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Government of India,
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Simla, the 9th October 1919.

From
The Hon'ble Mr. H. Sharp, C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Secretary to the Government of India,

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Education) Department.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter no.897, dated the 18th July 1919 in which the Government of Madras have agreed to the proposals that the Archaeological Department in the Madras Presidency should be treated as Imperial and that archaeological expenditure should be charged to Imperial revenues. The Government of India have accordingly decided to introduce the change in the new provincial settlement to be concluded with Madras under the Reform Scheme.

2. As regards the proposal made in paragraph 2 of your letter that the original practice of giving grants in aid from Imperial revenues to supplement the annual provincial allotment for conservation works may be revived, I am to say that the Government of India consider it desirable that the orders contained in paragraph 2 of the Revenue and Agriculture Department Resolution no.7-6-12, dated the 11th February 1902, regarding the expenditure on conservation of ancient monuments should be strictly followed. When the Government of Madras have a programme of works demanding early execution and shown to be beyond their financial capacity, they should apply for assistance from the Imperial grant of one lakh. The application will be considered with due reference to the relative importance of programmes submitted by other local Governments.

I have the honour to be,
Your most obedient servant,

Secretary to the Government of India

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