

Ecclesiastical (1896) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 85-86.

Dated 12-11-96

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting ~~with necessary~~ the Govt of India
to obtain ^{if necessary} the sanction of the Secy of State
to the grant of the allowance of Rs 87-8
to the Garrison Chaplain. Fnt of George, from
St. Mary's Church Fund, and soliciting its
approval to the conveyance allowance of
Rs 30 ^{also} drawn by him therefrom, on account
of his superintendence of the St. Mary's Church
Charity School.

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Requesting to obtain
the Sanction of the Secretary
of State for the grant of
certain allowances to
the Garrison Chaplain,
Fort Saint George.

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FORT ST. GEORGE,

Accountant-General's Office,

24 July 1896.

No. 2294

DEPARTMENT.

From

F. C. Harrison Esq.,

OFF. ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government,
Educational Department.

SIR,

With reference to para 6 (ii) of Government Order No. 252 Educational dated the 26 August 1871 authorizing the Garrison Chaplain, Fort St. George to continue to draw from the St. Mary's Church Fund an allowance of Rs 87-8-0 per mensem and carriage allowance of Rs 30 per mensem on account of his superintendence of the St. Mary's Church - Charity School, I have the honour to state that as the Chaplain draws pay at Rs 800 per mensem and the Fund is under

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the administration of Government, the payment of the allowance of Rs 87-8-0 from the Fund requires the sanction of the Secretary of State under Article 87 Civil Service Regulations (Vide the Definition under that Article) I have the honour therefore respectfully to request that you will be so good as to obtain the necessary sanction.

2. The grant of the conveyance allowance requires the sanction of the Government of India (vide para: 2 of Article 1181 Civil Service Regulations) which should also be obtained.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant,

H. Manickam
Offg. Accountant General.

18/24/7

Education (189) DEPARTMENT.

From

Current No. 912

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,

MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to
Government
Educational
Department

No.

Dated

24 July 96

Received

No. 2294

Subject.

Requesting to obtain the
sanction of the Secretary of
State for the grant of
certain allowances to the
Garrison Chaplain, Fort St.
George for reasons given.

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in Edl. on 27 July &
isfd: to Edl. on 11 Sep;
e wh. date papers have
got up.

the allowance of Rs 87-8
been drawn by the Chaplain
earlier than the present
ture, it cannot be an
crease under Art. 87.
the A.G. whether in
the circ. he considers
ref. necessary. I suppose
carriage all. ought certainly
find place in app. 26
the G. I. will be addressed
accordingly. At 3.10.96
await A.G.'s reply before add

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

In this current the A.G.
requests that the sanction of
the S. of S. may be obtained,
with ref: to Art: 87 & 1181, (2)
C.S.R. to the payment of the
allowance of Rs: 87.8.0 to the
carriage hire of Rs: 30 per men-
sem paid to the Garrison
Chaplain from the St. Mary's
Church Fund. The former
has been granted from
time immemorial - vide
para: 6 of note flagged
and the latter was sanct?
in G.D. 252 Edl. d 26.8.71
on the amalgamation of
the St. Mary's Charity School
and the C.O. Asylum.

It is submitted that it is
too late in the day to apply
the C.S.R., wh. are of about
10 years standing, to an
allowance which has been
in existence for probably
100 years, and as the Com-
veyance allowance has
been passed for the last 25



Copy to Mr. 7/10/96

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Memorandum. No. 2037

To the Acct-Genl 27-10-96

Read the following C. 224.

With ref. to the Acct Gen letter No 2294, of the 24th Jan last, ~~it is recommended that~~ ^{from the St. Mary's Church} the allowance of Rs 87-8/- been drawn by the ^{dated} Chaplain from ^{earlier} ~~it is believed~~ ^{than the present certificate} it would therefore appear that it ~~and cannot therefore~~ be considered an increase under Art 87 of the C.S. ^{The Acct-Genl} ~~He is requested to~~ ^{be requested to} ~~whether, under the circumstances, he should consider a reference to the Secretary of State necessary.~~

The Acct-Genl depd 7/10

J.D.B. 3/10/96

27-10-96

C.W. 3/10/96

The same fund.

years it is surely unnecessary to obtain special sanction for it now.

It is true that the fund is administered by Govt: but so it has been all along, ^{that is from 1811.}

Please read the letter from the Commissary of the Diocese at page 1 of the G.O. flagged, particularly

para 2 & 9. ^(also para 4 of Epri: Chap: 5) ^(letter in the same G.O.)

C's instructions are requested whether, in the circles, Mr Harrison may be asked also whether it is really necessary that after all these years the sanction which was apparently unnecessary when the allowance was granted did now be obtained; or whether a draft letter to the G. of I. subg: the case shall be prepared.

In good asking him to. in ref to his official A.A.

J.D.B. 11/10/96

Ecclesiastical (1896) Department.

CURRENT No. 263



From The Accountant General
Madras.

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No. 3213

Dated 20 October 1896.

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SUBJECT

Stating the sanction of the
Secretary of the State is necessary
to the grant of the allowance of
87-8- from the St Mary's Church
Fund to the Garrison Chaplain
for his house & that his account
should be obtained to its credit
whether the Chaplain maybe
also of the Govt of India for
the grant of the conveyance
allowance of Rs 20 per
month from the same fund.

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DEPARTMENT.

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FORT ST. GEORGE,

Accountant-General's Office,

20th October 1896.

No. 3213

From

J. C. Harrison Esq.,

Offg: ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government,

Ecclesiastical Department.

SIR,

With reference to Madras Government No. 2037, dated the 7th of October 1896, I have the honour to state that ^{under} the definition of Salary as given in Article 87, Civil Service Regulations, I am inclined to think that the sanction of Secretary of State is necessary. As this question will arise on each ^{fresh} appointment it will be best to obtain the Secretary of State's assent to the grant of the allowance of Rs 87-8-0 from the S^t Mary's Church Fund to the Garrison Chaplain, Fort St. George whoever he may be.

2. The sanction of the Government of India should

should also be obtained for the grant of the conveyance allowance of Rs 30 from the same Fund, to the Chaplain.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
I. Harris.
Offg. Accountant General

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allowances to the Garrison Chaplain from the St Mary's Charity Fund

on Mr. J. Harris C.I.E.

C.I.E. the Governor

To the Asst Genl (P)

Recd 18/11

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records go back ally to 1749

* vide B and C

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Order No 85 of 12-11-96
The Govt of India will be addressed.

Letter to No 86
The Secy to the Govt of India, Home Dept
/ Eccl

Sir,
I am directed to submit the following matter for the orders of the Govt of India:-

2 The Garrison Chaplain, Fort St George, is in receipt of an allowance of Rs 87-8 per mensem and a carriage allowance of Rs 30 per mensem from the St Mary's Church Fund, on account of his superintendence of the St Mary's Church Charity School. The history of the St Mary's Church Fund goes back to the ^{middle} ~~beginning~~ of the last century. The fund accrued from the accumulation of monies bequeathed from time to time to the minister and church wardens of St Mary's Church, for charitable purposes, ~~was~~ ^{it} was administered by them until the year 1811, when the last church warden, W. Baker, made over to the

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Acct Genl the whole fund amounting to Rs 1,70,000 Sica Rupees in public securities, since when it has been administered by Govt.

3. The original authority for the grant of the allowance of Rs 87-8 cannot be traced, but a careful perusal of the records, as far back as they can be obtained, shows that up to the year 1871, the Garrison Chaplain, in accordance with ^{observed} custom ~~from the earliest times~~, drew this allowance as Supt of the St. Mary's Church Charity School. In that year the school was amalgamated with the Civil Orphan Asylum, and the buildings of the Military Male Orphan Asylum, which then became available, were given for the use of the united institutions. It was then ^{decided} ~~arranged~~ in G.O. No. 252 ^{Educl} ~~Local~~ d/26th August 1871, that the Garrison Chaplain, for St George, should have the spiritual charge of the amalgamated institutions and

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and should continue to draw the monthly allowance of Rs 87-8 which he had up to that time received on account of his Superintendence of the St. Mary's Church Charity School. He was further granted ~~the~~ a Carriage allowance of Rs 30 per month, chargeable to the funds of the St. Mary's Church Charity School, as the school was to be removed ^{to} a distance of about a mile and a half from the Fort, where he has to reside.

4. In July last, the Acct Genl questioned the authority under which G.O. No. 252 ^{Educl} ~~Local~~ d/26th Aug. 1871, sanctioned the arrangements detailed above, and contended that, as the ^{Garrison} Chaplain's pay is Rs 800 per month, and as the Fund is administered by Govt, the payment of the ~~monthly~~ ^{superintendence} allowance required, with ref to the definition of "salary" as given in Act 87, CSR, the sanction of the Secretary of State, and the payment of the

and that the approval
of the Govt of India
to the grant of the conveyance allowance was necessary
under para 2 Art 1181,
C.S.R.

5. It was pointed
out to the Acet Genl
that, as the allowance of
Rs 87-8 had been drawn
by the Garrison Chaplain
from a date earlier
than the present century,
it could hardly be
considered an increase
under Art 87, C.S.R.; but
he still inclines to the
opinion that the sanction
of the Secretary of State
is, under the definition
of "salary" given in that
article, ^{requisite} ~~necessary~~,
and adds that as the
question will arise on
each fresh appoint-
ment of a Garrison
Chaplain, it will be best
to obtain sanction to the
allowance now.

6. In the circumstances,
I am to request that, if the Govt of India
considered necessary,
the sanction of the Secretary
of State to the grant of the
allowance of Rs 87-8 may
be obtained. ~~although,~~
~~as pointed out above,~~
~~it can hardly be said that~~
~~the sanction of the Secretary~~
~~of State is necessary for the~~
~~Chaplain's salary.~~

gtd I am also to solicit the
approval
~~sanction~~ of the Govt of
India to the conveyance
allowance of Rs 30
drawn by the Garrison
Chaplain, ~~if~~
~~with the~~ ~~sanction~~ of the Fund
being administered
by Govt, it is held
that this is required.

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