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[Despatch Abstract.]

Village school buildings.

Sanctioning a grant not exceeding Rs.5,500 towards the construction of 21 ----- in the Kistna district proposed by the C.M.S. Mission and authorising the payment of the grant in advance

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Home
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For Secy.

The Geo. at Ship (S)
has issued.

2 In reply to a
reminder from the Rev.
E. S. Tamm, he has also
been told by telegram
that the grant has been
sanctioned & that formal
orders were being sent
to the D. P. S. - (at Ship W)

3 The file is under
for perusal.

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Home (Education) DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Recommending that a grant be sanctioned towards the cost
of construction of certain buildings for the C.M.S. Elementary
Schools.

ENCLOSURES

No. _____

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No. 2714/19

Station Madras, Dated the 31-3-1919

From (Name) The Honourable Mr. R. Littlehales, M.A.,
(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

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

Sir,

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In submitting herewith the letter dated 18th March 1919
of the Rev. E.S. Tamer, Correspondent of the C.M.S. Schools in
Kistna District with all the enclosures, I have the honour to
state that he proposes to construct 21 school buildings at an
estimated cost of Rs.14,000 and requests sanction of a grant of
Rs.5,500. He discussed the scheme with me when I visited Ellore
on tour a few weeks ago and I consider that the extreme cheapness
of the scheme is greatly in its favour. I recommend that the
scheme may be approved and request the sanction of Government
for the payment of the grant in advance in view of the stability
of the managing body which manages various educational institu-
tions and draws annually several grants from Government.

2. It is requested that the letter and enclosures may be returned when done with.
3. The favour of very early orders is requested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. Visweswami

for Director of Public Instruction.

From The Rev. E. S. Tanner

C. M. S.

Ellore

To R. Ramachandra Rao Esq.

Secretary to the Government of Madras
Home Department
Cotacamund

Sir,

On 18.3.1919 I applied to the Director of Public Instruction for twenty grants of Rs 250 each, and one of Rs 500 for the erection of Village School buildings, and in his letter No. 2714/19 dated 31.3.19 he states "The Rev. E. S. Tanner is informed that the Government have been addressed on the matter and early orders requested".

Now if the erection of these buildings is delayed any longer the cost of materials and cartage will be greatly increased because village labour and carts are free now, and rice fields &c are passable for carts. I am leaving Ellore on April 28, and therefore it is imperative that the work should be begun, so I have given orders for the collection of building materials anticipating Government sanction, and I should like to make complete arrangements for all the work before I leave, as I desire the buildings to be finished before the rains.

11.4.1919

The Rev. E. J. Tamm
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 Ellor

R. Ramakrishna Rao
 Secretary to the Government of Madras
 Home Department
 Government

On 18.3.1919 I applied to the Director of Public Instruction for twenty grants of Rs 250 each and one of Rs 200 for the erection of Village school buildings, and in his letter No 2714/19 dated 31.3.19 the Rev. E. J. Tamm is informed that the Government have been advised on the matter and early orders requested.
 Now if the erection of these buildings is delayed unduly the cost of materials and cartage will be greatly increased because village labour and carts are free now, and rise fields &c are payable for cost. I am leaving this on April 28, and therefore it is imperative that the work should be begun, so I have given orders for the collection of building materials out of pocket Government sanction, and I should like to make complete arrangements for all the work before I leave, so I desire the buildings to be finished before the rains.

It would be a relief and a help if I knew that Government aid has or will be granted.

I have the honour to be
 Sir,
 Your most obedient servant
Udumalai Sanner.

Address upto April 28 Ellor.

Address after 28th Fern Collage
 Kotagiri

Home Department.

Routine notes (which are not to be (a) sent out of the office or (b) included in the originals or proceedings unless the notes are specially marked for retention or (c) printed).

Le. 822/B.

Subject of file.

Building grant for village school building proposed to be constructed by the C. M. S. Mission in the Kithia District.

The main file was circulated to H. M. yesterday with a draft sanctioning the grant applied for. As soon as it returned from circ. a reply may be given to the Rev. E. S.

Tanner.

The file has since returned from circ. Please put up a telegram to Mr. Tanner.

CR
24/4/19

The following telegram is for approval:-

To Mr. Tanner, Le. M. S.,

Enclose
No. 357. your letter of the 21st inst.
" Village school building grant
" Sanctioned. Orders having
" been despatched to [the] District."

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24/4/19

CR
24/4/19
Issue then submit to Mr. C.

To be stitched
Address after 24/4/19

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24/4/19

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CR
24/4/19

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Elore, 18th March 1919.

From

The Reverend F. S. Tanner,
C.M.S. Elore.

To

The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Sir,

In accordance with your permission when visiting Elore a few days ago, I herewith submit direct an application for building grants for 20 village schools at Rs.250 each, and for one village school at Rs.500, which I believe will come under Chapter X 60 A of the Grant-in-Aid Code Totalling Rs.5,500.

I enclose-

- (i) A form giving you certain particulars based on Form M
- (ii) Five estimates,
- (iii) Four plans.

The estimates are based on very low estimates rates, much lower than P.W.D. rates, this is accounted for by the villagers in some cases supplying us with local materials at privileged rates. Also that we propose to pay cash down for all material on delivery and also that the cartage of all materials will take place before the rains, and the bulk of labour, if not the whole, will be utilized during April-June when labour is obtainable and cheap.

Therefore I can only be responsible to carry out and finish the buildings in time and at the rate mentioned if I am paid the whole grant asked for before April 30, 1919, and obtain sanction to commence work at once.

It has meant a great deal of labour and time in seeking villagers and arranging details of the buildings and I earnestly trust that you will be able to avail yourself of this excellent offer to put up these buildings on such reasonable terms.

As regards the Potavaram school (for which I am asking a double grant) it is a rapidly rising boys caste school, the present building is altogether too small for the boys, but we intend to use it for the caste girls school as the girls room is smaller, lower and more

airless, and the new building will be built on the girls school site.
A suitable building cannot be built for under ~~Rs.1,000~~ Rs.1,000 and
I can only raise for this building Rs.500, and hence the request for
the higher amount.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd.) -----

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NOTES.
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Subject.

Building grant.

P. 2 & 4 c.f.

P. 1, c. f.

Home (Edw.)

6.706/B, from the D.P.D., Re-2714/19, 31.3.19.

The corresponding of the L.M.S. Schools in the District: proposes to construct 21 village school buildings at an estimated cost of Rs 14,000 and applies for a grant of Rs 8,500. The D.P.D. recommends it and asks for sanction for the payment of the grant in advance.

2 The rules regulating payment of grants in aid of village school houses are contained in Art. 60. A. of the Grant-in-Aid Code. But this article evidently presupposes the raising of Subscriptive among villagers and contemplates a grant not exceeding Rs 250 in each case, for it recites "that a village school which has received aid under this Chapter shall remain the property of the village and will be in immediate charge of the village municipality". So far therefore as the property in the building now proposed and their control is concerned, Art. 60. A. cannot apply. The grant must therefore be sanctioned under the ordinary provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Code relating to building grants (~~under~~ Ch. VIII) and the

management should be asked to execute a mortgage deed under Act 53. Otherwise the Govt. will have no hold on the school building.

3 The next question is as to the amount of the Grant-in-Aid and its advance payment. The aggregate amount admissible under Act 60-A is at the rate of Rs 250 per school i.e. Rs 5250 for 21 schools. The management asks for Rs 250 more because one of the 21 schools building is for a rapidly growing school for which better accommodation has presumably to be provided (which is much less than scope of the estimated cost of Rs 10000). The amount of Rs 5500 may therefore be sanctioned. It is not usual to pay these grants before the completion of building & submission of accounts in support of expenditure. It is however stated that the management is anxious to complete the building during the prevailing summer months when labour is comparatively cheap. The D.P.T. says that the managing body the grant may be paid in advance. For precedents in which advance payments have been sanctioned please see G.O's 130 & 131 dated 21/5th Feb 1917.

p. 3, c. f.

p. 3, c. f.

(P) * (X)

~~Proceeding~~ The Director's recommendation
(if submitted)
tion may be accepted, he being asked
to take from the management in
due course the usual mortgage deed.

4.4.19 P.B.D. may be asked to advise
whether we can accept the
estimate as forwarded by
the D. P.I. We cannot altogether
dispense with the even cursory
examination of that report, as
the case does not wholly come under
Chapter X of the Code & we do not
need any elaborate scrutiny such
as that contemplated in Chapter VIII
that report may be requested to read the case
in full.

5/4/19

Presumably the D.P.D. is satisfied of
the soundness of the plan. P.W.D. can
advise only about the structural
stability of these bulgys. They are petty
buildings or poor buildings, would
be classed under Civil Miscellaneous
petty works. So it would be sufficient
if in the sanction order we insert a
condition that the work is done to the
satisfaction of the inspecting officers.
I am for sanctioning all the D.P.D.

Encl. 1000 copies to have
 drawn up for conference
 the simple draft in
 the two languages
 which had left the 1000
 made him work the
 paper in regard to
 the next week 22
 9/16/49

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READ AGAIN G.O. No., dated 191

READ ALSO:—

C. No. 706/ From the D.P. 9, Rec; No. 2714/ dated 31-3-1919

ORDER.

No. 520, dated 24.4. 1919

Net

The Govt. are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding Rs 5,500 towards the construction of 21 village school buildings in the places ~~specified~~ ^{specified} by the P.W.D. E. S. Tannar ^{the} Correspondent for the L. M. S. Schools in the Kistna Dist. of the School.

2 The D. P. I. is also authorized, as a special case, to disburse the grant in advance: but he is requested to see that the

buildings are constructed
to the satisfaction of the
inspecting officers concerned
and that the mortgage bond
contemplated by Art. 53
of the Gamb. W. Act Code
is executed by the manage-
ment in due course.

Sarg's note - p. 3, N.F.

Sarg's marginal note - p. 3, N.F.

To the D. P. S.
A. S. (H. S. J. S.)
Financial Dept.

When given for copying
When copied
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When signed

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

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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