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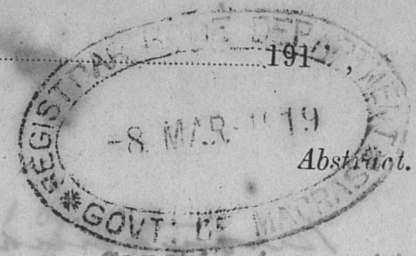
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Building.

Sanctioning estimates amounting to Rs.94,960 for the construction of new buildings for the board secondary school Tirutturaipundi, Tanjore with hostel and warden's quarters.

*Home (Ed) Dept
Encl communicated to the D.P.I.
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8.3.19*

To the D.P.I. (at Encl)

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 316 L. Mis.,

, dated 7th March

1919.

READ the following papers :-

ENCLOSURES.

No.

From the President, District Board, Tanjore, No.263, dated 18th October 1918.

Note by the Chief Engineer, No.1051 C, dated 11th February 1919.

ORDER:-

Under article 463 of the Local Fund Code sanction is accorded to the plans and estimates amounting to Rs.94,960 for the construction of new buildings for the Board secondary school at Tirutturaipundi in the Tanjore district with hostels and warden's quarters, subject to the remarks contained in the Chief Engineer's note read above.

2. Separate orders will issue in the Home (Education) Department in regard to the Provincial subsidy required for the construction of the buildings.

(True Extract)

H.G.Stokes,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To

The President, District Board, Tanjore, with plans and estimates and copy of Chief Engineer's note.

Copy to the Home (Education) Department.

Copy to the Public Works Department.

P.T.O.

(By Order)

Kuvathumatha Raja
Registrar.

M.A.D. 7/3/19.

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Home (Educational)

O.M. - No. 730A-1
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With reference to his letter C.No. 302/19, dated the 23th January 1919, the D.F.I is informed that no subsidy can at present be sanctioned for the undermentioned works as detailed plans and estimates have not yet been prepared and approved by competent authority:-

(1) Construction of a building for the Municipal branch secondary school, Kornad near Mayavaram.

(2) Construction of a new building for the Board high school, Villupuram.

2. A subsidy of Rs 40,000 has been sanctioned in G.O.No.301 Home (Education), dated the 11th March 1919, towards the construction of a new building for the Board secondary school, Tirutturaipundi. The Board high school, Tiruvalur, will shortly ^{over} be taken under departmental control.

3. As regards the extensions to the Municipal high school buildings, Karur, it is observed that the estimate for this work amounts to Rs 24,740 and that a subsidy of Rs 15,000 has already been sanctioned in G.O. No.206 Financial, dated the 19th March 1918. The Government are unable to accede to the Council's request, that the full cost of the work should be met from Provincial funds. The Council should endeavour to meet the

Referable orders will issue

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...ance from its own funds.

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To the Director of Public
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NOTES.

CN-250A. From the D.P.F. CN-802 of 28.1.11
 " 252A. " 8845 of 28.1.19
 " 253A, " 10462 of 28.1.19

Subject. Subsidies to local bodies for
 the construction of secondary
 school buildings.

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 1919-20.

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Amount by
 estimate
 94,960

There is a provision of Rs 1,87,000
 in the current year's budget estimate
 for the grant of subsidies to local
 bodies for the construction of build-
 ings for secondary schools.
 A sum of Rs 31,900 has till now been
 utilized from this provision and
 there is therefore a balance of
Rs 1,55,100. The D.P.F. recommends
 that this amount may be distri-
 buted as shown below:—

<u>Name of School.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
(1) Board Secondary School Dinturraipudi	4,000
(2) Board Secondary School for girls, Vatta Kantara.	3,000
(3) Municipal Branch Secondary School, Kornas	3,000
(4) Board high school, Killupman,	60,000

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(5) Board high school, Tiruvallur. 4,000.
 (6) Municipal ^{high school} ~~Board~~, Karur. 9,100.
 Total 1,55,100.

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2. It is only in respect of item (6) that plans & estimates are ready. In respect of the other items, definite information as to the amount of the estimate is not yet available. But the D.P. & recommends grant on the basis of the probable estimate. It is submitted that the Director proposal to sanction grant in advance of ^{sanction} ~~preparation~~ of plans & estimates may be accepted. A similar course was followed last year in order to avoid lag of budget provision.

No. 362 of 18.3.18 (W)
 No. 206 of 19.3.18 (X)

3. As regards the amount recommended by the D.P. & it is observed that these represent almost the full amount of the estimates in each case. The Hon'ble Member (Genl.) in another connection that the case of these build-

...should be an
if possible, and that Govt. grant
should be limited to 50 or 66 $\frac{2}{3}$
per cent of the total cost.

Before settling the amount of
grant, the financial position
of the local body concerned
should be examined with
a view to finding how much
it can itself contribute to
the work. The L.M. Dept.
may be requested to advise
on this point.

4. The specific works recommended
by the Director are briefly noted
below:—

(1) Trinturaipandi high school.

Plans & estimates for this school
are under scrutiny in P.W.D.
As it is likely that they will soon
be sanctioned, there appears
to be no objection to giving a
grant at once to the Board.

(2) Vadakkantara girls' school.

The Board applied for a grant
of Rs 3,510 for the ~~cost~~ acquisition
of a site. It will be seen from
para 4 of the L.M. Dept. note on page 11

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money (page 8 infra)

Grant is given
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actually be required for purpose.

(3) Kornad branch second school

Plans & estimates have been called for in this case.

(4) Board high school, Killupuram

A sum of Rs 15,000 was sanctioned last year for a building for this school. The Board has applied for an additional grant of Rs 65,000 & the D.P. recommends the payment of Rs 60,000. The amount can be settled only after knowing how much the Board itself can provide.

(5) Board high school, Tirumalur

The question of construction of a hostel ^{for this school} has been under consideration for a long time. Plans & estimates were submitted by the Board. The amount of the estimate was Rs 69,000. As this was considered to be too high the Board has been asked to

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(19.3.18)

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D. Board cannot find the money (page 8 infra)

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repared revised, & estimates, adopting the of the Ambasamudram & hostel. In the mean while the Director recommends a grant of Rs. 40,000. ^{If this is considered too high} A sum of about Rs. 25,000 may perhaps be ^{safe} disbursed this year ^{the supplement of Rs. 15,000 in future.}

(6) ~~Madurai~~ high school, Kidur

A grant of Rs. 15,000 was sanctioned last year. The D. States that the Council has reported that the estimate as finally approved amount to Rs. 24,740 and has asked for a further grant of the balance viz., Rs. 9,740. The amount ^{of Rs. 15,000} may be settled after it is known definitely how far the Council will be able to meet the expenditure.

5. It may be noted here that besides the above, the Narasaraopet Muni. Council has applied for a grant of Rs. 15,000 for a building for its secondary school. This has just been referred to the D.

FO. No. 206 (X)
19.3.18

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The amount recommended by the Director is Rs. 9,100

The Council can meet out Rs. 640 - page 9 infra

Est. No. 1164 (X)
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(Reply to this has been received. Est. numbers for it.)

A portion can be found by the Municipality (page 10 infra)

for remarks. Perhaps a ^{8.}
portion of the grant may be
given this year as funds may
be ~~given~~ available.

6. The question of constructing a building for the Bellary Municipal High School has long been under consideration. Pending the preparation of plans & estimates, a grant of Rs 50,000 was sanctioned last year. The original estimate amounted to about a lakh of rupees. Revised estimates ~~has~~ are not yet ready. ~~The~~ The Council may not be able to provide any large sum from its own funds. ^{The question of} further grant ^{this year} depends on the savings available ^{for} other items.

2. The file may be sent to the 20th Septth no. for remarks, particularly with reference to para 3 above

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No need to consider
the question now
(page 10 infra)

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This file be dealt with urgent
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Local and Municipal Department.

From para 10 of the orders of the Government of India on the recommendations of the Decentralization Commission, it will be seen that steps should be taken to restrict any tendency to increase the expenditure ^{of local bodies} on secondary schools and that when financial conditions permit all such expenditure should be a charge on Provincial funds. In these circumstances no objection should, it is submitted, ^{generally} be taken to the distribution of the available grant for the construction of buildings for secondary schools proposed by the Director of Public Instruction. Further ~~the~~ charges involved being non-recurring, the budget-balances of the local bodies concerned have ^{been} examined in order to find out whether they would be able to meet any portion of the cost of the construction of the buildings from their own funds!

The schools at Tiruthuraiandi and Tiruvalur (items 1 and 5 on pages 1 and 2 ante) ^{are} under the Tanjore District Board. The budget of this Board for 1919-20 closes with a balance of Rs.31,030 under general funds or only 2.5 per cent of the receipts under ^{those} ~~general~~ funds. ^{P(2) x} The Villupuram secondary school (item 4 on p.1 ante) ^{is} under the South Arcot District Board. The budget of this board for 1919-20 closed with a balance of Rs.34,040 under general funds or 5 per cent of the receipts under those funds. As in the above cases the balance under general funds is not in excess of the minimum (of 5 per cent of the receipts) prescribed in article 301 of the Local Fund Code, ~~the~~ local boards cannot, it is submitted, be called upon to meet any portion of ~~the~~ the cost of the construction of the buildings

* This school may be transferred to the new Villupuram municipality after 1.4.1919.

from their own funds.

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Vadakanthara girls' school, Malabar.-- Item 2 on page 1 ante is under the management of the Malabar District Board. The amount required for the acquisition of a site for the school buildings, is Rs.5,400. As it appears that the sale by the District Board of the sites previously acquired has fetched Rs.5,100 the grant now required will be Rs.300. The amount is small and may be found by the District Board; out in view of the facts that the buildings on the old site which were acquired for the school have been sold by the ~~District Board~~ Public Works Department for Rs.801 the grant required may be found from this amount.

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(4) The Karur Municipal Council's budget for 1919-20, as revised by Government, closes with a balance of Rs.3,708 under general funds or 5.4 per cent of the estimated ordinary receipts. It will not therefore be possible for the Council to meet any substantial portion of the estimated cost for the school building from its own funds. The Director recommends a grant of Rs.9,100 against the Council's application for Rs.9,740. The difference of Rs.640 the Council may be asked to meet from its funds if the grant recommended by the Director is sanctioned.

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2. As regards the Narasaraopet Municipal High School referred to in para 5 ^{of the note} on pp 5 & 6 supra it is submitted that in its budget estimate for 1919-20 the Council took credit for a grant of Rs.15,000 for the school buildings; but this has been struck out as no grant has yet been sanctioned. As the budget as revised by Government is expected to

close with a balance of Rs.5,980 under general funds or 14.0 per cent of the ordinary receipts, any grant that may be available may be given to this Council.

3. The revised plans and estimates for the Bellary Municipal High School referred to in para 6 on page 6 supra not being yet ready there is no use considering the question of a further grant at present.

4. With these remarks, the file may, if submitted, be returned to Home (Eds).
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Home (Eds) Dept

With reference to the L+M Dept's remark above the following note is submitted:-

(i) Board secondary school, Jinttharaipudali.

The plans & estimates for this have been scrutinised by the P.W.D and the total amount of the estimate is Rs. 94,960. The Board has asked for a subsidy of about Rs. 46,000 + the D.P.S recommend Rs. 40,000. The L+M Dept consider that the Board cannot be called upon to meet any portion

(Separate file)

pages 2 & 3 of

p. 8 supra

What about the balance
viz Rs 54,960?

of the cost. As recommended
by the Director, a sum of Rs. 4,000
may be given now.

(ii) Board secondary school ^{for girls} Katakantur

Please see L.H. Dept. note
on page 9 supra. No grant
need be given for this.

(iii) Municipal Branch Secondary
School, Kovnad.

The L.H. Dept. have not
offered any remarks on this.
It is for consideration whether
any grant should be given.
The D.P.I. recommends a
grant of Rs. 3000.

(iv) Board high school, Killupuram

The L.H. Dept. consider that
the Board cannot be called
upon to contribute any portion
of the cost. It is therefore for
orders whether the D.P.I.'s recom-
mendation to pay Rs. 6000
may be accepted.

(v) Board high school, Tiruvallur

^{for order whether}
The sum of Rs. 4,000 recom-
mended by the Director may
be given. Attention is solicited to the
notes on pages 4 & 5 supra.

(vi) ~~the proposed ...~~

Plans & estimates have
been called for.
Estimates not yet
known.

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p. 4 supra.

p. 8 supra.

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para 5, p. 5 supra

page 9+10 supra.

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(The amount
proposed for the
Valakamba Girls'
School)

para 6, p. 6 supra
+ para 3, p. 10 supra

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(vi) Municipal high school, Karur

The grant of Rs. 9,100 recom-
mended by the D.P.I may be
given to this school as it is reported
that the Municipal Council will not be able to
contribute any substantial portion of the cost.

(vii) Municipal high school,
Narasaraopet

The D.P.I has not yet recom-
mended a grant in this case and
the Council's finances appear
to be satisfactory. Perhaps
a sum of Rs. 3,000 may now be
given against Rs. 15,000 asked
for by the Council.

(viii) Municipal high school, Bellary

The L.H. Dept. say that the
question of a further grant
need not be considered
now.

2. The proposals are summarised
below:—

	Amount of estimate. Rs.	Amount to be met by govt. Rs.	Amount to be met by Council or Board Rs.
(1) Board Second ^y school Tinturapundi.	94,960.	40,000.	54,960.
(2) Branch Second ^y school, Korur.	Not known.	3,000.	—
(3) Board high school, 80,000? Kilupuram. <i>* Grant of Rs. 15,000 has already been sanctioned.</i>	80,000 (approximate).	60,000. (+15,000)	5,000.
(4) Board high school, Tiruvallur.	69,000 (approximate).	40,000.	29,000.
(5) Muni. high school, Karur. <i>* A sum of Rs. 15,000 has already been sanctioned.</i>	24,740.	9,100. (+15,000)	640.
(6) " " " Narasaraopet.	15,000.	3,000.	12,000.
Total		1,55,100	

3. The file may be sent to the
 Int. Dept. for remark.

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 may be sanctioned.

Re Narasimhan, the DP9 should be
 consulted: the DP9 is not aware that
 under present terms a sum of Rs 3000
 is yet unallotted.

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A no. note is placed below. After
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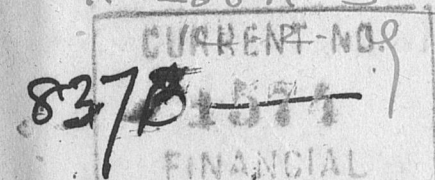
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Amount of estimate	Amount of estimate	(1) Boon's house
Rs. 10,000	Rs. 10,000	(2) Boon's house
Rs. 8,000	Rs. 8,000	(3) Boon's house
Rs. 6,000	Rs. 6,000	(4) Boon's house
Rs. 4,000	Rs. 4,000	(5) Boon's house
Rs. 2,000	Rs. 2,000	(6) Boon's house
Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,000	(7) Boon's house
Rs. 500	Rs. 500	(8) Boon's house
Rs. 250	Rs. 250	(9) Boon's house
Rs. 125	Rs. 125	(10) Boon's house

Home (Ed: 1) Sept

CM 250 A. From the D.P.I., CM 802/19
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Subject. Subsidies to local bodies
for the construction of
secondary school buildings

In his letter quoted above
the D.P.I. has recommended
the payment of a sum of
Rs 3,000 towards the acqui-
sition of a site for the Board
secondary school for girls at
Katakantara. The total
amount required for the
acquisition of a ^(new) site for the
school is Rs 5,400; but the
sale of the site previously
acquired for ~~the school~~ it
is expected to fetch Rs 5,100.
The excess amount required
for the new site (Rs 5,400 - Rs 5,100
or Rs 300) is small and may be
met from the Board's own
funds. No grant need therefore
be sanctioned for the Katakantara
school. The sum of Rs 3,000 ear-
marked

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marked for this school may be granted to some other institution. Recently, the Karasaraopet Municipal Council ~~has~~ applied for a grant of Rs 5,000 towards the construction of a building for its high school. The application has been referred to the D.P.D for remarks. The Director may now be requested to state whether the sum of Rs 3,000 referred to above may be ~~be given~~ ^{given} to the Karasaraopet School towards the construction of a new building.

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or whether

he can suggest of any other method of utilizing the balance fund

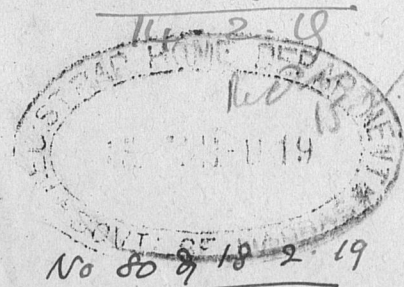
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This amount may be given to the Karasaraopet Sch. (as an advance towards the construction of a building for its high school,

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Home (ES) No. 250A-2



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with pointing the remark that urgent steps should be taken to have detailed plans and estimates prepared. There is no doubt as to the need of a building at Naranasipet. (Vide my R.O. No 734/19 S. 13. 219) 19.2.19

* Separately under consideration.

Home (Est.) Dept.

The main file relating to the distribution of subsidies to local bodies for secondary school buildings has been sent to the Fin. Dept. for remarks. This file may also be sent to that Dept.

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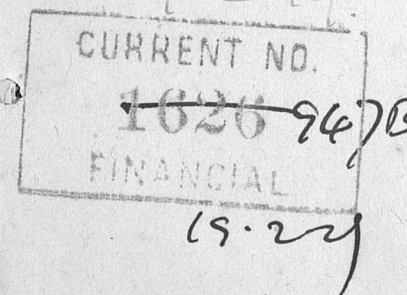
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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

GRANTS TO LOCAL BODIES FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The ~~Civil~~ Budget ~~estimate~~ for 1918-19 contains a provision of 1.87 lakhs for grants to local bodies for secondary school buildings. Of this, a sum of .32 lakh has till now been disbursed, and the balance available is Rs.1,55,100. (Page 1 ante)

2. The Director of Public Instruction has now submitted proposals for the utilization of this balance. It may be mentioned that the budget for next year contains a further provision of 2.50 lakhs for buildings for secondary schools under local bodies - para. 70 of Amended Draft Financial Statement for 1919-20. *Tag 39*

A perusal of the Director's letter dated 28-1-19 (para. 2 & 4 on pages 2 and 3 C.F.) will indicate that the distribution is proposed mainly with a view to avoid a lapse in the current year's budget provision, a procedure which is opposed to the provisions in Art. 84-A of the Civil Account Code. In the Audit and Appropriation Reports of recent years, prominence is given to the violation of the provisions of Art.84-A of the C.A.Code and to the rush of expenditure during the close of the official year - cf pages 1 - 4 of G.O.624 Finl., dated 24-7-1918. It seems therefore necessary that the Director's letter should not be communicated to the Accountant-General nor should it be printed (if it is printed, it will appear in the Proceedings Volumes sent to the Govt. of India).

3. It is respectfully submitted that it is not quite clear why the present communication could not have been sent to Government by the Director earlier.

It is submitted that Home (Education) may be requested to impress on the Director of Public Instruction the necessity for taking prompt steps at the beginning of the official year (instead of at the close of the year as the Director does at present) towards the utilization of the amounts - especially lump allotments - provided in the Budget.

4. Turning to the proposed distribution, it will be seen that in almost all cases, plans and estimates are not ready and that the Director consequently proposes advance payments. These advance payments will be taken into account later on when the question of financing the cost of the several buildings is definitely settled.

5. In regard to grants to local bodies for Secondary school buildings, the L. & M. Dept. have noted (para. 1 on page 8 ante) that expenditure on Secondary education should be a charge on Provincial, instead of on local funds.

The H.M. (Financial) in his note dated 28-3-18 (page 5 of G.O. 1227 Education dated 14-9-18) has remarked :-

"As a matter of principle I think full grants (for buildings for secondary schools under local bodies) should be avoided if possible and Provincial grants limited to 50 or 66 $\frac{2}{3}$ per cent".

In the distribution now under consideration, it is therefore submitted that the principle laid down by H.M. Financial should be adhered to as far as possible. It is also desirable that the grants disbursed in the current year for any particular item should not involve payments in future years for the same work.

File: must insist on all such provision being taken up for consideration in budget so of each year.

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page 2 C.F.

6. The several items for which grants are proposed are noted on below :-

ITEM.	Total estimated cost. Rs.	Grant proposed Rs.	REMARKS.
(i) Tirutturai-pundi Board Secondary School. (Tanjore District Board)	94,960 (page 12 ante)	40,000 (H 10-11 ante)	L. & M. state that no portion of the cost can be met by the Tanjore District Board - K on page 8 ante. H 2 + 3 CF. The D.P.I. states that the District Board applied for a grant of Rs.46,000 and recommends a grant of Rs.40,000. This grant of Rs.40,000 will, it is submitted, involve payment of supplementary grants in future years.
(ii) Vadankatarai Board Secondary school. (Malabar District Board).	..	Nil.	Item ii on page 11 ante
(iii) Kornad Municipal Secondary school.	..	3,000	page 4 ante. Plans and estimates have not yet been received. The Director suggests a grant of Rs.3,000. page 3 CF. & page 11 ante.

Item.	Total estimated cost. Rs.	Grant proposed Rs.	REMARKS.
(iv) Villupuram Board High School. (South Arcot District Board)	80,000 <i>page 12 ante</i>	60,000 [15,000 already sanctioned] <i>page 12 ante</i>	<i>Page 12 ante</i> The total cost is roughly Rs.80,000. A grant of Rs.15,000 was paid in advance in March 1918 (G.O. 206 Finl., dated 19-3-18). <i>page 3 CF.</i> The D.P.I. recommends a further grant of Rs.60,000. L. & M. state that no portion of the total cost can be found by the District Board. (K on page 8 ante)
(v) Tiruvalur Board High School (Tanjore District Board).	69,000 <i>page 12 ante</i>	40,000 <i>ie the whole cost to be Proved</i>	<i>Page 2 CF</i> The total cost is about 69,000 and the District Board has applied for a subsidy of this sum. <i>X</i> <i>page 3 CF.</i> The Director recommends a grant of Rs.40,000. L. & M. state that no portion of the cost can be borne by the District Board. (K on page 8 ante)
(vi) Karur Municipal High School.	24,740 <i>page 12 ante</i>	9,100 [15,000 already sanctioned]	<i>Page 2 CF</i> The total cost is Rs.24,740. A grant of Rs.15,000 has already been paid and it is now proposed to pay a further grant of Rs.9,100, the small balance of Rs.640 being found by the Municipality. <i>Page 12 ante</i> Practically the whole cost to be Proved <i>Agf.</i>
(vii) Narasaraopet Municipal High School.	15,000 <i>(page 12 ante)</i>	3,000 <i>The whole cost to be Proved</i>	<i>Page 12 ante</i> The Municipality has applied for a grant of Rs.15,000 and it is now proposed to pay a further grant of Rs.3,000 as an instalment. Home (Educ.) recommend a grant of Rs.3,000 and it is now proposed to pay a further grant of Rs.3,000 as an instalment. (Page 12 + 13 (4) ante)

Item.	Total estimated cost. Rs.	Grant proposed Rs.	REMARKS.
(viii) Bellary Municipal High School.	About 1 lakh (page 6 ante)	[50,000 already sanctioned.] Go. 206 19.3.18 X	para 3 page 10 ante The estimate for the work is not yet ready. A grant of Rs. 50,000 has already been paid in 1917-18. The Council may have to be given further grants. Home (Education) do not consider it necessary to sanction any further grant now, as the estimate for the work has not yet been sanctioned. (page 12 ante) As this is an item for which a portion of the grant has already been paid, it is submitted that it seems preferable to settle the question of the financing of the scheme at once and to disburse the balance of the Provincial grant in the current year.

7. To sum up, it is respectfully submitted that it seems desirable to settle at once, by a very urgent reference to the local bodies concerned, the question of financing the several buildings (the share to be borne by Government and the share to be borne by the local bodies) and to disburse the Provincial grants before the close of the current year (there are still 5 weeks for the year to close). Orders are solicited



Subd that Home Secy may be requested to wire the case to H. H. Fin

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Will Home (Ed-) kindly issue the reference necessary to secure from the local bodies at once proposals which are sufficiently definite for action to be taken upon them?
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p. 18 supra.

The Financial Dept^t suggest that the question of financing the several buildings should be settled at once by a very urgent reference to the local bodies concerned. It is however submitted that such a reference seems to be unnecessary in respect of the following items.

2. (i) Item (i) on page 16 ante - Tiruthurai -
puandi high school.

(Site in L.H.).

Plans & estimates are ready in this case. The subsidy asked ^{by the D.T. Board} for is only a half of the total cost. The estimate as approved by the P.W.D. amount to Rs 94,960 and the maximum grant required is only Rs 47,480. The D.P.T. has recommended a grant of Rs 40,000 leaving the balance of Rs 7,480 ~~also~~ to be met by the Board along with the other half of the total expense. It is for orders whether a sum of Rs 40,000 may not be given to the Board at once.

3. (ii) Item (iv) on page 17 ante - Villupuram
Board high school.

The application of the Board

page 405 c.f.

for a further subsidy of Rs 6,000
is already before Govt. The Board
has already ^{pleaded} inability to meet any
portion of the cost. ^{and} a further
reference ^{appears} ~~is not~~ ^{therefore unnecessary} ~~to be made~~
Further, plans & estimates are
not yet ready in this case.

(inclusive of Rs 15,000
already paid)

Gov. No 206 of 19-3-18

Against the probable expendi-
ture of Rs 80,000 the D.P. I proposes
to pay a Govt grant of Rs 75,000,
leaving the balance to be
met by the Board. Of this sum
of Rs 75,000, a grant of Rs 15,000
has ^{already} been given in 1917-18 &
it is now proposed to sanction
a grant of Rs 60,000. In sanc-
tioning this amount, the Board
may be told that no further
grant will be given for this
purpose.

4. (iii) Item (v) on page 17 ante, Tirunelveli
Board High School Hostel

Slip (K)

Plans & estimates are not
yet ready in this case. The
Sanction of the Secretary of State
has just been received to the
scheme for the establishment
of model high schools. The High
School

School at Zimvalur is one of the institutions which is to be provincialised under the scheme. As the school will shortly be a govt institution, it does not appear to be necessary to sanction a subsidy to the Board, ^{cost of} The ^{cost of} constructing a hostel ~~for~~ will have to be met from the PWD budget.

5. (iv) Item (vi) on page 17 ante, Karur Municipal high school.

The application of the Council for an additional subsidy of Rs. 9,740 is now before govt. The Council has stated that the work cannot be carried out without this grant. The Director however has recommended a grant of Rs. 9,100, leaving the balance of Rs. 640 to be met from the funds of the Council. This grant may be sanctioned at once without any further reference to the Council.

2. The only items in which the reference suggested by the Finl. Dept may be useful are the

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page 19 of cf.

the following:—

Item (iii) on p. 16 supra

(i) Konaad Municipal Secondary Schools.

300

Item (vii) on p. 17 supra

(ii) Narasaraopet Municipal high school

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Item (viii) on p. 18 supra

(iii) Bellary Municipal high school

(A grant of 50,000 was sent last year. The Council has not applied for a grant this year.)

7. In none of these cases are plans & estimates ready. It is doubtful if the question of financing the work can be definitely settled before the total amount of the 2,000 in each case is known. regards the Narasaraopet 7,100 school, the grant- prop 3000 is only one-fifth of the amount of the estimate. The Council is to be asked separately to get ready detailed plans & estimates and to report to govt. in much it can contribute toward the total expense year. It is doubtful if in the cases any useful report

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be received in time for a grant to be sanctioned in the current year. When plans & estimates are ready, the local bodies will themselves address govt in the matter.

8 In these circumstances it is for orders whether the grants required in the following cases may not be sanctioned at once:—

(a) Tirutturaipundi School	Rs. 10,000
(b) Villupuram School	6,000
(c) Karur	9,100
(d) Narasaraopet	3,000
Total 1,12,100	

SK
10.2.19. The file may again be sent (no) to Fmt. for remarks on the suggestion made above.

NK
20/2/19. References to local bodies may not elicit their ~~an~~ reports in time for the distribution of subsidies in the current year.

It is not the President's or Chairman's opinion that we want, but the resolution of the local body. They have definitely stated in most of the cases above referred that they cannot find more than

mentioned. Lom. accept their statements.

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With reference to the above, it will be seen that reference to local bodies is not necessary in some of the cases.

2. It is not the D.P. who is solely responsible for the delay. Plans have to be prepared & resolutions of local bodies to be obtained. Under H.M. (Mun.)'s orders, the D.P. has already been asked to expedite his proposals for the next official year in June.

3. The grants are earmarked. This payment of advances to local bodies is not peculiar to Educational. Even if the grants are actually disbursed, we take care to see that they are spent for the purpose indicated.

4. Regarding the spread of grant over a number of years, this cannot be helped in the case of buildings of secondary schools. The budget head is "Subsidies to local bodies for the construction of school buildings". I am afraid that if the 50 per cent principle is insisted on very few buildings can be put up & the grant must lapse. All that Edcl can certify to is the necessity for the building; it is for L.M. &

of p. 45 on page 15 anti

ASSISTANT SECRETARY
21 FEB 1919
GOVT. OF MADRAS

CHIEF SECRETARY
21 FEB 1919
MADRAS GOVT

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Para 4 on page 22 ante

financial to apportion the incidence of cost.

5 As it is already near the close of Feb I shall be thankful if you can see its way to sanction the present proposals

my
21/2/19

[Signature]

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Please see from page 14 ante.

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The balance yet to be distributed out of the current year's budget provision of 1.87 lakhs for subsidies to local bodies for secondary school buildings is Rs.1,55,100. (Page 1 ante)

2. Home (Education) strongly press their original proposal to sanction advance payment to local bodies.

Of the 6 items mentioned in para. 2 of Home (Education) note on page 12 ante, Home (Education) now proposes to exclude the following two items :-

(a) Tiruvalur Board High School (Hostel) :

(grant originally proposed is Rs.40,000) :- This school will shortly be a Government institution. It is not therefore necessary to sanction a subsidy now to the Tanjore District Board. The cost of constructing a hostel will have to be met from the Provl. Civil Works Budget just like other Government buildings.

(b) Kornad Municipal Secondary School :-(grant originally proposed is Rs.3,000. Plans and estimates are not ready (para. 7 on page 22 ante).

Para 8 on page 23 ante

Para 2 on page 19 ante

Para 3 on page 20 ante

Para 4 (b) on page 5 ante

Para 5 on page 21 ante

Para 22 ante

of Para 5 on page 15 ante

3. Home (Education) propose that a total sum of Rs.1,12,100 (out of the available balance of Rs.1,55,100) may now be distributed as under :-

Amount of grant now proposed.

Rs.

(a) Tirutturaipundi Board
Secondary School (Tanjore Dt.) 40,000

Total cost is about Rs.94,960 and the Dt. Board has applied for a subsidy of about Rs.46,000. It is understood that the Dt. Board's share will be found from some Chatram Endowment.

(Page 2 ct)

(b) Villupuram Board High School (South Arcot District Board) 60,000

Total cost is about Rs.80,000. In addition to Rs.15,000 already sanctioned in G.O.206 Finl., dated 19-3-18, it is proposed to sanction a grant of Rs.60,000. The balance viz. about Rs.5000 to be borne by the District Board.

(c) Karur Municipal High School 9,100

In addition to Rs.15,000 already sanctioned in G.O.206 Finl., dated 19-3-18 it is proposed to pay a further grant of Rs.9,100. The balance about Rs.640 to be found by the Municipality.

(d) Narasaraopet Municipal High School 3,000

The Municipal Council has applied for a grant of Rs.15,000 and it is now proposed to sanction an advance grant of Rs.3,000.

Total Rs.112,100

4. It will be seen that the principle that Provincial grants should be limited to 50% or $66\frac{2}{3}\%$ of the total cost as laid down by H.M.(Finl.) in his note dated 28-3-18 on page 5 of G.O.1227 Educn. dated 14-9-18 will be departed from in the case of items (b) and (c) in para. 3 above viz. Villupuram school and Karur school. In these two cases, the L. & M.

Dept.

Department have noted that substantial aid from Provincial funds is necessary vide portions **S** and **T** on pages 8 and 9 ante.

Submitted for orders whether the above proposals may be accepted in Financial.

5. Assuming that grants aggregating Rs.1,12,100 mentioned in para. 4 ante are now disbursed, there will still be a balance of Rs.43,000; and Home (Edn.) may it is submitted be requested to take steps for utilizing this sum before the close of the current year.

6. Para. 4 of Home Secy's note dated 21-2-19 on pages 24 and 25 ante.-

It is respectfully submitted that Home (Edn.) is the administrative Dept. dealing with subsidies to local bodies for education and that the financing of the several schemes relating to schools under the management of local bodies is usually settled by Home (Edn.) in consultation with L. & M. before the proposals are sent to Financial.

In regard to the payment of grants in instalments spread over a number of years, attention is invited to Financial H.M.'s. note dated 1-3-17 extracted below:

"x x x If larger sums are involved, it might be well merely to say that it must be clearly understood that the Govt. will accept no liability to find money in future years for incomplete works and that if any school cannot be finished the full sum allotted for any work should be paid over to the local body within the year"

b36.
24.2.19. C.S. 25/19

Rs.
155,100
112,100
43,000

Think we may accept.

H.K.
25/19

File no 9903-1
25-2-19

Subd. Home (Edn.)
may be referred to
the case of H.M. 17/17
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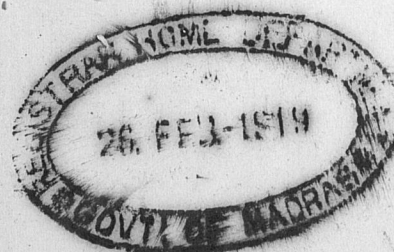
It is most unsatisfactory that we should be rushed at the last moment with claims for payment on schemes some of which have hardly reached the stage at which they should go into the budget, and we have always the Vaniyambadi case before us as a warning against advances. I suppose we must accept the revised programme this time to prevent lapse, but I think we should issue a clear warning that it is the last time and that if the Educational authorities cannot get their schemes more advanced another year the budget provision will have to lapse.

2. As it is proposed to contravene the principle laid down by the H.M., Financial, as to the proportion of total cost to be given out of provincial funds, will Home department kindly circulate to him?

25.2.4

Home (Education) u.o.

File no. 998B-1
26.2-4



Home (Edn) Dept.

A draft order is submitted for approval.

2. With reference to portion marked 'A' above it is submitted that

OM. No 206A-2
19-2-19

Removed

that under the order of H.H. (Fink)
the S.P.I has recently been told
that his proposals for the whi-
lization of the lump allotments
provided in the next year's budget
should be submitted to govt
not later than the 31st July
1919. There will, therefore, be
ample time for consideration
of the proposals for the distri-
bution of subsidies in the
next year. It does not appear
that any further instone-
tions need be issued now.

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H.M. (Fink)

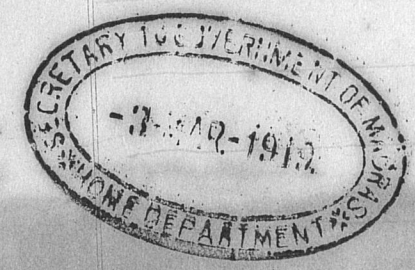
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In view of the unfavourable position of the Provincial
finances which has necessitated our applying to the G.O.P.
for an allotment of 15 lakhs, I do not feel justified in
agreeing to the disbursement of these claims without
full examⁿ or in advance of sanction being accorded to
plans & estimates. I think, too, that in the case of High
Schools it is particularly desirable that the obligation



on the Local Body to find at least 50% of the cost should be enforced + that no excess over half the cost sh^d be thrown on the general taxpayer who does not reside in these towns + is in no way interested in the provision of these schools. I am afraid that the lapse under Education can't be helped + the individual cases sh^d now be exam'd on their merits. I suggest that the Local Bodies raise loans if they can't find the funds otherwise.

Shd
1.3.19.



Home (Edn) Dept.

Submitted that the file may be circulated to H.E. for perusal of H.E.'s remarks.

SA
4.3.19.
NH
4/3/19

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HE

The allocation of funds may lie over until plans and estimates are submitted as required by rule. But the application of the percentage rule to local bodies which cannot find money for buildings may lead to this result, namely, that the Government will be

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Compelled to take over these schools, which apart from raising other moneys will increase to an even greater extent the financial responsibility of the Government.

5.3.19

Re ~~A~~ above. Take up the cases where plans are already ready.

6/3/19

Of the four works mentioned ~~in~~ on page 26 ante ~~the draft order~~ plans and estimates are ready in respect of the schools at Tirutturaipundi + Karur. Orders ~~sanctioning~~ approving the plans + estimates for the former are about to issue in the L.M. Dept. A grant of Rs 4,000 may be sanctioned for this work now. As regards the Karur school, plans + estimates have been approved by the Supt^s Engineer. The total cost of the work is Rs 24,740. A grant of Rs 15,000 has already been sanctioned. But the Council has

(The file came to this Dept for acceptance of the draft order + it has been returned to L.M.)

M on page 26 ante

page 18 of et.

This has been removed for separate disposal

No. 206 final
19.3.18 (X)

page 19 of cf

(This has been reviewed for separate consideration)

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p. 9 supra

applied for a further grant of the balance of the cost ^(Rs 2740) The D.P.S recommends payment of Rs 9,100. ~~Therefore~~ The Council has pleaded inability to meet the cost from its own funds. The L.M. Dept support the application. It is therefore for order whether the further grant may be sanctioned.

2. Plans & estimates for the Villupuram & Karasaraopet buildings are not yet ready.

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6/3/19
NK
6/3/19

SK
6.3.19
S.

Draft Sceding Rs 40,000 to Jouturapur: the other items will have to stand over. M 6/3/19

A draft order is submitted for approval. It may be sent to Dir. for acceptance.

(SK 6/3/19) 2 A further communication may be sent to the D.P.S as regards the other items after a final decision is arrived at as to the 50% limit

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2/3/19

SK
2.3.19



File (Ed) no
No. 250A-6

CURRENT NO.
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FINANCIAL

7-3-19

For the H.S.

A routine note
is subd below
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8319.

(for Secondary School
buildings)

File no 125213-1
10-3-19

To same time, the draft is put up.
after issue, the pending comes will
be considered

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Finley

Financial dept.

Subd that the draft may be
accepted.

b.s.k.
8319. C.S. 9/10/19

With a view to utilizing the
additional allotment which we
have just obtained from the Govt
of India on the understanding that
the 1.97 lakhs. was to be fully
spent, Home Dept. will perhaps
now consider whether the remainder
of the amount could not be dedi-
cated to local bodies for expendi-
ture on elementary school buildings

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10-3-19

92 Home (Ed) no

Home (Ed) Dept

Submitted that the draft was
now issue.

2. A no. note to the D.P.I. is placed below with reference to the C.S.'s note in the previous page.

* Taken out for issue.

② Issued 11/3.

8K 11-3-19

MS 11/3/19

GA 11-3-19

- 1. Issue
- 2. Issue

3. H.E.'s remarks on page 31 are submitted to HM for perusal

11/3/19

HM 17/11/19

MS

11.3.19

12/3/19

A draft memo. to the D.P.I. in respect of other works mentioned in his letter is submitted for approval.

Key Please reach home 15/3/19

8K 13.3.19 MS 14/3/19

GA 14.3.19

MS as above 15/3/19

[O.M. No 730 A - 1 of 15.3.19]

The Memo has issued.

2. In his note, dated the 1st March 1919 the Hon'ble Member (Hill) expressed the view ~~that~~ that local bodies should be ~~asked~~ ^{required} to find at least 50 per cent of the cost in the case of buildings for high schools.

pages 29 + 30 supra

Pages 30 + 31
ante

Schools. But His Excellency the Governor ~~in his note on page 30 & 31~~ was not in favour of fixing any such ^{definite} percentage. It is for orders whether in these circumstances the case of each local body applying for a grant for their purpose ~~should~~ ^{may} be considered on its merits or whether any ^{fixed} limit should be laid down as to the portion of the cost which should be met from the funds of local bodies. The file may be ~~8/4~~ circulated to H.M. (L.M.) this dom 25.3.19.

MS
28/1/19

CA
25.3.19

This is a general question. I would extract the relevant part of the notes & deal with it separately. ^{my} 31/3/19.

Subsidy. Sanctioning the ^{payment} distribution of a — of Rs. 40,000 to the Tanjore Dt Board towards the construction of a new building for the Board secondary school at Tiruthuraiipundi.

READ AGAIN G.O. No. 3162, dated 7. 3. 1919.

” ” ” ” ” 191

READ ALSO:—

C. No. 250A, From the DPS C, No. 804/19, dated 28.1.1919

" " 667A " " " " 191

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ORDER.

Mis

No. 301, dated 11-3-1917

of M on p. 26 of notes

The Govt sanction the payment to the Tanjore District Board of a subsidy of Rs 4,000 towards the construction of a new building for the Board Secondary School, Tiruthuraiipundi. The A.G. is requested to take immediate steps to place the amount at the disposal of the Board.

2. The expenditure.

will be met from the provision
of Rs 187,000 in the current
year's budget estimate
under the head "22 E. Education -
Payments in support
of Local Board & Muni-
cipal Schools - For grants
to local bodies for buildings
for Secondary Schools."

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7.3.19.
NK
7/3/19
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7.3.19
my 27/19

Revised
11.3.19
To
The D.P.I.
" P.S.B. Dargah
" A.G. Thangar
" Field Dept
" L.M. Dept

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READ AGAIN G.O. No.
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ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH LITTO.

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