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Sanctioning tentatively the proposal of the Director of Public Instruction to open a ----- for the students of the Presidency College and to incur certain items of expenditure in connection therewith.

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Subject.

Requesting sanction of Government for starting a hostel for some of the students of the Presidency College, Madras in rented buildings in Triplicane and for incurring certain charges in connection with it.

ENCLOSURES.

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Re No. 3651/19

Station (Camp) Ootacamund Dated the 19th August 1919.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. R. Littlehales, M.A.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.
Home (Education) Department,
Through the Accountant-General.

Sir,

I have the honour to request the sanction of Government for starting a hostel for some of the students of the Presidency College, Madras in rented buildings in Triplicane and for incurring the following charges in connection with it from provincial funds:-

Recurring

Rent	Rs. 350 per mensem
Allowance to deputy-warden	30 ..

Non-recurring

Cooking vessels	1000
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2. At one of the last interviews I had with Lord Pentland before he went home he impressed upon me the

necessity

necessity for providing hostel accommodation before the cold weather of 1919-20 for such of the students of the college as could not be accommodated in the Victoria Hostel or who were not living with their parents or guardians. He feared the necessity of closing down the college if plague broke out again this year in Triplicane where a very large number of the Presidency College students live in lodgings and surroundings that are far from healthy and are consequently susceptible to visitations of plague. He considered that the only proper safeguard would be the provision of hostel accommodation where students could reside under strict supervision with regard to the medical and sanitary conditions under which they lived. Both the Principal of the College and my office have accordingly been searching for suitable accommodation since April last. As a result three houses situated close together in the neighbourhood of the big mosque in Triplicane have been selected. They can accommodate about 70 students and the rent which has not yet been settled will be about Rs.350/- per mensem. I shall obtain the specific sanction of Government for the charge when the amount is settled and the P.W.D has certified as to its reasonableness. Meanwhile I have authorized the Principal to occupy the houses. The Principal reports that the whole of the rent cannot be recovered from the students, who will be in occupation for only two-thirds of the year, as the Victoria Hostel which offers more advantages at a relatively cheap rate will set the standard. He accordingly recommends that the ultimate responsibility be borne by Government. He proposes also that a salary of Rs.50/- per mensem of the deputy warden who will be a member of the teaching staff and of the store-keeper and clerk (Rs.30/- per mensem) be met from provincial funds and that sanction be accorded for an expenditure of Rs.1000/- on account of cooking vessels and for a permanent advance of Rs.500/-. I consider however that it will suffice if the pay of the deputy warden alone which may be fixed at Rs.30/- per mensem be met from provincial funds on the analogy of the Engineering College hostel (vide G.O.No.1478 M.S.,(Educational) dated 2-12-14). The pay of the store-keeper and clerk may be borne by the students. As regards the rent charge I am of opinion that it

may be

x may be incurred by Government and the amount approximately Rs.2380/-
70 x 34 per annum realized by charging a rent of Rs.19 for the long term and Rs.15 for the short term per student (the mean rates prevalent in the Victoria Hostel) credited to Government as a partial set-off against the charge. I request also that a permanent advance of Rs.500/- may be sanctioned as proposed by the Principal.

3. The extra expenditure involved by the proposal during the current year will be met from the contingent allotment for the college, any additional funds required for the purpose in the course of the year being met by reappropriation.

4. The arrangement now proposed is only provisional, for it is my intention to submit proposals to Government for the erection of a hostel for the Presidency College after the College of Engineering has been removed to Guindy and the house of the Principal is handed over to the Presidency College.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Director of Public Instruction.

Rent payable to the land lord 4200 p.a.
Rent recoverable from students 2380 p.a.
Net Cost to Govt. 1820 p.a.

Enclosures.

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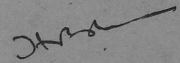
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Forwarded.

There is no audit objection to the proposal being sanctioned by Government in the Financial Department.

The permanent advance required for the hostel will be dealt with under article 137(a) and debited in the accounts under the head "Advances Repayable-Special Advances-Advances to Hostels."


Deputy Accountant-General.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Home (Education) Department.



Home (Edn) Dept

Hostel

C No. 2006A from the S.P.D. R.C. no 365/19 of 19-8-19.

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Attention is solicited
by the notes on pages
4 & 118 of notes to
form 1197 (Edn)
of 17-9-17 (R)

The S.P.D.'s proposal is to open a temporary hostel in rented buildings for the students of the Presj. College who have no accommodation in the Victoria Hostel. It is stated that the necessity for the proposal was brought to the notice of the Director by Lord Pentland.

2. The houses that are proposed to be rented seem to be situated somewhat far away from the college. Presumably it was not possible to secure ^{suitable} accommodation ~~at~~ nearer ~~distances~~ the college.

3. The monthly rental of the building is estimated at Rs 350 p.m. or Rs 4200 p. annum. The Students' contribution towards this will be ^{about} Rs 2380 ^{per year} leaving a balance of about Rs 1820 to be borne from provincial funds.

The rates of rent charged for students ^{and} viz: Rs 34 ^{per annum} for ~~board~~ seem to be

sufficiently high. The rent paid by students ~~is a clock with the certificate marked~~ of the College of Engineering varies from ~~Rs 1-8-0~~ Rs 1-8-0 to Rs 2-8-0 pm

abst. at (A)

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5. The proposal to ^{sanction} ~~make~~ a permanent advance of Rs 500, may also be sanctioned. Similar advances to the extent of Rs 50 each to certain supds of hostels attached to Govt. Training Schools for masters have been sanctioned in G.O. 779, Edn, & 15-7-16.

6. Draft sanctioning the proposal is tabled for consideration. If approved it may go to Phil. for acceptance.

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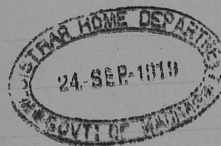
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C. No. 2006A From the DPJ. Re No. 365/19 dated 19.8.199

End of the RS in P.A. 11828 2-9-1919

ORDER.

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No. 1172, dated 26-9-1919

The Govt Sanction tentatively the proposal of the D.P.I. to open in rented buildings in Triplicane, a hostel for the students of the Presidency College.

2. Sanction is also accorded ^{for Govt funds} to the payment of a remuneration of Rs 30/- p.m. to the Dy Warden in charge of the hostel and to the incurring of the following items of expenditure :-

(1) a sum not exceeding Rs 1,820 per annum towards the rent of the building hired for the purpose.

of the Hostel.
and (ii) an initial expenditure
not exceeding Rs 1000/- on the
purchase of vessels ^{etc} required
for use in the hostel.

3 The extra expenditure
involved during the current
year should be met from the
Contingent allotment for the Hostel.

4 The grant of a permanent
advance of Rs 500/- towards
the upkeep of the hostel is also
sanctioned. The advance will be
debited in the accounts under
the head "Advances Payable -
Special advances - Advances
to Hostels."

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To the D.P. (34.12.46)
A. S. this bill 7.12.46

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