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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
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READ—the following papers:—

I

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. J. H. STONE, M.A., F.R.E.S., Acting Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 5th August 1911.

No.—Ref. on Cur. 4382.

I have the honour to submit the enclosed plans with estimates amounting to Rs. 16,496 for the construction of a building for a higher elementary training school for teachers proposed to be opened at Nandyal in 1912 or 1913 under the management of the S.P.G. Mission and to recommend that a third grant thereon may be sanctioned under rule 51 of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

2. The fact that this school is not in existence is a technical difficulty, but until it has accommodation it cannot come into existence. Further the Missionary societies are constantly being reproached for their remissness in this part of educational work. I have satisfied myself after personal inspection while on tour that the efforts of the S.P.G. Mission to open the proposed institution deserve special consideration.

II

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. J. H. STONE, M.A., F.R.E.S., Acting Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 9th September 1911.

No.—Ref. on Cur. 4382.

I have the honour to request that early orders of Government may be obtained on this office letter R.O.C. No. 4382, dated 5th August 1911 recommending aid towards the cost of constructing a building for a higher elementary training school for teachers to be opened at Nandyal.

Order—No. 650, Educational, dated 15th September 1911.

The Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding one-third of the actual expenditure, nor exceeding Rs. 5,467 towards the cost of constructing a building for a higher elementary training school which it is proposed to open at Nandyal subject to the following conditions:—

- (1) That the work is completed before the 31st October 1912;
- (2) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before the 30th November 1912;
- (3) that all other conditions prescribed in the Grant-in-Aid Code have been duly complied with.

2. On the above conditions being fulfilled the grant will be paid as funds become available.

(True Extract.)

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with plans and estimates.
" Accountant-General.
Editors' Table (order only).

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O. No. 650, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 15TH SEPTEMBER 1911.

[SUBJECT.—*Recommending a grant of Rs. 5,498 in aid of constructing a building for a Higher Elementary training school at Nandyal.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 5th August 1911, No. 4382/11.

Submitted that this case is an unusual one because the application for the grant is made on behalf of an institution which does not exist. But the Director of Public Instruction states that he has satisfied himself after personal inspection that the efforts of the S. P. G. Mission to open the proposed institution deserve special consideration. The payment of the grant being subject to the conditions prescribed in clauses (i) and (ii) of article 53 of the Grant-in-Aid Code and in the event of the building being subsequently used for other than educational purposes the Government being competent to proceed against the mission and recover the amount under article 54 of the code the technical objection referred to above may be overlooked.

2. If the above view is accepted the plans and estimates may be forwarded to the Public Works Department u.o. for scrutiny.

P.R.—10-8-11.

Please see article 50 of the Grant-in-Aid Code and the form of application for building grant in Appendix M to the code. From columns 1-4 of the application form it will be seen that applications for building grants must be made only on behalf of "recognized" schools, and not on behalf of schools which have not come into existence. Recognition generally precedes aid and it is only schools which are actually in existence that can be recognized. The present proposal to sanction a building grant to a school which is going to be started after the building has been constructed militates against the principle underlying the Grant-in-Aid Code; but the code has been framed by Government and it is open to Government to make an exception to its provisions, and if the Government consider that there are sufficient reasons in this case to deviate from the ordinary rules, a grant may be sanctioned and made payable after the school has been actually started and has been in working for at least one year. This will however be a very inconvenient precedent, for the funds allotted for these building grants are limited and not nearly enough to meet the demands of existing institutions, which have complied with the conditions of recognition and which must have precedence over claims made on behalf of prospective institutions.

2. The question as to whether the application should at all be entertained has first to be settled before the plans and estimates can be sent to the Public Works Department for the usual scrutiny.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—11-8-11.

The office tells me there is no precedent whatever for a building grant towards a school not yet in existence. But if it is the object of Government to encourage the opening of new schools grants of this description should be of material help and constitute an inducement for the spread of educational operations. With a body like the S.P.G. there is no risk of misappropriation, but with private persons it would be necessary to stipulate for substantial security as well as an indemnity bond. If this application be complied with, doubtless others will follow and not only from missionary societies.

L. DAVIDSON—12-8-11.

No. 650, EDUCATIONAL, 15TH SEPTEMBER 1911.

М. И[АММИК]—15-8-11.

2. That department may also be requested to state the period within which the building may be completed.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR--16-8-11.

M. S. MASCARENHAS—16-8-11.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The Chief Engineer has scrutinized the estimate and, owing to certain minor modifications, has reduced the amount from Rs. 16,496 to Rs. 16,400. He recommends the estimate as thus altered for sanction.

2. The time required for completion of the work will be 12 months.

R.K.—2-9-11.

P. HAWKINS—11-9-11.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

A draft order is submitted for approval.

P.R.—13-9-11.

K. RANGASWAMI AYYANGAR—13-9-11.

L. DAVIDSON—14-9-11.

[G.O. No. 650, Educational, dated 15th September 1911.]

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ORDER.

No. 650, dated 15. 9. 1911

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training school ^{which it is} proposed to be opened at Nantygall

subject to the following conditions:—

(1) That in carrying out the work the suggestions of the Chief Engineer in his note read above are adopted;

(2) that the work is completed before the 31st October 1912

(§²) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before the 30th November 1912.

(4) that all other conditions prescribed in the Grant-in-aid Code have been duly complied with.

2. On the above conditions being fulfilled the grant will be paid as funds become available. ~~The grant will~~

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The Director of Public Instruction with plans and estimates.
Accountant-General.

E. T. (order only)

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