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G.O. No. 233

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Subsidy:- Municipal High School, Tiruvannamalai building - reconsi-
deration of orders - Declined.

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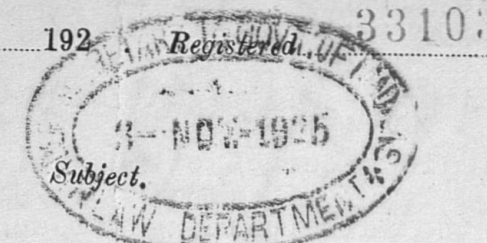
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DEPARTMENT.



Requesting to make a grant towards
towards the construction of the ml high
School building.

ENCLOSURES.

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Station Tiruvannamalai, Dated the 27th October 1925.

From (Name) M.R.RY.T.S.Muthukumarasami Mudaliar Avl.,
(Designation) Chairman, Municipal Council,
Tiruvannamalai.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
(Law) Local self Government Department.
Madras.

24-25.
24-25.

With reference to G.O.No. 1476 Mis.Law.(Edn)

department dated 25-8-25, I have the honour to state that the information
given by the Director of Public Instruction regarding the expenditure
on the main building appears wrong and the following is the correct
information.

(2) The cost of the site purchased was Rs 4635 & the cost of construction
Rs 13393. There was only a donation of Rs 7000/- when the building was
commenced and brought to completion. Deducting this and the amount of
grant by the Government from the total of the above two expenditure, the
net sum met from the Municipal funds was Rs 6828/- and not 1828 as reported
by the Director of Public Instruction. In para 4 of the Director's
Endorsement, he says that the grant represents 2/3 of the net expenditure

Total { 4635
13,393
18,028

but this is not the case. It was only a little over 1/3.

(3) Regarding the additional building the cost came up to Rs 10726/-
Deducting the sale proceeds of the building gifted by the father of
the donor for the main building for school purposes, the net expenditure
was Rs 5726 and not Rs 12554 as reported by the Director of Public
Instruction on this building.

(4) The total amount met from Municipal funds on the above two
was therefore Rs 12554/- ~~and this was met from Municipal funds.~~
The remarks of the Director of Public Instruction that he found
no case for increasing the grant are baseless. The site and the
construction of a school building were already approved by the
Government and as the main building was found insufficient, it was
only extended. I do not see any rule under which the departmental
sanction was necessary in cases of extensions. Even granting that
it was necessary, the Government should not take advantage of the
technical omission to obtain the previous sanction but should view
sympathetically and make a suitable grant towards the construction.
In the inspection reports of the school the Educational Officer had
remarked that the management should provide for additional accommodation

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

CHAIRMAN.

Me
28x15

11026
5726
16754

Law (Edn) Dept.

The question of ~~the~~ increase
the subsidy of Rs. 4,200 already
paid towards the construction of the
main building and of ~~the~~ payment
of an additional subsidy for
extensions to the buildings ~~can~~
executed by the Municipal Council.
Tiruvannamalai, has been fully considered
in G.O. No. 1476 Law (Edn) 25.8.25.
The net amount spent from Municipal
funds on the main building and the
extensions amounted to Rs. 12554.
L.S. G. who were requested to
examine the financial condition
of the Council. Stated that the
Council did not require any help
from Govt on account of the expenditure
on the school buildings already
incurred by it.

The Chairman has not
contradicted the figures given by
the D.P.I. ~~and~~ apart
from slight variations in the minor
details the total amount ~~spent~~
from Municipal funds, according
to the Chairman's account, was
Rs. 12554. This is quite in accord
with

G.O. 761 ED
11.6.1917 (2)

(W)

P.2 C.F.

799 (W)

para 4, p 2 of C.F.

with the figure given by the Director. para 3, p 2
 It ^(may) be ^{mentioned} that the Council's request for additional subsidy was negatived because of the fact that it did not stand in need of any help from Govt. and not on account of its admission to obtain the previous sanction of Govt. Besides this, no new considerations have been ~~put forward~~ to justify a reconsideration of the orders in G.O. No. 1476 (Edn) of 25.8.25. In these circumstances it seems unnecessary to consult the D.P.J. again as suggested by L.S.G. The file may be sent to that Dept. again.

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 4.12
 L.S.G.

It cannot be said that either the D.P.J. or the chairman is wrong. Both of them agree as to the amount of the donations received ^(Rs 12000) and the total expenditure of municipal funds on the building. (Rs 12554). A grant of Rs 4200 has already been paid and it is proposed not to give any more grants as the Council



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G.O. at flag 2

Can itself meet its expenses. May be enough be accepted?

The draft may be accepted.
 M
 10.12.25

See 4
 Law (Edn) no.

D.P.J. says it was only Rs. 1828 p. 2
 33508
 11169

acc. to D.P.J.
 The m. l. has spent Rs 6028 original B.P.
 + Rs 10726 extension.
 Rs 16754 Total.

12554
 8372
 4200
 4177

2/3 of this is Rs 11169.

The Govt. has contributed so far Rs 4200

If they were to bear 2/3 of this which net cost to the Govt. they would have to pay Rs 6969 in add.

The difference between the D.P.J. & the Chairman is that the former puts donations at Rs 12000 & the latter at Rs 7000; & a further Rs 5000 being raised towards the cost the extension. If the Govt. were to undertake to pay the

the net cost they would have to pay a further Rs 4177

If the C.A.S.'s figures of Rs 7000 are right the Govt. has to pay Rs 12554, which is a good deal more than it can afford, nor does there seem to be any reason to refuse any further assistance for the sole reason that the extension was made without sanction. I suggest that

the Govt. will bear 1/2 the net cost - which means another Rs 4177.



28754
 12000
 16754
 11169
 5585

D.S.G. no-36728-102 for 11-12-1925.

Law (Edn) no.

Law (Education) Department.

The figures as given by the D.P.I. and the Municipal Council are shown below in tabular form:--

	D.P.I.'s figures	Council's figures.
Main building	Donations 12,000 ✓	7,000 ✓
	Government grants 4,200 ✓	4,200 ✓
	Council's funds 1,828 ✓	6,828 ✓
	<u>18,028</u>	<u>18,028</u>
Extensions.	Donations nil	5,000 ✓
	Council's funds 10,726 ✓	5,726 ✓
	<u>Total 28,754</u>	<u>28,754</u>

Of the total expenditure of Rs. 28,754, a portion Rs. 12,000 was met from donations. The balance is Rs. 16,754. Against this, the ~~Government~~ grant given by Govt. is Rs. 4,200. The L.S.G. Department proposes that a further grant of Rs. 4,177 should be sanctioned so as to raise the total grant to one-half of the net cost (Rs. 16,754)

In G.O. No. 1476 dated 25.8.25 the Government refused to sanction any further subsidy mainly on the ground that the council did not stand in need of any assistance. If a subsidy of Rs. 4,177 should be sanctioned as proposed by the L.S.G. the file may be sent to Finance for acceptance

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Fin. U. O.



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22.12.25

P.T.G.

Finance (Exp).

The actual cost of the Tiruvannamalai High School buildings is Rs.28,754 as shown below:--

	Rs.
(1) Main building	18,028
(2) Extensions.	10,726
	<u>28,754</u>

Of the total expenditure of Rs.28,754, a portion, (Rs.12,000) was met from public donations and the Government gave a grant of Rs.4,200. The expenditure met from Municipal funds was therefore (Rs.28754 - 12,000 - 4,200 =) 12,554.

2. The main building was estimated to cost Rs.18,700 in 1917. Against this, a donation of Rs.14,508 was anticipated. The Government gave a subsidy of Rs.4200 being the difference between the estimated cost of the building and the amount of donations anticipated by the Council. The actual cost of the building amounted to Rs.18,028, and the donations Rs.12,000. The amount actually spent by the Council from its own funds on the main building was only Rs.1,828.

In September 1924, the Council asked Govt. to bear one half of the total cost of the building, viz Rs.18,028. It did not mention the fact that it had already got private donations to the extent of Rs.12,000. The request was negatived in G.O.1516 Law (Edn) dated 16-10-1924.

3. Again in February 1925, the Council pointed out that, excluding the donation of Rs.12,000, the total cost of the main building and extensions (the latter were carried out without any previous intimation to Government) amounted to about Rs.13,345 and asked Government to meet this expenditure. After examining the financial position of the Municipal Council, the L.S.G. Department pointed out that the

para 2 & 3 of letter on 1-2-25 C.F.

para 2 on p.2 of 1476 (W)
11.6.25 (Z)

* excluding Rs.2000 for impression charges. Page 2 of 1476 (Z)

1476 (Z)

p.2 of 1476 (W)

18028
12000
6028
1828

11-1-25 1596 (D)
16.10.24

pp.3-4 of 1476 (W)

* This should be Rs.12,554 as shown below:
Total Cost of buildings = 28,754
Less: donations + Govt. contribution (12,000 + 4,200) = 16,200
Net Cost = 12,554

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Council ~~did~~ not require any help from Government on account of the expenditure on the school buildings already incurred by it and that the Council was to ^{be} blame for not obtaining the sanction of Govt.

4. The Chairman, has once ~~more~~ ^{again} addressed the Government on the subject. The only additional information furnished is that, of the private donations of Rs.12,000, a sum of Rs.7,000 has been taken ^{to the} credit of the main building and the balance of Rs.5,000 to the credit of the extensions which were carried out without any previous intimation to Government. The Chairman also states that there is no rule under which departmental sanction is necessary in cases of extensions to school buildings. The L.S.G. Secretary suggests that half of the net expenditure on account of the main building and extensions, after deducting private contributions, may be borne by Government, i.e., that ^{an} additional subsidy of Rs.4,177 may be given by Government.

5. It is submitted that grants to local bodies for Secondary School buildings are not given as a matter of course, ^{but are sanctioned with} ~~without~~ reference to the financial position of the local bodies. The general question whether a half-grant should be given in all cases is under separate consideration in the Law (Edn) Department. The present practice is to give a grant only in cases where the local bodies are not able to meet the entire cost from their own funds. Each case is considered on its merits. In the present case, the financial position of the Municipal Council is satisfactory as noted by the L.S.G. Department themselves. The Council has already incurred the expenditure from its own funds. In the circumstances, it is submitted that there seems to be no necessity to sanction any additional subsidy.

K on p.9 + 2.8.8 Ant.
Secy's note on p.10 7
96 1476 Edn. (W)
25.8.25

Para. 1-2 C.F.

Para. 2+3 on
Para. 1-2 C.F.

p.5 ante
Rs.
Total Cost = 28,754
Admet. Donations 12,000
Net Cost = 16,754
Half of net cost = 8,377
Govt. Subsidy already given = 4,200
Add. Subsidy proposed = 4,177

bsh 17.8-9.7.25 (W)
Para. 3 on p.2 ibid

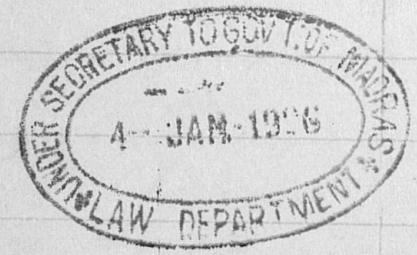
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L.S.G. have already stated that the Council does not need financial assistance from Government. Under the existing practice Government is under no obligation to make a further contribution. Further it is shown that if a Municipal Council intends to apply to Govt. for financial assistance, it must obtain the approval of Govt. to the scheme before expenditure is incurred; otherwise Govt. can have no possible control of expenditure on these objects. In these reasons the request for an increased subsidy should be negatived.

Re. O. 45275/4p-1
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and the file returned to Law (En) no.

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Cousins - LSS

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The draft order on page 1 ante may now be issued.

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Municipal high school, Tiruvannamalai
building--reconsideration of orders--
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No. 233, dated 15. 2. 1926

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The Government are ~~unable~~ ^{unable}

to reconsider the~~x~~ orders in G. O. No.

1476 Law (Education), dated 25--8--25.

declining to sanction any additional

subsidy towards the cost of construction

of buildings for the Municipal high

school, Tiruvannamalai.

C.P.A
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12.11.25

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Note

Attention is solicited to the notes

and orders in G.O.No.1476Law (Edn.), dd.

25-8-25, especially ~~to~~ the notes on page

9 on the financial condition of the

council. Draft may be sent to L.S.G.

for acceptance.

for acceptance. *Q* V.T.K. L.S.G. *13.11*
C.P.A. *80* *12/11*

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The C. M. C., Tiruvannamalai.
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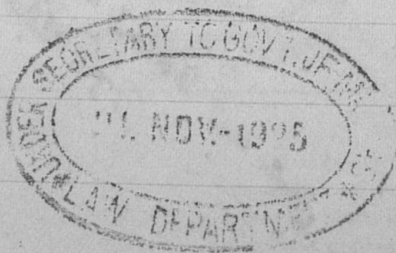
The refusal in G.O. No 1476
Law (con) 825-8.25 was based
on the D.A.G.'s figures and
recommendations. The Chair-
man ~~has~~ now controverted
those figures and asked for a
reconsideration of the previous
orders. In view of this, Dept
note on p. 10 of the G.O. refer-
red to, it may be suggested
to Law (con) that the D.A.G.'s
remarks may first be
obtained on the Chairman's
present letter.

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