

Ecclesiastical (1897) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Comg: to the Venable the Archdeacon
Proo: P.W.D., sanctioning the
proposed improvements to —
in the Travancore State at an
estimated cost of Rs 4240 (Sircar)
the work being carried out from
the funds collected by the
Church Committee.

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NOVEMBER. Communicated to the V. the Archdeacon

ew. 7.12.97

The V. the Archdeacon with plans & estimate copy to the Archdeacon

A.S. Please see attached slip ew 7.12.97

Christ's Church at Trevandrum

Sanctioning the proposed improvements to — in the Travancore State at an estimated cost of Rs. 4,240 (Sircar), the work being carried out from the funds collected by the church committee.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers:—

From Venerable W. WESTON ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Nungumbaukum, 24th February 1897, No. 3433.

I have the honour to forward enclosed a letter, dated 4th February 1897, from the Chaplain and Lay Trustees of the Government church at Trevandrum, requesting permission to add to that church a chancel, organ chamber and a side vestry.

2. I enclose plan and estimate prepared by the Chief Engineer, Travancore State.

3. The cost will be Rs. 4,200, and the church committee have in hand more than enough to meet this.

4. The plans have been approved by the Right Reverend Bishop Hodges, Bishop of the Church of England, in Travancore and Cochin.

5. I have the honour to request that, under these circumstances, Government will be pleased to grant the necessary permission. The church committee are very anxious to commence work immediately.

ENCLOSURE.

From the Chaplain and Lay Trustees of the Christ Church, Trevandrum, to the Venerable the Archdeacon of Madras, dated 4th February 1897.

We have the honour to forward, for your inspection and for the approval of the Madras Government, plans of the proposed addition to Christ Church, Trevandrum.

The addition consists of a chancel, organ chamber and a side vestry, which may be used for Bible classes, Confirmation classes, &c., and will thus prove very useful.

2. We have the honour to inform you that the plan with the estimate has been submitted by us to the Bishop in Travancore and Cochin, and has met with his approval and sanction.

3. We have more than enough to cover the estimate as we have a sum amounting to Rs. 4,300 (four thousand three hundred) with Messrs. Parry & Co., Trevandrum, and we have promises of over two thousand which will be paid in when asked for.

4. We have the honour to request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government, if necessary, with as little delay as possible, in order that the work may be proceeded with as now is the time of the year to build.

5. We enclose the estimates for your perusal and sanction.

No. 514, Ecclesiastical.

Referred to the Public Works Department for favour of remarks.

1st March 1897.

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

Memorandum from the Public Works Department, dated Ootacamund, 27th April 1897, No. 32 D.

In returning the papers received with Ecclesiastical Department endorsement, No. 514, dated 1st March 1897, the undersigned has the honour to state that, in the absence of a statement showing the nature of the surface soil and sub-soil at site of the proposed additions to Christ Church, Trevandrum, he is unable to express an opinion on the plan and estimate. The information should, apparently, be obtained by the Chaplain and Lay Trustees from the Chief Engineer, Travancore.

2. The plan should be countersigned by either the Right Reverend Bishop Hodges or the Venerable the Archdeacon of Madras.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

From Venerable W. WESTON ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 10th September 1897, No. 3866.

I have the honour to forward a letter from the Lay Trustee, Trevandrum, giving from the Chief Engineer the further information required by Government, concerning improvements to the Trevandrum church.

From Venerable W. WESTON ELWES, M.A., Archdeacon of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Coonoor, 7th October 1897, No. 3944.

With reference to endorsement, No. 1929, dated 16th September 1897, on Current No. 229, Ecclesiastical Department, I have the honour to return the papers therewith sent with plan countersigned.

Memo. No. 2148, Ecclesiastical.

Transferred to the Public Works Department with reference to its memo. No. 32 D., dated 27th April 1897.

(By order.)

OOTACAMUND,
15th October 1897.(Signed) A. R. KNAPP,
Ag. Under Secretary.

ORDER—No. 3215 W., dated 17th November 1897.

His Excellency the Governor in Council sanctions the proposed improvements to Christ's Church at Trevandrum in the Travancore State, at an estimated cost of Rs. 4,240 (Sircar), the work being carried out from the funds collected by the church committee.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Ecclesiastical Department, with plans and estimates.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

S a.

your note overleaf.
No rules on the subject
can be traced. It was the
Archdeacon that addressed
you on the subject;
therefore, I think the y.o.
should go to him. The
Archdeacon is something like
an executive officer of the
Bishop. The budget estimates
for petty construction and
repairs are sent to you
by the Archdeacon. — H. y.o.

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File this slip & the
dockets flapped
C.D. & B. into the
current
C.D.
7.12.7

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CURRENT No. 41

Ecclesiastical DEPARTMENT.

From

The Archdeacon of Madras

No. 3433

Dated 24th } February 1897
Received 25th }
Enclosures 4

SUBJECT.

Forwarding a request from the
Chaplain and Lay Trustees, Tre-
vandrum (with plan & estimate)
for permission to make certain
additions to the Govt Church at
Trevandrum, stating that the
amount required has been provided
and recommending the grant
of the request.

Encl No. 514 & 1-3-97

Referred to the P. W. D for
favour of remarks.

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Ecclesiastical (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 88

From

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

No. 32 D

Dated 27th }
Received 27th } April 1897
Registered 28th }
Enclosures C. No. 41. Encl with 14 enclosures
returned.
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SUBJECT.

Stating his inability to express ~~his~~ an
opinion on the plan & estimate re the
additions to Christ's church Trevandrum
& that the plan should be countersigned
by either the Rt. Rev. Bishop Hodge or
the ^{Venerable} Archdeacon of Madras

Soon
H.C.
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The Registering
Clerk has not
marked the
number of
enclosures
on the docket
There are
Six enclosures
but he has
marked
but 4 in this

CW
6/12/97
R
What are the rules on
this point?
Should the Com^{tee}
be made to the Bishop or
Archdeacon? The latter I
presume. but are there any
rules? CW
Palm a soon comes

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CURRENT No. 229

From
The Hon. W. Weston Elmes, Secy.
Archdeacon of Madras.
10 SEP 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
No. 17297/16 Sept. 1897.
Order

Retransmitted to the
Venerable the Archdeacon
with reference to para 2 of
the R.M.D. Memo No. 322
of 27.4.97, as the plan
does not appear to
have been counter-
signed
Dated 10th September 1897.
Received 10th Sept: '97
Registered 11
Enclosures nine.
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recd 15/9/97
CW

1 by order
Archdeacon.
At the Secy
SUBJECT.
Reforwarding papers re
proposed improvements (for
or for expense) to Travancore
Church
CW
15/9/97

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From
The Venible W. Weston Clives
Archdeacon of Madras
In charge of the Diocese

Order No. 2148 dated 15.10.97.

Transferred to the
Public Works Department
with reference to its memo
No 32 d d/27th April 97

No. 3944.

Dated 7th October 1897.

Received 8 } 10-97

Registered

Whitely.

Ag. Under Secy

Enclosures Eccl. Cno. 229 with
9 enclosures
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SUBJECT.

CEW
11.10.97

Not only one plan has been
submitted signed by the Archdeacon
whether intentionally or not
it is not clear. Memo at B.
Says the plan
Re improvements to
Taronum Church.