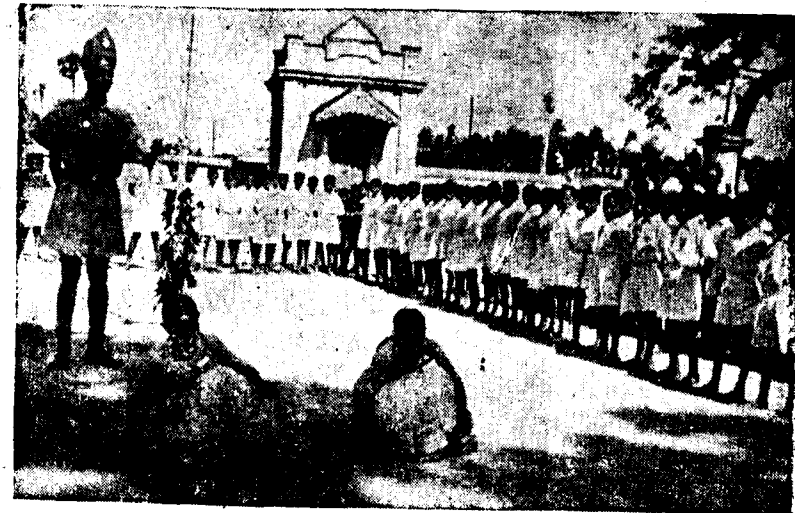
Education based on the ordinary avocation practised in villages was provided upto the eighth standard in the school attached to the Home. Instruction in the institution was in Tamil and it was of Senior Basic standard. Every child in the Home had to attend the school by shifts either in the mornings or in the evenings for three hours in the day, except on Sundays and festival holidays. Most of the children committed to the institution practically knew nothing and they were socially or morally maladjusted. They all required proper shelter and succour which were provided in the Home. The school continued to be recognised by the District Educational Officer Madras North and received teaching grant for the year 1960-61 also.

Crafts Section

Besides being trained in crafts like spinning, weaving, tailoring, coir-rope making, mats plaiting, carpentry and glass ampoule manufacture, a book-binding-cum-cover-making section was started during the year under report. The Madras Rotary Club had already donated to the institution tools and plant necessary for binding and a small manually operated printing press and moulds required for making envelopes were purchased for the use of this section. One skilled instructor to train the children in the trade was employed. The institution obtained orders to bind books belonging to the Local Library Authority, Madras City. The children are divided into two batches and one batch works in the crafts section while the other batch attends the school in the forenoon. They change places in the afternoon.

Other activities, Games and Recreation

During September 1960, children inmates of the institution were taken in batches of fifty to the Madras Zoological Gardens. All the children inmates of the institution inclusive of the staff were admitted into the Zoological Gardens free of admission fee by the Zoo Gate Contractor, Sri M. Chakkarai Chetty. Thanks are due to Sri N. Krishnaswami, Deputy Commissioner of Police (Crimes), who arranged to spare Police Van for transporting the Children to and from the Zoo on the occasion.



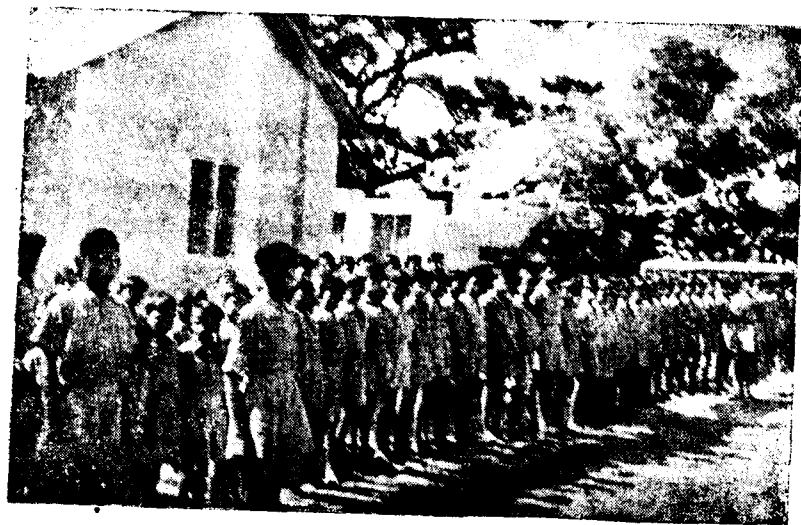
GROUP DANCE BY GIRLS.



GIRLS DANCING "KUMMI."



SCENES FROM "KATTA BOMMAN." BY INMATES.



BOYS LINING UP FOR PARADE.



SCENES FROM "KATTA BOMMAN." BY INMATES.

In the year, children played games daily between 4.30 p.m., and 5-45 p.m. The old Radio Set belonging to the institution, which was unserviceable, was disposed of and one new Resa Community Broadcast Receiver Set was acquired as a gift through the efforts of Sri N. Krishnaswami, I.P.S., from M/s. Resa Company. This set was equipped at the cost of the institution with two Balcer Unit 100 Watts 8 Ohms Speakers and provided with reflex Balcer Horns. Children listen to all the programmes in the evening and on holidays.

Periodically, health and education film shows were conducted within the premises, both by the Local Library Authority and the Corporation Health Propaganda Section.

The Police Staff attached to the Home maintained discipline of the inmates; they conducted mass physical exercise and parades on Mondays and Thursdays in the mornings between 7 a.m. and 8 a.m. The inmates in the institution were divided into groups of fifty with leaders from amongst themselves.

Visitors

Besides the Mayor of Madras, the Commissioner of Police, the Deputy Commissioner of Police, the Chief Presidency Magistrate and other Honorary Members of the Council for Child Welfare, the following distinguished persons visited the institution and the workshop, during the year under review :—

1. Sri V. Sethuram, Hoe & Co., Madras-1, paid a visit to the institution, on 1-4-60.
2. Sri A. L. Bagga, Proprietor, the Associated Sales of India, Madras-1, visited on 2-8-60.
3. Sri Biswas, visited the Home on 10-8-60.
4. Dr. P. Srinivasan, Leader, Congress Municipal Party, Corporation of Madras, visited on 15-6-60.
5. Messrs. M. Purushotham, E. Samaraj and other Probation Officer trainees on 1-11-60.
6. Sri S. Parthasarathi Ayyangar, I.P. (Retd.), on 13-8-60.
7. Messrs. Paul K. Mathews, Komalam and other District Probation Officer trainees on 1-11-60.
8. Mr. G. H. Mutimen, Maidstone, England, on 13-10-60.

9. Mrs. Eugin Emmet, Member, House of Commons, London England, visited on 22-10-60.

10. Sri T. Mubarak, Officer in the Ministry of Social Affairs, Bhagdad, Iraq, on 22-11-60.

11. Mrs. C. Spurgin, J. P. Magistrates' Association, London, England, on 18-1-61.

12. Sri P. Kasberg, Educationist of the Neatherlands, on 4-2-61.

13. Sri J. Isaac Albert, District Educational Officer, Madras North, on 4-2-61.

Health of Children

During the year, the general health of the inmates was satisfactory and no epidemic broke out in the institution. For minor ailments, inmates were treated in the dispensary attached to the Home. For major ailments, they were sent to the Govt. Stanley Hospital for expert treatment. Emphasis was laid in the institution on the preventive aspect of disease amongst children, maintaining sanitary conditions, and serving the children balanced Nutritive diet. Periodical Medical check up of the health of each inmate in the institution was done by the Part-time Doctor attached to the Home.

Improvements

During the year, boys' and girls' dormitories were got renovated and repainted. The compound wall of the institution, workshop and kitchen were colour washed and maintained by the inmates, without extra cost for labour. The Kitchen was provided with fly-proof mesh and the work of fixing the mesh was done departmentally by the carpentry section of the Home.

One additional Jothi Pump Set with 3 H.P. Motor was erected to supplement the old G.E.C. Pump set to bale out water from the well to the Sump.

Gifts

1. 400 lbs. in weight Multipurpose Food from Meals for Millions Association, New Delhi, received on 9-5-60.
2. The Guild of Service supplied 4,734 lbs. in weight of Milk Powder on 20-7-60.

3. Sri Charles S. Srinivasan, Mechanical Engineer, Metal Box Co., of India Ltd., gave a sum of Rs. 50/- for arranging treat on his Child's birth date on 1-10-60.

4. The National Christian Council Relief Committee supplied free 20 bags of sweepings of mixed wheat and corn on 10-10-60

5. Mr. G. H. Mutimen, England, made a token gift of Re. 1/- to the Home on 13-10-60.

6. The Provincial Welfare Fund, Madras-1, contributed a sum of Rs. 5,000 exclusively for the use of girls' section on 29-10-60.

7. Dr. Ratnavelu Subramaniam, M.D. M.R.C.P., First Physician, Govt. General Hospital, contributed a sum of Rs. 100/- on 23-5-60 and arranged a treat for inmates on 25-5-60 in memory of his late wife Mrs. Lalitha Subramaniam.

8. The Chairman and Members of the All India Industrial & Commercial Exhibition conducted by the Southern India Chamber of Commerce, gave a munificent donation of Rs. 10,000/- on 14-3-61 at the request of the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare who worked as the Honorary Director of the Exhibition.

Public Auction

The following condemned articles were disposed of by auction and the amount credited to the institution :—

1. One old Hercules bi-cycle	...	Rs. 50-00
2. One lot - 1182 empty milk tin cans	...	156-00
3. One lot condemned waste paper baskets	...	2-00
4. One lot of 160 card board boxes	...	20-00
5. One Electric motor starter	...	10-00
6. Electric pump set with 3 H. P.	...	120-00
7. Electric pump set with Kirloskar motor 3 H. P.	...	105-00
8. Iron pump set base plate & 2 Nos. foot valves	...	22-00
9. Torn mats and old rags of uniforms	...	1-00
10. Galvanised pipes of sizes 8 Nos.	...	90-00
11. One lot of bottles	...	1-75
12. 40 Nos. condemned shuttles	...	2-00

Income Tax exemption

Donations to the Madras City Council for Child Welfare can get rebate from Income tax and Super tax under section 15 (b) of the Income Tax Act subject to the limitations mentioned in that section in accordance with the letter No. 1154/D.P. dated 11-1-57 issued by the Second Additional Income Tax Officer, Salaries Circle, Madras.

Production

The inmates manufactured the following articles during the year 1960-61 :—

Textiles

	Rs.	nP.
332 Pieces dungry cloth	...	2,656—00
63 Nos. Huck-a-back towels	...	74—97
37 Nos. & 1 bit Peacock eye pattern bedsheets	...	205—50
57 Nos. & 2 bits - Bed spread	...	319—00
49 Nos. Blue table cloth	...	294—00
18 Nos. & 1 bit - Elephant eye pattern bedsheets	...	101—00
8 Nos. & 1 bit - White bed sheets	...	37—50
18 Nos. Creshion Bedsheets	...	108—00
12 Nos. & 1 bit - Belgian Rug bed sheets	...	80—00
5 Nos. Honey comb towel 1½ yds.	...	7—50
90 Nos. Spider towels 1½ yds.	...	135—00
2 Nos. & 2 bits - Fancy bedsheet	...	15—36
17 Nos. Curtex table cloth	...	102—00
	Rs.	4,135—83

Coir Rope :

1,751 lbs. Coir rope ¾" Rs. 970—56

Mat Plaiting :

25 Nos. Korah Mats of sizes „ 31—25

Rs. 1,001—81

Carpentry :

38 Nos. Basic school low desks ...	817—00
1 „ Table for book binding section	72—54
2 „ Cane seat chairs ...	45—00
3 „ Teakwood stools ...	24—00
1 „ Roller for weaving section 3' x 3' x 7' ...	12—00
Rs.	970—54

Khadhi Hanks :

The section was in charge of Basic Teachers, as this craft was correlated to studies.

Glass Ampoules :

9,095 Nos. Ampoules white RBDN 20 c.c. ...	265—30
14,349 „ -do- 10 c.c. ...	234—18
18,470 „ -do- 5 c.c. ...	237—34
39,580 „ -do- 2 c.c. ...	372—42
7,000 „ -do- 1 c.c. ...	54—46
Rs.	1,163—70

Book Binding Section :

1,142 Nos. Books bound for Local Library Authority	Rs. 571—00
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The total value of finished products worked out to Rs. 7,842—88nP., for the year 1960-61. This does not include the cost of stitching uniforms for the inmates in the institution. During the year, sales of articles were effected. The total proceeds realised by way of sales worked out to Rs. 5,421—09 inclusive of sales tax.

Tailoring

Khaki and casement cloth for uniforms for children were purchased from M/s. Binny & Co., at concessional rates. Both boys' and girls' uniforms, shirts and shorts, skirts and blouses, were stitched in the Home itself. The institution effected a saving of Rs. 703—25nP., during the year by stitching and supplying uniforms for inmates of the institution. Besides, children on discharge, were allowed to have their own cloth got from their guardians or relatives stitched free. About 21 inmates were helped in this way.

Gardening

2,352 1/2 lbs. of vegetables, greens, brinjals, pumpkins and snake gourds, were cultivated and utilised in the Home. The estimated cost of the vegetable products so cultivated worked out to Rs. 304—41nP.

General

During the year, one Printing Press was acquired by purchase at the cost of the Rotary Club's donation, as it was considered that children of age group above 16 years may handle the press and learn the trade. The machine is at present proposed to be utilised for printing small blocks, invitation cards etc.

Conclusion

The year 1960-61 was a record year during which period the institution secured a munificent contribution of Rs. 10,000/- for the Madras City Council for Child Welfare from the All India Industrial and Commercial Exhibition. Besides, the Madras Provincial Welfare Fund sanctioned for the girls' section a sum of Rs. 5,000/-.

Considerable difficulty is experienced in running the Home due to delay in receipt of the grants from the Corporation of Madras and from the Government. During the year under report, the Madras Corporation obtained Government's sanction in G.O.Ms. No. 262 L.A. dated 30-1-61 and released its contribution viz. Rs. 50,000/- late in February. The State Government sanctioned their 50% of budgetted assistance to the institution less savings viz. Rs. 38,097/- in June 1960; and the balance viz. Rs. 55,564/- was sanctioned in G.O.Ms. No. 756 (Home) dated 3-3-61 and the amount could be drawn only in the last week of the financial year i.e. on 21-3-61 which caused considerable difficulty even in securing provisions for food. In order to get over this difficulty, the Executive Committee of the Council for Child Welfare, at its meeting held on 23-11-60 resolved to request the Government to pay 75% of the budgetted Government grant in the first week of April of the financial year but the Government have turned down the proposal. It is hoped that grant will be paid sufficiently early in future.

I place on record the great assistance rendered by the Government, the Corporation of Madras, the Exhibition Committee of the Southern India Chamber of Commerce, the Provincial Welfare Fund, the Police Department and the Chairman and Members of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare, the Superintendent and other members of the staff for maintaining the institution efficiently.

V. N. SUBBARAYAN,

Secretary,

Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

Madras 13 }
23rd Aug. '61 }
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

ABSTRACT.

ADMINISTRATION REPORT—Child Welfare Home, Royapuram
—Report for 1959-60—Reviewed.

HOME DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 1015. Dated the 22nd March, 1961.

READ :—

1. G.O.P. No. 3208, Home, dated 19-11-58.
2. From the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, CWH. No. 8/61, dated 29-1-1961.

Order :—

The Government have considered the Administration Report of the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram, for the year 1959-60. The report is recorded with the following remarks.

1. Accommodation :—The Child Welfare Home provides accommodation for 400 inmates. The strength of the Home at the beginning of the year (1-4-59) was 338. During the year, 50 children were admitted, 31 discharged, 1 transferred, 15 escaped and one died. The strength of the Home at the end of the year (on 31-3-1960) was 340.

The Government find that the number of escapes has been large—15, as against 13 during 1958-59. The Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare is requested to tighten up the security measures. He is also requested to consider liberalisation of recreation facilities, so as to channelise the tensions that are invariably associated with the curtailment of liberty.

2. Education :—The Government are glad to note that education based on the ordinary avocation practised in villages was provided upto the VIII Standard in the School attached to the Home. It is noted that the instructions in the institution were in Tamil and it was of senior basic standard.

Besides formal education in the Basic School, children were taught various cottage industries. Crafts such as Spinning, Weaving, Knitting, Tailoring, Coir-rope making, Mat Plaiting and Carpentry

were taught to children. Neutral Glass Ampoules continued to be supplied to the King Institute, Guindy. The Government are glad to note that envelope making industry has been introduced in the Home at the end of the year under report.

3. Health and Food :—The Government note with pleasure that the general health of the inmates was satisfactory. Cases of minor illness were treated in the Dispensary attached to the Home and only cases which required special treatment were sent to the City Hospitals.

4. Industrial sections :—The Government are glad to note that the Industrial sections, namely Textile Weaving, Coir-rope, Mat plaiting, Carpentry etc. functioned during the year showed good progress. It is worthy of note that all the uniforms required for the children were stitched by the inmates in the Home itself. A saving of Rs. 745=72 nP., was effected by stitching these uniforms within the institution. It is also worthy of note that the Tailoring section did certain out-door work. The proceeds realised on these works were Rs. 94=45 nP.

5. Revenue and expenditure :—The total expenditure during the year was Rs. 1,35,557=53 nP. The total value of the finished products was Rs. 5,952=14 during the year, as against Rs. 9,230=60 nP., in 1958-59. The receipts have gone down. Steps should therefore be taken to develop the production and increase the receipt.

6. General :—The Government note with satisfaction that several officials and distinguished visitors have visited the Home. The Government find that the working of the Child Welfare Home in general has been satisfactory.

(By Order of the Governor)

K. CHOCKALINGAM,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

List of Subscribers and Donors for the year 1960-61

A

1. Alagiri Chettiar, Sri V.,
2. Adair, Dutt & Co., (India) Private Ltd.
3. Addison & Co., (P) Ltd.,

B

4. Best & Co., (Private) Ltd.

C

5. Chandanmal & Co., H.,
6. Chelpark Co., (Private) Ltd.,
7. Collins, Mr. A.E.L.

D

8. Dadajee Dhackjee & Co.

E

9. East India Distilleries & Sugar Factories Ltd.

H

10. Hackbridge Hewittic & Easun Private Ltd.,
11. Hindu, the

I

12. Imperial Chemical Industries (India) Pte., Ltd.,
13. India Cements Ltd., the

M

14. Mary Clubwala Jadhav, Mrs.,
15. Madras Circle Pipe Dealers Association, the.
16. Madras Circle Registered Stockholders Association Ltd., the
17. Murugesu Mudaliar, Sri M.
18. Muthukumaraswami Mudaliar, Sri C.,

P

19. Parvathi Devi Krishnamurthy, Mrs.,
20. Periaswami Chetty & Co., V.M.

R

21. Ramanatha Pillai, Sri R.

S

22. Sastri, Sri D. S.,
23. Shenai, Sri K. R.

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24. Tube Investments of India Ltd.

V

25. Vummudi Ramiah Chetty Guruswami Chetty & Co.,

Minutes of the Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare held on Tuesday the 5th September 1961.

PRESENT

1. Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Chairman.
2. „ D. Balasundaram, I.A.S. (Retd.),
3. „ M. Murugesan, Chairman, Taxation Finance Committee, C.M.,
4. Smt. S. Manjubashini, M.L.C.,
8. Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A.,
7. „ S. Balan, Councillor, C.M.,

Read the Audit Report on the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and the Child Welfare Home for the year 1960-61 received with letters Nos. LF (CA) 4774 dated 2-8-61 and LF (CA) 5097 dated 10-8-61 respectively from the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts together with note of remarks furnished by the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

“ Approved ”

Madras-13.
5—9—1961

M. A. CHIDAMBARAM,
Chairman,
Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

Audit Report on the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare for the year 1960-61.

Name of the Auditor Sri S. SUBRAMANIAM,
Superintendent,
City Audits.

Time taken for Audit 19th April 1961 and
21st July 1961.

The audit of the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare was taken up with reference to Government Memorandum No. 139889/Pr. II/57-2, Home, dated 20th December 1957. The Office of President was held by the Mayor of Madras (Ex-Officio). The offices of Chairman, Hony. Treasurer and Hony. Secretary were held by Sri M. A. Chidambaram, Sri D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B., and Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A., respectively. Sri V. N. Subbarayan, Hony. Secretary was out of India during the period from 24.8.60 to 25.10.60 and in the above period, Sri N. Krishnaswami, I.P.S., Deputy Commissioner of Police (Crimes) acted as Honorary Secretary.

(2) The Opening balance in the Cash book is in agreement with the closing balance of the previous year. The closing balance in the Cash book (viz) Rs. 24,646—36 was in agreement with the balance in the Pass book of the Central Bank of India Ltd., Madras after allowing for unremitted cash on hand.

(3) The registers and accounts prescribed were maintained and scrutinized in audit.

(4) A statement of Receipts and Charges is appended.

(5) **Result of Audit**

The result of audit may be considered satisfactory.

(6) **Receipts and Charges.**

The gross receipts and charges for the year were Rs. 26,722—32 and Rs. 4,187—15 respectively.

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2-8-61 Dy. Examiner of Local Fund Accounts

Forwarded to the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare, Madras-13.

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(Sd.) S. SUBRAMANIAM,
Superintendent.

Statement showing Receipts and Charges of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare, Madras-13 for 1960-61

RECEIPTS		CHARGES	
	Rs. = nP.		Rs. = nP.
Opening Balance	2,111 = 19	Matching contribution to Central	
Subscription	1,490 = 00	Social Welfare Board	2,500 = 00
Interest	232 = 32	Purchase of Printing Press	1,482 = 50
Recoupment of investment	10,000 = 00	Incidental charges	4 = 65
Madras Provincial Welfare grant	5,000 = 00	Transferred to Home A/c.	200 = 00
Donation received from All India			
Industrial & Commercial Exhibition	10,000 = 00	Closing Balance	4,187 = 15
		Total including Closing Balance	24,646 = 36
Total including Opening Balance	28,833 = 51		28,833 = 51

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(Sd) S. SUBRAMANIAN
Superintendent.

Audit Report on the accounts of the Child Welfare Home maintained by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare for the year 1960-61.

Name of Auditor

S. SUBRAMANIAM,
Superintendent, City Audits;

Time taken for Audit

From 20-4-61 to 29-4-61
and 21-7-61.

1. Authority for Audit.—The audit of the accounts of the Child Welfare Home maintained by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare was done with reference to G.O.Ms. No. 1553 (Home) dated 28-5-56.

2. Office bearers.—The following were the office bearers of the institution during the period under report.

Persident : Mayor of Madras.
Chairman : Sri M. A. Chidambaram.
Hony. Treasurer : Sri D. S. Sastri, M.A., C.A.I.B.,
Hony. Secretary : 1. Sri V. N. Subbarayan, B.A.,
From 1-4-60 to 23-8-60 and
From 26-10-60 to 31-3-61.
2. Sri N. Krishnaswami, I.P.S.,
Deputy Commissioner of Police.
From 24-8-60 to 25-10-60 (when
Sri V. N. Subbarayan was out of
India).

3. Cash book.—The opening balance in the cash book is in agreement with the closing balance of the previous year. The closing balance in the cash book as on 31-3-61 viz. Rs. 35,924=83 is in agreement with the balance in the Pass Book of the Central Bank of India, Madras after allowing for unrealised cheques and remittances in the bank. Besides the above balances there was an investment of Rs. 250 in Government of India 4% Ten-year Treasury Savings Deposit Certificates, and a security of Rs. 550/= with the Madras Electricity System.

4. The Registers and acknowledgments prescribed were maintained and scrutinised in audit.

5. Receipts and Charges.—A statement of Receipts and charges for the year is appended as Annexure II.

6. Pending objections.— Nil.

7. Government Grant.—(a) In G.O.Ms. No. 1406 (Home) dated 22-5-57, Government fixed the maximum strength of the home as 400 at any one time. The strength of the Home at the beginning of the year was 340 and at the end of the year 363 as shown in Annexure I.

(b) The expenditure on maintenance incurred on the admissible items during the year was Rs. 1,44,016=98 as shown below.

Establishment	Rs. 53,047=27
Labour	10,989=92
Food	58,212=22
Raw Material	5,419=21
Repairs to buildings	946=00
Bank charges	6=00
Contingencies	336=36
	Rs. 1,44,016=98

The amounts received by way of contribution and other miscellaneous income were Rs. 65,357=78 as shown below :

Contribution from Corporation	50,000=00
do from City Council for Child Welfare	2,500=00
do from Social Welfare Board	2,500=00
Teaching Grant	3,934=24
Sale of finished products	5,421=09
Less S.T.	22=10
	5,398=99
Sale by way of auction	579=75
Donation	151=00
Miscellaneous Income	293=80
	Rs. 65,357=78

As the Government Grant is based on the net cost of maintenance the Grant due for the year is worked out below :

Total Expenditure on maintenance	Rs. 1,44,016=98
Less Receipts	65,357=78
Net cost	78,659=20
Grant Eligible	Rs. 78,659=20
Advance grant received from Government for 1960-61	Rs. 93,661=00
Excess Grant drawn	Rs. 93,661=00
	78,659=20
	Rs. 15,001=80
Add Excess Grant drawn in 1959-60 and not refunded to Government	Rs. 10,533=11
Total Excess Grant refundable to Government.	Rs. 25,534=91

The sum of Rs. 25,534=91 would either need to be refunded to Government or got adjusted in the Grant payable for the year 1961-62.

Note of the Secretary : "A sum of Rs. 25,534=91 has been worked out as the unspent balance of Government's share of grant based on the net cost of maintenance of the Home for the year 1960-61. As directed by the Government in G.O.Ms. No. 1380 (Home) dated 20-4-61 the then anticipated savings viz. Rs. 14,150/= was remitted into the Reserve Bank of India on 3-6-61. The outstanding difference viz. Rs. 11,384=91n.p., will be adjusted towards grant payable by the Government for the current year 1961-62."

7 (c). A sum of Rs. 750=93 was paid in Voucher No. 862/60 to M/s. Easun Engineering Co., towards the purchase of 3 H.P. Centrifugal Pump and this amount was included under "Contingencies" and debited to maintenance head. The expenditure may have to be classified as a capital item representing purchase of Machinery to the institution. The question whether such items of expenditure on

capital nature may also be taken into account for purpose of working out the Government Grant may be decided by Government and orders passed.

Note of the Secretary : "Purchase of a Pump set at a cost of Rs. 750=93 is deemed to be an expenditure of 'Capital Nature.' Even if this is of 'Capital Nature,' it is an essential item to be met out of grants and contributions received for maintenance of the institution. The cost has been met from within the sanctioned provision for 1960-61 under 'Contingencies.'"

8. **Repairs to buildings.** A sum of Rs. 946=00 was incurred during the year towards the execution of repairs to the buildings held under the occupation of the institution. According to the history of the institution contained in the Annual Report, the Corporation of Madras placed the premises of the Industrial Home and Poor House at Royapuram at the disposal of the City Council for Child Welfare. It is seen that certain buildings are now under the occupation of the Corporation of Madras in the front portion of the institution and some of the buildings on the eastern portion of the institution are being occupied by the Executive Engineer, P.W.D. North Presidency Division. In his letter 2118/183/60 dated 18-3-60, the Executive Engineer, P.W.D., has stated that since the building belonged to Government it was easy for him to carry out any repairs and to bring some of the dilapidated portions to a proper shape. The terms and conditions under which the Corporation of Madras placed the buildings at the disposal of the City Council for Child Welfare are not known. It is not clear whether the ownership of these buildings vested in the Corporation of Madras or in the City Council for Child Welfare. It is not clear whether the statement of the Executive Engineer, P.W.D., that the buildings belonged to Government was examined by the Council. The exact position may be clarified.

Note of the Secretary : "The question of ownership of the buildings occupied by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare for running the Child Welfare Home for destitute and vagrant children will be referred to the Government for decision."

9. **Payees' acknowledgments—Not obtained.** In respect of the following cases, Payees' receipts stamped wherever necessary were not obtained and produced for audit.

S. No.	Vr. No.	Name of Payee	Particulars	Amount
1.	868/60	A.P. Kanniappa Chettiar, Cuddalore.	Purchase of salt and washing soda in April 1960.	77 = 98
2.	869/60	-do-	Purchase of salt in May 1960	12 = 26
3.	870/60	-do-	Purchase of salt and washing soda in June 1960.	83 = 72
4.	889/60	E.S. Haji & Co.,	Purchase of tools Bill No. 1099/61-62	10 = 22
5.	892/60	Jayam & Co.,	Purchase of binding materials	65 = 56
6.	992/60	Corporation Servants' Benefit Fund	Benefit Fund for Jan. '61	10 = 00

Total Rs. 259 = 74

Note of the Secretary: "Payees' stamped acknowledgments in respect of vouchers cited, will be obtained and produced. In all these cases, payment was effected by crossed cheques only."

10. Maintenance charges ordered by the Juvenile Court—Non recovery of. The maintenance charges ordered by the Juvenile Court under section 31 of the Madras Children Act in the following cases were not realised and remitted to the State Funds.

S. No.	Name of the child	J.C.No.	Rate p.m.	Period	Amount
1.	Kuppan	3096/58	2/=	March '61.	2=00
2.	K. Balasundaram	22/59	2/=	From June 60 to Mar. 61	20=00
3.	Moorthy	270/59	2/=	From July 60 to Mar. 61	18=00
4.	S. Shantha	900/59	2/=	From June 60 to Jan. 61	14=26
5.	M. Manickam	1065/59	3/=	From June 60 to Mar. 61	30=00
6.	E. Manicka vasagam	1413/59	2/=	October 60 and from Jan. 61 to Mar. 61.	8=00
7.	K. Manickam	1734/60	3/=	From Aug. 60 to Mar. 61	24=00
8.	Bhoopalan	2193/63	2/=	From July 60 to Mar. 61	18=00
9.	K. Radha krishnan	2834/60	3/=	March 61.	3=00
10.	R. Govindan	2869/60	5/=	From Dec. 60 to Mar. 61	20=00
11.	S. Christy	3312/60	5/=	From Dec. 60 to Mar. 61	20=00
12.	Jothi Prakasam	165/61	3/=	March 61.	3=00
13.	R. Subramani	181/61	2/=	-do-	2=00
14.	S. Gajendran	415/61	2/=	-do-	2=00

Rs. 184 = 26

Note of the Secretary: "The maintenance charges not realised in cases cited for the year 1960-61, had been referred to the President, Juvenile Court, Egmore, for disposal. The Juvenile Court's report is awaited."

11. Credit sale of finished products—Amount not realised. The following credit sale of the finished product of the Home was not realised and credited to the funds of the Home.

B.No.	Date	Particulars	Name of the debtor	Amount
4813	24-3-61.	Coir rope 3/4" size at the rate of 56nP., per pound.	Spl. Engineer, Special Works Department, Cor. portion of Madras.	63=98

Note of the Secretary: "This sale of coir rope was effected to the Corporation of Madras at the fag end of the year 1960-61. Supply of materials is effected to Corporation of Madras on credit basis. The concerned Special Works Department has been reminded to arrange for payment without further delay, as the amount is long outstanding payment."

12. Electricity charges from other occupants—Non recovery of.

Some of the quarters of the Home were occupied by Public Works Department during the year 1960-61. The electricity charges amounting to Rs. 87/- from June '60 to March '61 was not realised from them and credited to the funds of the Home.

Note of the Secretary: "The Public Works Department occupying the premises had remitted a sum of Rs. 78-30 towards electric current consumption charges for the period up to 28th February 1961. The bill for subsequent months had not been paid by them and they have been reminded to expedite payment."

13. Contribution collected under section 31 of the Madras Children Act—Not remitted.

The contribution of Rs. 127/- realised from the parents and other persons under section 31 of the Madras Children Act, 1920 was not credited to the State funds as required by rule 79 of the Madras Children Rules, 1940. Early action may be taken in the matter.

Note of the Secretary: "The maintenance charges collected from the parents of inmates of the institution as per juvenile courts orders amounting to Rs. 127/- for the year 1960-61 has since been remitted to State Funds".

14. Result of Audit.

The general result of audit may be considered satisfactory.

15. Receipt and charges.

The gross receipts and charges for the year were Rs. 1,64,247-33 and Rs. 1,48,122-98 respectively.

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N. RAMACHANDRAN,
Dy. Examiner of Local Fund Accounts.

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Superintendent.

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Annexure I

The Statement showing the details of the inmates of the Child Welfare Home 1960-61.

Sex	Inmates on 1-4-60.	Admissions.	Dis-charges	Escapes	Total strength as on 31-3-61
Boys	319	83	45	16	341
Girls	21	5	4	...	22
Total	340	88	49	16	363

(Sd.) S. SUBRAMANIAM,
(True copy) Superintendent.

Annexure II

Statement of receipts and charges of the Child Welfare Home for 1960-61.

Receipts		Charges	
Opening Balance	Rs. = nP.	Establishment	Rs. = nP.
Permanent Advance	19,650 = 48	Labour	53,047 = 27
	150 = 00	Food	10,989 = 92
Govt. Advance grant		Raw Materials	58,212 = 22
Corporation contribution		Repairs to buildings	5,419 = 21
Contribution of MCCCW		Refund of Tender deposit	946 = 00
C.S.W.B.'s contribution		Bank incidental Charges	4,106 = 00
Teaching grant		Contingencies	6 = 00
Crafts Produce Fund			15,396 = 36
Sale of finished articles			1,48,122 = 98
Auction sale			
Maintenance charges		Closing Balance	35,774 = 83
Security Deposit		Permanent Advance	150 = 00
Misc. Receipts			35,924 = 83
Donation			
Total	1,84,047 = 81	Total	1,84,047 = 81

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(Sd.) S. SUBRAMANIAM
Superintendent

FINANCE

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The Balance Sheet of Income and Expenditure for the year 1960-61 will be found included in the Audit Report on the account of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare and that of Child Welfare Home. The Audit Report on the accounts of the Madras City Council for Child Welfare relates to the Society-Account No. I and that on the accounts of the Child Welfare Home relates to the Institution maintained by the Society - Account No. II.

2. A sum of Rs. 1,490/- was received by way of subscription from members during the financial year under report. A list of subscribers is furnished separately in the report. The list includes those who subscribed for 'Life Membership' at the rate of Rs. 250/- per institution.

3. A sum of Rs. 232—32 was realised by the Society in its account No. I by way of interest on "Fixed Deposit."

4. The Corporation of Madras contributed a sum of Rs. 50,000/ for the year ended 1960-61 in February 1961.

5. There was a saving of Rs. 10,533—11 under Account No. II of Child Welfare Home out of the grant paid by the Government during 1959-60. The amount was utilised to run the Home and adjusted towards advance grant payable for 1960-61. The State Government sanctioned their 50% of budgetted assistance to the institution less savings viz. a sum of Rs. 38,097/- in June 1960; the balance viz. Rs. 55,564 was sanctioned in G.O. Ms. No. 756 (Home) dated 3-3-61 and this amount could be realised only during the last week of the financial year 1960-61. Every year, great difficulty is experienced in the management of the institution without sufficient funds till the fag end of the financial year. This results in certain items of work such as maintenance of buildings being neglected for want of funds. Consequently, there was a considerable amount of saving at the end of the year 1960-61. Based on the net cost of maintenance of this institution, the amount of saving refundable to the Government for the year ended 1960-61, works out to Rs. 25,534-91 as per audit report. The Government directed us earlier in their G.O. Ms. No. 1380 (Home) dated 20-4-61 to surrender the anticipated savings of Rs. 14,150/- and accordingly the amount was surrendered and remitted to the State Treasury on 3-6-61. The outstanding difference viz. Rs. 11,384-91 will be adjusted towards advance payable for maintenance of the institution for 1961-62.

6. The Government sanctioned an advance grant of a sum of Rs. 45,850/- for 1961-62 in G.O. Ms. No. 1964 (Home) dated 13-6-61.

Extract from the Minutes of the ordinary Executive Committee meeting of and Madras City Council for Child Welfare held on 23-11-60.

Sub :— Draft Budget Estimate for 1961-62 and Revised Estimate for the period from 1-11-60 to 31-3-61 for Child Welfare Home.

Read the Secretary's following note dated 13-11-60

In G.O. Ms. No-2615 (Home) dated 30-8-60. the Government have declared that the Juvenile Courts might commit children to the Child Welfare Home run by the Madras City Council for Child Welfare until they attain 18 years of age, maintaining the minimum age for admission as 8 years. Until 31st March 1960, children between ages 8 and 16 years were committed to the institution.

2. A Revised Estimate for 1960-61 on the basis of Receipts and Charges for the first seven months and a rough assessment of anticipated expenditure for the last five months from 1-11-60 to 31-3-61 is appended.

3. The Accounts of the Child Welfare Home for the year 1959-60 were audited by the Examiner of Local Fund Accounts. There was a saving of Rs. 10,533-11np., out of contributions granted by the Government for the year ended with the 31st March 1960. This is due to the fact that the City Council for Child Welfare could not carry out the work of annual repairs to buildings in the premises, in time due to want of a proper agency and technical assistance. Besides, the pay and leave salary of Police Staff on the establishment in the institution for the period from 1-1-60 to 31-3-60, had not been paid, as it was not claimed.

4. In G. O. Ms. No. 1230 (Home) dated 25-4-60, the Government, while approving an expenditure of Rs. 1,64,494/- for the year 1960-61, have stated that the City Council for Child Welfare should surrender anticipated savings before the close of the financial year 1959-60. It was then anticipated that there may be a saving of Rs. 14,000/- approximately. This was deducted from the advance payment due from the Government according to G.O. Ms. No. 72 (Home) dated 8-1-60, and a sum of Rs. 38,097/- only was claimed.

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5. The institution has to be run without sufficient fund for several months in the beginning of each financial year. The Corporation of Madras take their own time to release their share of contribution viz. Rs. 50,000/-. It is understood that for this year they applied for sanction of Government in Health, Education and Local Administration Department late and that they await necessary sanction for releasing the grant. The Advance grant of Govt. viz. Rs. 38,097/- as well as the savings had been fully utilised. Besides, the earnest money deposit of contractors had to be utilised to meet the expenses for the period, and this will be adjusted later.

6. It is anticipated that for the current year expenditure under 'Labour' would work out to Rs. 12,000/- approximately as against Rs. 11,194/- provided under the head in the Budget Estimate for 1960-61. The provision has to be increased by Rs. 1,000/- by reappropriation from the head 'Contingencies' as there will be savings under the head. The Bonus Fund collected from labour staff of the institution on foreign service with the Council for Child Welfare has to be remitted to the Corporation of Madras together with an equal share of contribution.

7. The receipts under disposal of finished products in the institution for the period of 7 months worked out to Rs. 3,423-37np.

8. During the year, a craft section for 'Book Binding' was started by appointing a skilled Book Binder. The institution has undertaken binding books for the Local Library Authority for Madras City. The children are learning this useful trade with interest.

9. The Basic School attached to the Home has on the establishment two Senior and three Junior grade Basic teachers. Orders recognising the institution for the current year has not yet been received, though renewal application for the year had been made. The District Educational Officer (North) has not so far released the teaching grant. One more Junior Basic Teacher has to be appointed, as pupil-teacher ratio in the first and second classes exceed 40.

10. Miss Monica Dey continued to be in charge of the post of Woman Welfare Officer in the Child Welfare Home until 5-7-60. She has proceeded on leave on loss of pay for a period of one year for

higher studies to Netherlands at her cost. The continuance of the post was sanctioned by the Executive Committee of the Council for Child Welfare, at its meeting held on 16-8-60. One Miss Gowri was appointed in the vacancy or until further orders. The Central Social Welfare Board has contributed for the current year a sum of Rs. 2,500/- for the maintenance of the girls' section of the institution. This amount will be utilised with a matching contribution.

11. The temporary Police Staff attached to the Home continued to serve on the institution. As stated earlier, the cost of the Police Staff had not been paid for the period from 1-1-60 as no claim had been made by them so far.

12. The pension and leave salary contribution payable for Corporation staff on foreign service with the Council for Child Welfare had been remitted upto July 1960.

13. In the Budget Estimate for 1961-62, provision has been made for continuance of the Police Staff consisting of 1 Sub-Inspector and 3 Head Constables. In G. O. Ms. No. 2960 (Home) dated 24-9-60, the Government have stated that a suitable Inspector of Police be appointed replacing the present Superintendent.

14. In G.O.Ms.No. 1035 (Home) dated 1-4-60 while reviewing the Administration Report of the Child Welfare Home for the year ended 1958-59, the Government had noted with grave concern that the number of escapes in the institution during the year had increased to 13 and directed that a strong vigil be maintained against escapes. The strength of the institution had increased to about 350. At present there are two Chief Warders, ten male warders and four women guards on the establishment. The complement of men warders is found to be inadequate and has to be increased to fourteen. Even when the institution was run by the Corporation of Madras for 200 Able-bodied inmates, there were fourteen male warders and four women guards. As the strength of the Child Welfare Home was very small in the beginning, the number of warders was limited to ten. Provision has now been made for appointing atleast four additional warders on the existing scale of pay Rs.25- $\frac{1}{2}$ -35-1-40 plus usual D.A., and H.A.

15. It is absolutely necessary that one more cook is appointed under 'Labour', as the present complement of three cooks is not suf-

ficient to cope with the work of cooking daily for over 300 inmates. One more barber under labour may have also to be appointed for the institution.

16. The age-limit for detention of children in the institution has been increased and the scale of diet for senior boys has to be increased correspondingly, though the maximum strength of the institution remains the same, viz. 400 inmates inclusive of girls.

17. In view of recent Pay Commission Report, pay for certain staff on the establishment and labour is likely to be increased and provision has to be made therefor.

18. There is a proposal to start a printing press and manufacture of envelopes.

19. Draft Revised Estimate for current year 1960-61 and Budget Estimate for 1961-62 are appended for consideration.

“Approved. Resolved to request the Government to pay 75% of the budgetted Government grant for the financial year in the first week of April”.

Madras-13,
20-11-60.

(Sd.) M. A. CHIDAMBARAM,
Chairman.

Budget Proposals for the Child Welfare Home for 1961-62

Particulars	Allotment for 1960-61.	Actual expenditure upto 31-10-60	Anticipated expenditure from 1-11-60 upto 31-3-61	Revised Estimate for 1960-61 (Total 3&4)	Anticipated expenditure for 1961-62
1. Establishment	57,300	26,300 = 04	30,999 = 96	57,300	66,552
2. Labour	11,194	5,398 = 99	6,795 = 01	12,194	14,500
3. Food	60,000	28,465 = 18	31,534 = 82	60,000	62,000
4. Contingencies	20,000	5,073 = 14	13,926 = 86	19,000	19,000
5. Raw Materials etc.	7,000	2,776 = 96	4,223 = 04	7,000	7,000
6. Repairs to Buildings	9,000	...	9,000 = 00	9,000	9,000
Total	1,64,494	68,014 = 31	96,479 = 69	1,64,494	1,78,052

Receipts anticipated for 1961-62 :-

Recurring contribution from Corporation of Madras	...	Rs. 50,000
Anticipated sale of finished products	...	6,000
Anticipated Teaching grant	...	4,500
Total	...	60,500
Net cost to be met by the Government	...	Rs. 1,17,552

DETAILS OF ESTABLISHMENT

Non-Police staff for running the Home	No.	Min.	Inc.	Max.	Pay on 1-4-61		Salary per month		H.R.A. D.A.		Deputation allowances etc.	
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Superintendent	...	...	...	...	1	250	15	400	355	365	...	60
Clerks	...	...	...	...	2	100	5	175	175	180	16=50	20
Matron	...	...	...	...	1	80	3	110	112	75	9	41
Instructor (Rattan)	...	...	...	...	1	110	2	120	112	112	...	10
Instructor (Weaving)	...	...	...	...	1	65	1	70	88	88	10	10
Senior Warders	...	...	...	...	1	80	4	120	120	122	15	10
Warders (Juniors)	...	...	...	...	2	85	2	105	95	182	25	20
Woman guards	...	...	...	...	10	60	1	70	627	627	100	100
Peon	...	...	...	...	4	50	1	60	223	223	40	40
Male Ward Attendant	...	...	...	...	1	50	1	60	56	56	10	10
Compounder	...	...	...	...	1	90	1	60	50	50	10	10
Senior Grade Basic Teacher	...	...	...	...	1	110	3	140	90	90	15	10
Medical Officer (Part time)	...	...	...	...	2	90	4	110	180	180	30	20
	...	...	...	...	1	50	5	75	75	75	...	...

ADDITIONAL POSTS CREATED

Woman Welfare Officer	...	1	120	5	150	130	130	15	48
Junior Basic Teacher	...	3	65	1	70	195	195	30	30
Weaving Instructor	...	1	70	2	90	76	76	10	10
Tailoring Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	66	66	10	10
Carpentry Instructor	...	1	65	1	70	65	65	10	10
Glass Instructor	...	1	70	2	90	65	65	10	10
Instructor for other crafts	...	3	65	1	70	195	195	30	30
Store-keeper	...	1	90	4	110	90	90	15	10

ADDITIONAL POSTS PROPOSED

Junior Basic Teacher	...	1	65	1	70	65	65	10	10
Junior Warders	...	4	60	1	70	240	240	10	10

Total per year

Uniform allowance for Matron

Establishment cost for Police

For Corporation staff

Increments

Rs.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
55,098	00	30	00	8,490	00	2,434	00	500	00
Rs.	66,552	00							

Details of Labour

Particulars	No. of posts	Min.	Inc.	Max	Pay on 1-4-61	Salary per month	H.R.A.	D.A.	U.A.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Watchman ...	2	50	1	60	54 } 50 }	104	14	20	
Cooks ...	3	50	1	60	54 } 50 } 50 }	154	21	30	
Male Thotties...	3	50	1	60	54 } 53 }	107	14	20	4
Female Thotty	1	50	1	55	50	50	7	10	2
Dhoby ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Barber ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Lascar-cum-electrician ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	
Weaving Instructor ...	2	50	1	60	53 } 53 }	106	14	20	
Tailoring Instructor ...	1	50	1	60	57	57	7	10	
Book Binding Instructor ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	7	10	

Additional posts proposed

Cook ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	...	10	
Barber ...	1	50	1	60	50	50	...	10	
					878	105	170	6	

Total per year	...	Rs.	11,908	00
Leave salary	...	"	300	00
Bonus fund	...	"	292	00
Total		Rs.	14,500	00

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ABSTRACT

CHILDREN ACT—Child Welfare Home, Royapuram—Revised Estimate for 1960-61 and Budget Estimate for 1961-62—Approved.

Home Department

G.O.Ms. No. 1380

Dated: 20th April, 1961.

Read:—

1. G.O.Ms. No. 873, Home, dated 25-3-59.
2. G.O.Ms. No. 1230, Home, dated 25-4-60.
3. G.O.Ms. No. 72, Home, dated 8-1-60.
4. From the Commissioner of Police, R.c. No. 508/C4/60, dated 6-1-61 and 3-2-61.
5. From the Secretary, City Council for Child Welfare, CWH No. 7/60-61, dated 8-12-60 and 30-1-61.

Order:—

The Government have examined the Revised Estimate for 1960-61 and Budget Estimate for 1961-62 in respect of the Child Welfare Home, Royapuram submitted by the Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare.

2. The Government find that a sum of Rs. 62,000/- has been included in the Budget Estimate for 1961-62 for expenditure on food. The Budget Estimate for 1960-61 under this head was only Rs. 60,000/-. This earlier estimate was fixed assuming that the strength of the Home would go upto 375. The strength of the Home as on 30-11-60 was only 339. Though the age limit for retention in the Child Welfare Home has been increased, the Government do not consider it necessary to increase the estimate by Rs. 2,000/- under this head.

3. The Government also consider that since no special additional expenditure under the head "Contingencies" during 1961-62 is reasonably expected, the Revised Estimate for 1960-61 may be repeated for Budget Estimate 1961-62. The Government find that the Budget Estimate for 1961-62 under "Repairs to Buildings"

is excessive. They consider that the Budget Estimate for 1961-62 should be fixed at Rs. 4,000/-.

4. The Government therefore approve the Budget Estimate for 1961-62 subject to above cuts. The Government also approve the Revised Estimate for 1960-61, submitted by the City Council.

5. The City Council for Child Welfare has anticipated a saving of Rs. 14,150/- for the year 1960-61. The Secretary of the Council has requested that this saving may be allowed to be adjusted towards the advance grant payable for 1961-62. The Government do not accept this suggestion. The Commissioner of Police is requested to instruct the Secretary, City Council for Child Welfare to surrender the savings in time.

6. In order to get rid of certain difficulties, the Secretary, City Council for Child Welfare has proposed that standing sanction may be accorded by the Government to the Corporation of Madras for payment of its contribution of Rs. 50,000/- per year without having to obtain the sanction of Government every year. The Government have examined the proposal. They consider that the payment of annual contribution of Rs. 50,000/- by the Corporation to the City Council for Child Welfare is an item of extraordinary expenditure requiring sanction of Government every time. Standing sanction for payment of the annual contribution to the Child Welfare Home by the Corporation of Madras cannot therefore be given.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department—vide their U.O. No. 28284 EA (61) dated 22-3-51.

(By Order of the Governor)

K. CHOCKALINGAM,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To

The Commissioner of Police, Madras-8.

The Secretary, Madras City Council for Child Welfare,
Madras-13.

The Accountant-General, Madras-18.

The Accountant-General (Concurrent Audit Section), Madras-9.

The Inspector-General of Police, Madras-4.

The Commissioner, Corporation of Madras, *through* the Mayor.

Copy to : The Chief Inspector of Approved Schools and Vigilance Service, Madras-4.

R.D. & L.A. Dept.,

Finance Department.

niner of Local Fund Accounts, Madras-1.

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(SD.) A. GANESAN,
Superintendent.

ANNEXURE

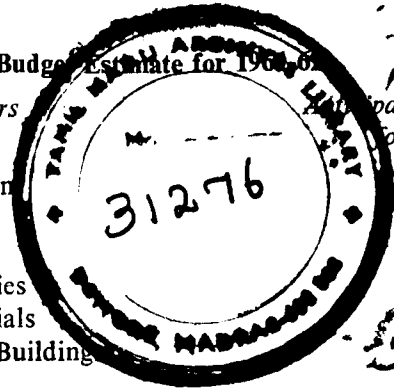
Revised Estimate for 1960-61 in respect of the Child Welfare Home.

<i>Particulars</i>	<i>Anticipated expenditure for 1961-62.</i>
1. Establishment	Rs. 57,300
2. Labour	12,194
3. Food	60,000
4. Contingencies	13,000
5. Raw Materials	6,000
6. Repairs to Buildings	2,000
Total	Rs. 1,50,494/-

Budget Estimate for 1960-61

<i>Particulars</i>	<i>Anticipated expenditure for 1961-62</i>
1. Establishment	Rs. 62,000
2. Labour	11,000
3. Food	60,000
4. Contingencies	13,000
5. Raw Materials	7,000
6. Repairs to Building	4,000
Total	Rs. 1,57,000/-

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