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G.O. No. 1711

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Grant.

Building--Railway School at Golden Rock--reconsideration
of orders--negatived.

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CODE A.R. C. TELEGRAPHIC
5TH EDITION.
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
"SILVIA"
TRICHINOPOLY.

South Indian Railway Company, Ltd.

(Incorporated in England)

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AGENT'S OFFICE 29/3/26

No. A.C.S.1897/74/1 /132

Trichinopoly, 26th March 1926.

From

THE ACTING AGENT,

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY.



To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Law (Education) Department,

Madras.

Law (Education) Dept

Encl. 1282 A-1

Referred to the Director
of Public Instruction for remarks.

To the Director of
Public Instruction.

SIR,

Chamamunachan 31/3
Assistant Secretary to Govt.
24/3/26

Central Workshops and Town Scheme
Railway School at Golden Rock.

Adverting to your letter No.1798 of 21st November 1924,

I have the honour to address you again in the matter of building grant for the Railway School at Golden Rock.

2. The District Educational Council in their Resolution No.426 dated 30th August 1924, mentioned the Government type design of school to accommodate 400 children which was estimated to cost Rs.10,000/-

3. I have been in communication with the Secretary to the Government Public Works Department (General, Buildings and Roads) who informs me in his letter No.965 Wks A/25 C.R. dated 18th May 1925, that no type design for an elementary school to accommodate 400 children has been issued by his Department. He, however, has sent me type designs for elementary schools to accommodate 50, 100 and 150 children respectively.

4. Upon examination, it is observed that these designs were apparently drawn in 1923, and bear no resemblance whatever to the Diagram No.C.A.306/17 issued by the Ministry of Education, nor do they satisfy any of the conditions prescribed in the Government Order No.208 dated 21st February 1922, published for "the guidance of persons about to prepare designs for schools in

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Madras Presidency" for which Government aid would be sought.

5. From the designs themselves it will be seen that the principal materials proposed to be used are:- mud, untrimmed casuarina poles, bamboo and thatching, the floor being of sand.

6. Generally speaking, the buildings appear to be designed to conform with the characteristics of a small village consisting of mud huts.

7. After careful consideration, I am unable to adopt these designs at Golden Rock for the following reasons:-

- i. The buildings would prove extremely inconvenient in actual use.
- ii. They would be very costly to maintain on account of the perishable nature of the materials proposed to be used.
- iii. The risk of being destroyed by fire would be considerable.
- iv. They do not provide accommodation which is up to anything approaching the standard which has hitherto been adopted by the Company, in erecting their school buildings.

8. In the plans for the school at Golden Rock, the instructions issued by the Government in their order No.208 dated 21st February 1922 referred to in para 4 above have been followed very closely; partly because it might be supposed (from the detailed nature of the instructions, and the authoritative fashion in which they were issued) that school buildings which did not comply with them, would, henceforth, not receive the Government grant, and partly from the fact that the instructions themselves were in accordance with what is generally recognised to be sound design and good practice.

9. In these circumstances I request that the Government will be pleased to sanction a moiety of the cost of the school building as designed and estimated by this Administration and sanctioned by the Home and Railway Boards.

10. In reference to para 2 of your letter referred to in the opening paragraph of this letter, I am to inform you that the Elementary School has been opened and recognised under the Elementary Education Act and is now located in temporary quarters, pending provision of suitable accommodation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Subramanian
PAG. Agent.

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(R)

THE AGING AGENT

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY

L. No 1788A 3
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C.M. 98-110,258-5-10-23

REMINDER

To

The Director of Public Instruction

The undersigned ~~has the honour to invite~~
is directed to invite
~~invites~~

attention to the communication noted in the

Encl. No. 1282A1, dated 1-4-26 margin and to
request that

this reminder may be returned at once with
information as to—

- (1) the stage at which the matter now is, and
- (2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
- (3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

2. It is requested that the reply to this
reminder may be sent not later than

Office Law Dept.
Station Post Office.
Dated 11th May 1926.
Signature.
Assistant Secretary.
Designation.

SUBJECT.

Central Workshop and
Lower Scheme Elementary
School, Golden Rock -
S.I. Ry.

To

The Secretary to Govt.,

Law (Education) Department.

REPLY.

Retransmitted.

2. The District Educational Officer
Trichinopoly has been addressed in
the matter and his reply is awaited.
The papers will be resubmitted on
receipt of the District Educational
Officer's reply.

A. Rama Ray
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for Director of Public Instruction

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Law Dept.

The D.P.O. may be
reminded again, if
necessary, on 15-6-26.

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26/4/26

REMINDER.

Law DEPARTMENT.
Education Branch.

REPLY.

C.F. 98-132,232-9-9-24

To THE Director of Public Instruction

To THE Secretary to Government
Law (Education) Department.

The undersigned has the honour to invite
is directed to invite
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attention to the communication noted in the
margin and to
request that
this reminder may be returned at once with
information as to—

- (1) the stage at which the matter now is, and
- (2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
- (3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.

2. It is requested that the reply to this reminder may be sent not later than

Re-transmitted.

2. The papers have been forwarded to the President, District Educational Council, Trichinopoly for the views of the council in the matter. They will be resubmitted on receipt.

Office Law Department

Station Fort St. George

Dated 15th June 1926.

Signature.

Assistant Secretary

Designation.

for Director of Public Instruction

SUBJECT.

Central Workshop and Jans Scheme
Elementary School, Golden
Rock - S.I. Ry.

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No. A.C.S. 1897/74/1/134

AGENT'S OFFICE.

Trichinopoly, 28th June

1926



THE ACTING AGENT,

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY.

The Secretary to Government,

Law Education Department,

Madras.

SIR,

Central Workshops and Town Scheme

Railway School at Golden Rock.

With reference to my letter No. A.C.S. 1897/74/1/132 dated 26th March 1926, I have the honour to request that early orders may be passed in the matter ~~for~~ building grant ~~for~~ the Railway School at Golden Rock.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

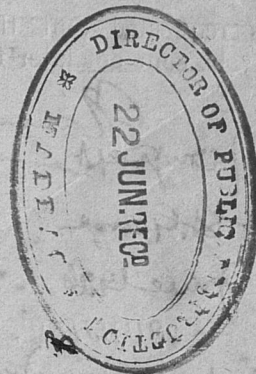
Law Dept.

Abrahamam
for Ag. Agent.

The Agent's letter was referred to the S.P.D. for remarks in cont. No. 1282A, 1.6.26, and the S.P.D.'s reply is awaited. The S.P.D. has reported that a reference has been made to the D.C. Trichinopoly. The Director's reply may be awaited till 1.8.26. Meanwhile an interim reply may be sent to the Agent. Draft letter submitted.

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Letter 1252 A-2
ref. 2.7.26.

To.
The Agent,
S.I. Ry.
Trichinopoly.

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DESPATCHED
2nd JUL 1926

Sir;

Building grant for the
proposed Railway School at
Golden Rock - Correspondence
ending with your letter No A.C.S.
1897/11/1/134, of 28-6-26.

I am directed to say
that the matter is under
reference to correspondence with the D.T.O.
and that orders will be passed
as early as possible after the
Director's reply is received.

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REMINDER.

To THE Director of Public Instruction

The undersigned ^{has the honour to invite} is directed to invite ^{invites} attention to the communication noted in the margin and to request that this reminder may be returned at once with information as to—

- (1) the stage at which the matter now is, and
 - (2) the date by which a reply may be expected, and
 - (3) the circumstances which have caused the delay.
2. It is requested that the reply to this reminder may be sent not later than—

Office Law Commission

Station For S. I. Ry.

Dated 3. 8. 26.

SUBJECT.

Railway School at Golden Rock - S. I. Ry.

DEPARTMENT.

Law Education Branch.

REPLY.

To THE Secretary to Government, Law (Education) Department

Re-transmitted.

2. The District Educational Officer, Trichinopoly has been addressed to furnish certain particulars in the matter. As soon as his reply is received, the papers will be resubmitted.

For Director of Public Instruction.

Signature.

Assistant Secretary

Designation.

Law Commission

May be reminded again, if necessary, on 10. 9. 26.

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DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

Central Workshops and Town Scheme
Railway School at Golden Rock

ENCLOSURES.

No.

R.O.C No 809 B/26

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Station Madras Dated the 14th August 1926

From (Name) R.G. Grieve Esq., M.A.,

(Designation) Ag: Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras

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Department.

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Resubmitted

2. The position has not changed in any way.

3. As the strength and attendance of the

school are only 120 and 88 respectively the District Educational Council does not recommend any grant for a building at such enormous cost and I agree with the Council's recommendation.

Rama Ray
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For Director of Public Instruction

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Law (Gov) Dept.

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Grant

Building - Railway School
at Golden Rock - Reconsideration
of orders - Regatived

To

The Agent,
S. I. Ry.

Sir,

Building grant for
the Railway School at Golden
Rock.

With reference
to your letter No. A.C.S. 1897/74/1/132,
dated the 26th March 1926,
I am directed to say that
the position ^{as} explained in
my letter No. 1798, Law (Gov),
of 21.11.24, has not
changed in any way and
that the Govt. ^(regret that they) are ~~unable~~ ^{unable}
to reconsider their ^{decision} question.



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Cop to the D.P.D. (with ref. to his
encl. No. 809B, 2/4.8.26)

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DETTO.

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