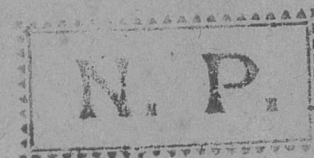


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Building Grant.

Sanctioning, subject to certain conditions, a — not exceeding Rs. 22,000 towards the construction of additional buildings for the St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

I

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. A. G. BOURNE, D.Sc., F.R.S., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 5th September 1905.

No.—Ref. on Cur. No. 5157.

I have the honour to submit for the consideration of Government an application for a building grant of Rs. 23,290 on behalf of St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam.

2. The institution is a European school (in 1903–1904 there were 121 Europeans and Eurasians, 53 Native Christians and 4 non-Brahman Hindus on the rolls) and is doing good work; and I think it deserves all the aid that Government may find it possible to bestow upon it. I understand that the management have no large resources to fall back upon and are striving hard to raise their share of the funds required for the present building scheme.

3. A half grant is applied for, which is inadmissible under the ordinary Grant-in-Aid Code, though in the draft code proposed for European schools in India I believe that one-half the cost was laid down as the maximum limit of building grants.

4. The enclosure marked (2) gives a general idea of the buildings proposed to be erected, and I consider them on the whole well adapted for the purposes for which they are designed. I may mention however that the school is a boarding school and that the dormitory space appears to be somewhat deficient. The present dormitory—which it is proposed to retain—is a room 60' × 32' and it is proposed to add to it a covered verandah 13 feet wide running the whole length thus giving a superficial area of 2,700 square feet. As there are 123 boarders this only allows 22 square feet per pupil instead of 30 square feet required in rule 118 of the Grant-in-Aid Code. If Government are prepared to give the full amount of aid requested, I should recommend that the building project should be enlarged so as to provide additional dormitory space; but if not, I would suggest that the school hall should be converted into class rooms and the upper storey of the eastern wing should be used as a dormitory. This would add very little to the estimate.

5. I have not asked the Manager to revise the plans so as to provide additional accommodation, as, until it is known what amount, if any, Government are prepared to grant, it is useless to propose further expenditure to the management.

ENCLOSURES.

(1)

Letter—from the Rev. J. L. CONTAT, Manager, St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam.

To—the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

Dated—the 28th February 1905.

No.—346.

I have the honour to forward to you through the Inspector of European and Training Schools my application for a building grant for St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam.

The plans and estimates are herewith sent. I hope they will be found correct in every detail as they have been prepared by the local District Board Engineer through the kindness of R. H. Campbell, Esq., Collector of Vizagapatam.

You will remark that I apply for a half grant. My reasons for doing so are the following:—

(1) His Lordship Dr. J. M. Clere for whom I am acting is gone home to collect funds for this purpose and he writes to say that he cannot possibly afford more than half the cost of the building.

(2) This is the only European school from Madras to Calcutta and, as every one knows, to work for the Eurasian community is to work at a great loss.

(3) This school at present supports partly or fully 60 Eurasian orphans. This alone would make of our case a very special one calling for very special aid from Government.

(4) This school which is doing good work since 1864 as the department itself testifies in the last report has received up to this no building grant except the very little sum of Rupees 396–10–8 in 1891. As the school buildings consisted mainly of small native houses bought one after the other and joined together by a system of patchwork, they could not entitle the manager to a Government grant, so that for over forty years the Mission had to bear the cost of building and repairing.

I herewith enclose a few words of recommendation from the Collector of Vizagapatam and Agent to the Governor who, as Captain of our Cadet Corps, is in close touch with the school and can appreciate the work that is being done.

I need not remind you that the rebuilding is very urgent and that we are only waiting for the sanction of the grant applied for to start the work.

Hoping that you will consider this application as a very special case calling for the early and very favourable attention of the Educational authorities.

(2)

APPLICATION for grants for school buildings.

1	Name of institution	St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam.
2	Responsible manager	Rev. J. L. Contat.
3	Number and date of proceedings or memorandum recognizing the school under the Educational Rules.	No. 3298, dated 25th May 1903. (Date of last recognition of the high school.)
4	Number of forms or classes with average strength of each.	Eleven with an average of 17 pupils and a special drawing class.
5	Existing accommodation (number of rooms and size of each).	A dormitory, 60' × 30', to which a room, 30' × 14', can be added. A study room, 60' × 30'. Two classes (<i>infant</i> , I, II standards), each, 48' × 15'.
6	Proposed additions (number of rooms and size of each).	A school hall, 80' × 18'; bath-room, 35' × 17'. A dressing room, 26' × 18'; clothes room, 31' × 18'. Boys' dining room, 66' × 18'; teachers' dining room, 18½' × 18½'. Eleven rooms, 16½' × 18½'.
7	Estimated cost	Rs. 46,580
8	Amount of grant applied for	Rs. 23,290

Application for grants for school buildings--cont.

9	Inspecting officer's remarks regarding accommodation in the last report on the school.	Plans are in preparation for rebuilding. It is much to be hoped that the scheme will shortly be realised The rebuilding is in contemplation and the repairs very advisable.																		
10	Amount of building grants drawn by the school in previous years with number and date of the order sanctioning the same.	Year.	Amount. RS. A. P.		Number and date of order.															
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12	Remarks (necessity for the proposed accommodation).	The new building makes up for the part of the old building which is to be demolished and will give more extensive and more suitable accommodation (see letter of the Collector).																		

Declaration.

I, the responsible manager of the school, do hereby declare that the conditions of recognition and aid laid down in the Madras Educational Rules and in the Grant-in-Aid Code are being, and will continue to be, fully observed, excepting such rules as the institution has been specially exempted from by the Director's Proceedings, No. . . . and that I am prepared to subject the institution, together with its current, endowment and trust accounts, its establishment, time-table and registers to inspection, and to furnish such returns as may be required by the department, and that I shall abide by the provisions of rule . . . of the Grant-in-Aid Code in the event of the building being diverted, prior to the lapse of twenty years after the date of payment of grant, to other than educational purposes approved by Government.

28th February 1905.

J. L. CONTAT,
Manager.

(3)

STATEMENT to accompany the application for a grant.

The St. Aloysius' High school is a European school. The percentage of natives was brought down to 19 in 1905. The Native Christians attending this school are already separated as regards board and lodging. The Manager is prepared to start a separate primary school for them, so that the percentage in the European school may never exceed 15.

2. The accommodation provided in the plan of the new building is sufficient to meet the requirements of the Code for European schools.

The classes ($16\frac{1}{2} \times 18\frac{1}{2}$) at the rate of 12 square feet per scholar can contain an average of 24 pupils; the average per class at present is only 17.

The dormitory, $60' \times 30'$, will be increased on one side by $60' \times 13'$ and on the other by $30' \times 14'$ and can thus accommodate 39 boys under 12 years of age at the rate of 40 square feet per scholar and 38 boys above 12 years of age at the rate of 48 square feet per scholar or 68 in all. The dining room, $66' \times 18'$, can accommodate 99 boys at the rate of 12 square feet per scholar. The air calculation is in every case in excess of what is required by the Code, the lower storey being 15' and the upper one 13' high.

Accommodation has been provided also for about 20 boys in the lower storey of the Bishop's house (dormitory and dining room).

J. L. CONTAT,
Manager.

(4)

The St. Aloysius' High school is doing valuable educational work in Vizagapatam particularly in the case of the Eurasian community and is fully deserving of a building grant, as liberal as the rules will allow. I recommend for very favourable consideration the Principal's application for a grant. The school very badly requires a new building.

VIZIANAGRAM,
24th February 1905.R. H. CAMPBELL,
Agent to the Governor.

II

Memorandum No. 539, Educational, dated 18th September 1905.

The Director of Public Instruction should call the attention of the Manager of the St. Aloysius' High school at Vizagapatam to the following rules on the subject of building grants and request him to submit a revised application, if necessary, with revised plans and estimates:—

(1) Rule 118 of the Grant-in-Aid Code of the Madras Educational Department for 1905-1906, under which the maximum amount of grant can be only one-third of the total cost, while 8 superficial and 80 cubic feet per head should be provided in every room to be used as a class room, dining room or for dwelling purpose other than sleeping and 30 superficial and 400 cubic feet per head in every dormitory intended for 10 inmates and upwards.

(2) Rule 57 of the Code for European schools, under which a grant not exceeding one-half of the total cost may be given, but in this case not more than 15 per cent. of the pupils in the school can be non-Europeans—rule 7 (d)—and not less than 12 square feet per scholar where only one class is taught and 16 square feet per scholar when more classes than one are taught in the same room should be provided in rooms used for teaching purposes and 40 superficial and 400 cubic feet for each child of 12 and under and 48 superficial and 480 cubic feet for each child above 12 years of age in rooms used as dormitories—rule 31.

(By Order.)

A. GALLETTI,
Asst. Secretary to Government.To the Director of Public Instruction, with the
enclosures of his letter returned.

III

Letter—from the Hon'ble Mr. A. G. BOURNE, D.Sc., F.R.S., Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.

Dated—the 20th January 1906.

No.—R.C. No. 5157 of 1905.

With reference to memorandum No. 539, dated 18th September 1905, I have the honour to state that it is now reported that of the 123 boarders mentioned in my letter R.C. No. 5157, dated 5th September 1905, 32 are Native Christians who are separately accommodated, 15 are European pupils, of a somewhat better social position than the others, who are lodged in the house of the Bishop of Vizagapatam, and 12 are day boarders who do not sleep in the school. The dormitory accommodation shown in the plans and estimates is thus intended for the remaining 64 boarders. It is also intended to use an additional room measuring $30' \times 14'$ in the existing building, which was not shown in the plans. The accompanying sketch (D) shows the position of this room. The total amount of superficial space for sleeping purposes is thus raised from 2,700 to 3,120 square feet, which allows nearly 49 square feet for each of the 64 pupils.

The 15 pupils lodged in the Bishop's house have each on an average 55 square feet of space.

The accommodation to be provided will thus comply with the conditions of the European Code.

The management intend to open a separate school for the native pupils, and the St. Aloysius' school will conform to article 7 (d) of the new European Code. If necessary, the native pupils will be separated at once, but the management naturally prefer that some time should be given them to provide proper accommodation.

The plans and estimates are resubmitted.

IV

Memorandum by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.

The nature of the surface and sub-soil and the reasons for allowing $10\frac{1}{2}$ feet foundations have not been given and therefore no opinion can be expressed regarding the suitability of the foundations. The following information should be submitted:—

- (a) Nature of surface soil.
- (b) Do. of sub-soil.
- (c) Cross sections of the site from fore shore across the road and proposed buildings.
- (d) Cross sections of the retaining wall, marked A on the plan at cross section M.N. with dimensions and depth of foundations.

The granite floor slabs should be pointed with Portland cement instead of surki mortar.

Air spaces should be allowed on the sides of the joists and girders and camber pieces should be provided over the girders to secure proper slope to carry off rain water. This slope should not be less than $\frac{3}{8}$ " per foot.

The scantlings of the joists and girders should be altered as follows:—

Lower storey—

- Joists in halls from $3" \times 5'$ to $3" \times 6"$.
- In wide verandahs from $3" \times 5"$ to $3" \times 5\frac{1}{2}"$.
- Do. clothes room from $3" \times 5"$ to $3" \times 6"$.
- Do. bath-room from $3" \times 5"$ to $3" \times 6"$.

Upper storey—

- Joists in Fathers' dining-room from $3" \times 5"$ to $3" \times 5\frac{3}{4}"$.

The same size joists may be used for the third storey.

Rolled steel girders—

- In Fathers' dining-room from $12" \times 5" \times 32$ lb. to $15" \times 5" \times 42$ lb.

Rates.—17.32 cubic feet of lime and 34.64 cubic feet of sand are too much per 100 cubic feet of rough stone in mortar and should be reduced to 16 and 32 cubic feet, respectively.

For embedding the floor slabs $\frac{1}{2}"$ mortar bed is sufficient and for this $3\frac{1}{2}$ cubic feet of lime and 7 cubic feet of sand are ample against 8 cubic feet and 16 cubic feet, respectively.

For terrace roof the cartage of lime and sand is omitted. This should be now provided and the rate revised, if necessary.

For the terrace floor one course of flat tiles is ample and the surface may be plastered with $\frac{1}{2}"$ Portland cement instead of ordinary mortar.

Varnishing three coats.—Three pints of varnish and $1\frac{1}{2}$ painters are ample against 5 pints and 3 painters provided in the data. For three coats of French polishing the Consulting Architect's rate is only Rs. 2-12-0 per 100 square feet.

The following rates are in excess of those in the schedule:—

	Estimate.			Schedule.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Teak doors, $\frac{1}{2}$ panel and $\frac{1}{2}$ venetian	1	6	0	1	3	0
Teak „ venetian windows	1	8	0	1	5	0
Teakwood, wrought and put up, in joists	4	0	0	3	12	0

MADRAS,
27th February 1906.

J. P. DAVIDSON,
Chief Engineer.

Order—No. 232, Educational, dated 29th March 1906.

The Government are pleased to sanction a grant not exceeding Rs. 22,000 towards the cost of constructing additional buildings for the St. Aloysius' High school at Vizagapatam, subject to the following conditions:—

- (1) that the authorities of the school carry out the work in accordance with the recommendations of the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, in his memorandum read above;
 - (2) that the work is completed before the 30th June 1907;
 - (3) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before 31st July 1907;
 - (4) that the actual expenditure does not fall short of Rs. 46,580;
 - (5) that by the time the work is completed, separate accommodation is provided for the native children in the school;
 - (6) that the usual trust deed is executed providing for the legal ownership of the premises, for the proper maintenance of the building and for the inspection and management of the school and declaring the building to be held in trust for school purposes only;
 - (7) that it shall not be required as a condition of the admission of any child into or its continuance in the school as a day scholar that it shall attend or abstain from attending any Sunday school or any place of religious worship or that it shall attend any religious observance or any instruction in religious subjects in the school or elsewhere from which observance or instruction it may be withdrawn by the parent or that it shall if withdrawn by the parent attend the school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs.
 - (8) that the time or times during which any religious observance is practised or instruction in religious subjects is given at any meeting of the school shall be either at the beginning or at the end or at the beginning and the end of such meeting and shall be inserted in a time-table to be kept permanently and conspicuously hung up in every school room and any day-scholar may be withdrawn by its parent from such observance or instruction without forfeiting any of the other benefits of the school;
 - (9) that the school shall be open at all times and in all its departments to the Inspector of European Schools.
2. On the above conditions being fulfilled the grant will be paid as funds become available.

(True Extract.)

H. D. TAYLOR,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Public Instruction, with plans and estimates returned.
„ Accountant-General.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 232, EDUCATIONAL,
DATED 29TH MARCH 1906.

[SUBJECT.—*Building grant for St. Aloysius' High School, Vizagapatam.*]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 5th September 1905, No. 5157.

Plans to Public Works Department for favour of early scrutiny.

2. Verify.

H. D. TAYLOR—8-9-05.

Under rule 118 of the Grant-in-Aid Code the maximum building grant admissible to a school is one-third of the total cost incurred or proposed to be incurred on the work. But under article 57 of the revised Code of Regulations for European schools in India and Burma recently received from the Government of India, a building grant not exceeding one-half of the total cost may be given to a school intended for Europeans.

2. Before the question of the grant is considered, the plans and estimates may be forwarded u.o. to the Public Works Department for early scrutiny.

Since received from Director of Public Instruction and added to file.

P. T. THARYAN—15-9-05.

N.L.R.—12-9-05.

The institution is now classed as a European school, but under the Code for European schools it cannot be regarded as such unless it sends away 35 of its Native Christian and non-Brahmin Hindu pupils. Under article 7 (d) of the Code no grant is made to any school in which the number of non-Europeans exceeds 15 per cent. of the total number of scholars. For a strength of 121 Europeans and Eurasians there cannot therefore be more than $21\frac{1}{7}$ or 22 non-Europeans; at present, however,

To inform the managers of the rule?

A. GALLETT.

send away all non-Europeans in excess of $\frac{15}{100}$ of the Europeans. If not the school can be aided only under the ordinary Code and the total estimate as it at present stands being Rs. 46,580 the grant cannot exceed Rs. 15,526. A decision may also be arrived at regarding the maximum amount which Government will be prepared to give in both cases, so that if the amount is not sufficiently large the managers may be asked whether they are prepared to go on with the building in spite of the smaller

H. D. TAYLOR.

grant. It seems advisable to send up the case to the Public Works Department only after these questions are settled.

P. T. THARYAN—13-9-05.

Unless it is proposed to make a special case of this, the attention of the managers may simply be drawn to the rules:—

- (1) Under the ordinary rules the maximum grant is $\frac{1}{3}$.
- (2) Under the special rules for European schools $\frac{1}{2}$.
- (3) A European school is one in which the non-Europeans are not more than 15 per cent.
- (4) The floor space of a dormitory must under the rules be at least 30 square feet per pupil.

A. GALLETTI—13-9-05.

Please draft reference accordingly through the Director of Public Instruction.

H. D. TAYLOR—14-9-05.

The draft placed below is submitted for approval.

P. T. THARYAN—14-9-05.

European Schools' Code has issued.

A. GALLETTI—15-9-05.

H. D. TAYLOR—16-9-05.

[Memorandum No. 539, dated 18th September 1905.]

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 20th January 1906, No. 5157.

In reply to Memorandum No. 539, dated 18th September 1905, the Director reports that the accommodation provided in the plan of the new building for the St. Aloysius' High School at Vizagapatam complies with the conditions prescribed in article 31 of the Code for European Schools. The Director further reports that the manager is prepared to start a separate school for the native pupils so that the proportion of non-Europeans in the St. Aloysius' High School may never exceed 15 per cent. of the total number of scholars, as required under article 7 (d) of the New European Code. It is stated

Page 5 *ibid.*

that if necessary the native pupils will be separated at once but that the management naturally prefer that some time should be given them to provide proper accommodation. Thus it will be seen that the authorities of the school are prepared to comply with the conditions of the new European Code in order that their school may be classed

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as an European School and earn a half grant under article 57 of the new Code.

2. For orders as to whether the file may now go to Public Works for the

Yes.

H. D. TAYLOR.

scrutiny of the plans and estimates. If it is decided to send the file to that department, it may be asked also to fix a

period within which the work can be completed.

3. It is submitted that the new European Code has not yet been introduced in this Presidency and proposals have recently been received from the Director of Public Instruction for its introduction, and are now under examination in the office, but the Code will probably have been introduced before final orders are passed on the present application for grant.

N.L.R.—24-1-06.

P. T. THARYAN—29-1-06.

C. A. SOUTER—30-1-06.

H. D. TAYLOR—3-2-06.

To the Public Works Department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

[Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 27th February 1906.]

This note may be forwarded to the Educational Department.

2. The work should, it is considered, be completed in about 18 months.

J. P. DAVIDSON—27-2-06.

To the Educational Department.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

The Chief Engineer's note does not state whether by the alterations suggested by him the estimate for constructing the building for the St. Aloysius' High school, Vizagapatam, will be raised or lowered. In the absence of this information it is presumed that the estimate of Rs. 46,580 submitted by the Director of Public Instruction will stand.

2. Under article 57 of the new European Code the maximum amount of grant ordinarily admissible is one-half of the total cost. In the present case the maximum amount of grant comes to Rs. 23,290. It is, however, submitted that the new code has not yet been introduced in this Presidency. The file on the subject went in circulation to-day.

N.L.R.—1-3-06.

Under article 57 of the new European Code, the maximum grant may be raised to even two-thirds of the total cost in places where there is a small or poor European population. Orders are solicited as to the amount of grant which may be promised in the present case.

Ibid.

P. T. THARYAN—1-3-06.

A I think a copy of the Chief Engineer's note should be sent to the school authorities through the Director of Public Instruction and that they should be asked to submit a fresh estimate in accordance with it. The amount of grant can then be settled. This will enable them in the meantime to separate the non-European element as they promised to do.

2. If this course does not commend itself, I submit that a lump sum grant of Rs. 25,000 may be given at once, subject to the condition that the alterations noted above are carried out. This grant is slightly in excess of the prescribed maximum, but is permissible under the code.

H. D. TAYLOR.

3. I prefer the former course mainly because it will allow the provisions of the new code to be passed before anything is settled.

C. A. SOUTER—2-3-06.

The course suggested at A may be adopted.

H. D. TAYLOR—3-3-06.

It will be wise to make no pretence of a grant such as is asked until we are quite sure that the conditions will be *bonâ fide* satisfied, *e.g.*, I should not regard it as a compliance with the condition as to the native percentage that the natives were merely moved out to an adjoining construction under the same management, etc., permitting of the mixing up of the children during play hours, etc.—Jesuiticos timeo.

2. I am not at all satisfied either that this institution should really be classed as a "European" school, for are we sure that a large number of boys with Christian names are not natives in masquerade?

On the whole it would be far more satisfactory to treat the school on its present basis and give it a grant on that basis?

3. Perhaps the Director of Public Instruction might manage to get the managers to have the case dealt with on that basis, pointing out to them the difficulties that are sure to arise, as well as the fact that the Educational Code is not as yet actually in force. (I believe this is strictly so?)

4. The file might go as it is to the Director of Public Instruction to say what he would advise.

G. S. F[ORBES]—4-3-06.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

H. D. TAYLOR—6-3-06.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

I cannot say more than I said in the "current"—the school "deserves all the aid that Government may find it possible to bestow upon it". I know the school myself and I know what many officers of the department and others have thought of it.

2. I know the precarious state of the present building and how eager the management are to secure a better building and how hard they have and are trying to secure funds. I can vouch for the very European look that there is about the school at present and have no reason to doubt the *bona fides* of the manager when he promises to comply with any regulation about native pupils. It will be observed that all but four of his

It is not religion but race the Government of India are concerned about.

G. S. F[ORBES].

present native pupils are Native Christians and I do not think that there is any doubt in this case—as there so often is—as to the ostensible object being the main object and being steadily kept in view.

3. Since 1864, *i.e.*, from its start, less than Rs. 400 has been given as building grant. As the manager says, small native houses have been bought one after the other and joined together. As for the current expenses, not one-fourth appears to have come from public funds. There is also a separate Girls' school with nearly 100 European and Eurasian girls and no natives which has been for many years aided to a small extent only.

4. Owing to the very insecure state of the present building it will be difficult to rebuild piecemeal and I fancy the Mission will have to rent buildings or put up sheds during the operations. The Bishop has been unable to secure enough to pay two-thirds as he hoped to do if it is possible. I am therefore more than ever anxious to take advantage of the European Code. This has been issued by the Government of India and Government could I presume put it or any one of its provisions into operation at any moment or in any particular case. I think the management may be relied upon to honestly comply with any of its conditions.

A. G. BOURNE—8-3-06.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Resubmitted.

H. D. TAYLOR—10-3-06.

The Director of Public Instruction does not give all the information I wanted. One important point is what arrangements the Mission proposes for separating the native from the European school.

The Director of Public Instruction seems to have a sort of notion that the question of religion is somehow an underlying element. Religion has nothing what ever to do with the matter. It is a matter of race.

What proportion of pure European and of Eurasian children are there?

We must get further information on these points.

G. S. F[ORBES]—12-3-06.

Director of Public Instruction for further remarks. He will be requested to obtain complete details as to racial elements composing the school, and to attach a copy of the Inspector's report on the subject.

H. D. TAYLOR—13-3-06.

To the Director of Public Instruction.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

The Manager wires that there are at present on the rolls—

Europeans	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29
Eurasians	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	140
Natives	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37

As the Inspector is on tour I obtained the information direct and have therefore no report from him upon the subject.

2. The Bishop visited Madras and in my absence interviewed the Deputy Director and expressed his willingness to conform in any way to the wishes of Government as to the arrangements in regard to the natives at present on the rolls.

A. G. BOURNE—16-3-06.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Resubmitted.

H. D. TAYLOR—17-3-06.

I have had a talk with the Director of Public Instruction on this case. I had no idea the proportion of Europeans was so large.

A grant may be given on condition that the Chief Engineer's proposals are adopted, a copy of his note being sent to the school authorities, and that separate accommodation is provided for the native children. The grant may be Rs. 22,000.

G. S. F[ORBES]—18-3-06.

Please draft.

H. D. TAYLOR—20-3-06.

The draft placed below is submitted for approval.

2. Subject to approval the conditions about completion of the work within a specified time and the certificate of actual expenditure which are inserted in the orders sanctioning building grants under the code for ordinary schools have been inserted in the draft in addition to the conditions specified in the Honourable Member's orders above. For the form of the usual order—please see G.O., No. 30, Educational, dated 18th January 1906. The printed form has not yet come up from the Press.

Of course this is a departmental detail for office.

G. S. F[ORBES].

Why should they not complete it in a year: it merely means extra workmen: and if extension of time is actually wanted they can come up.

G. S. F[ORBES].

P. T. THARYAN—20-3-06.

I am not sure of the draft. Condition (6) is vague, but perhaps that need not stand in the way. The code must issue shortly.

C. A. SOUTER—21-3-06.

I think paragraph 1 (6) may stand.

H. D. TAYLOR—22-3-06.

I think a year's time only need be formally allowed. It only means employment of more workmen. The Public Works Department have nothing to do with the period of execution.

In paragraph (6) set out the conditions (and let me see draft again) without reference to European Code.

G. S. F[ORBES]—23-3-06.

Please revise paragraph (6) accordingly.

2. With reference to the limitation of the period to one year it is submitted that Public Works Department is invariably consulted as to what is a reasonable time for completion of a work, and this department generally allows a small margin over that period.

3. Until recently no fixed date for the execution of works was prescribed with the result that it was impossible to forecast in any year what would be the requirements for expenditure under building grants, and liabilities on this account mounted up to an enormous sum. By fixing dates, which generally terminate about the close of a calendar year, we know exactly what claims for payments are likely to fall due in any year.

H. D. TAYLOR—23-3-06.

With reference to paragraph 1 of the Secretary's note above it is submitted that there are several conditions of aid prescribed in chapter V, section II, of the Code—pages 7 and 8 of G.O., No. 599, Educational, dated 5th September 1905. The first of these conditions, namely, that "no grant will be given to any school that does not conform to the rules of the Code" is very comprehensive. For the purpose of the present order, however, it seems enough if articles 59 and 60 about trust deed and article 6 containing what is generally called the "conscience clause" are embodied in the order. Nothing need be said about courses of study (chapter IV), Teachers and certificates (chapter VI), transfer rules (chapter VII), Records (chapter VIII) and Examinations (chapter IX).

If the draft as altered in pencil is approved it will be typed.

P. T. THARYAN—23-3-06.

Type please.

C. A. SOUTER—26-3-06.

Typed and submitted.

P. T. THARYAN—27-3-06.

The conditions seem sufficient, but if only the code were out one general condition would be enough.

C. A. SOUTER—27-3-06.

H. D. TAYLOR—28-3-06.

I have extended the time a little.

G. S. F[ORBES]—29-3-06.

I have altered Honourable Member's date slightly. It is usual, and appears necessary, to allow one month for closing accounts after completion of the work.

H. D. TAYLOR—29-3-06.

[G.O., No. 232, Educational, dated 29th March 1906.]

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.



Received 8 SEP 1905 190 , Registered 8-9-1905

Subject.

Submitting for the consideration of Government an application
for a building grant on behalf of the St. Aloysius' High School
Vizagapatam.

ENCLOSURES.
No. Plans & estimates.
Spare copies

Ref on Current No. 5157/05

Station Madras, Dated the 5th September 1905

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. A.G. Bourne, D.Sc., F.R.S.,
(Designation) Director of Public Instruction

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit for the consideration of Government an application for a building grant of Rs 23,290/ on behalf of Saint Aloysius' High School, Vizagapatam.

The institution is a European school (in 1903-1904 there were 121 Europeans and Eurasians 53 Native Christians and 4 Non-Brahman Hindus on the rolls) and is doing good work; and I think it deserves all the aid that Government may find it possible to bestow upon it. I understand that the management have no large resources to fall back upon and are striving hard to raise their share of the funds required for the present building scheme.

A half grant is applied for, which is inadmissible under the ordinary Grant-in-Aid Code, though in the draft code proposed for European schools in India I believe

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that one half the cost was laid down as the maximum limit of building grants.

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The enclosure marked (1) gives a general idea of the buildings proposed to be erected, and I consider them on the whole well adapted for the purposes for which they are designed. I may mention however that the school is a boarding school and that the dormitory space appears to be somewhat deficient. The present dormitory - which it is proposed to retain - is a room 60' x 32' and it is proposed to add to it a covered verandah 13' wide running the whole length thus giving a superficial area of 2700 square feet. As there are 123 boarders this only allows 22 square feet per pupil instead of 30 square feet required in Rule 118 of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

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If Government are prepared to give the full amount of aid requested I should recommend that the building project should be enlarged so as to provide additional dormitory space; but if not I would suggest that the school hall should be converted into class rooms and the upper storey of the eastern wing should be used as a dormitory. This would add very little to the estimate.

I have not asked the Manager to revise the plans so as to provide additional accommodation as until it is known what amount if any Government is prepared to grant it is useless to propose further expenditure to the management.

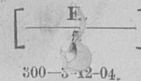
I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Edw Middleton

For Director of Public Instruction.



EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Memorandum No. 5392/18-9-05

Read the following paper:—

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The D.P.D. should call the attention of the Manager of the St. Aloysius' High School at Vizagapatam to the following rules on the subject of building grants and request him to submit a revised application, if necessary, with revised plans and estimates:—

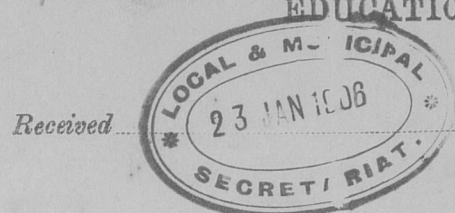
1) Rule 118 of the Grant-in-aid Code of the Madras Educational Department for 1905-1906 under which the maximum amount of grant can be only one-third of the total cost, while 8 superficial and 80 cubic feet per head should be provided in every room to be used as a class room, dining room or for dwelling purpose other than sleeping and 30 superficial and 400 cubic feet per head in every dormitory intended for 10 inmates and upwards.

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(2) Rule 57 of the Code for European Schools under which a grant not exceeding one half of the total cost may be given but in this case not more than 15 percent of the pupils in the School can be non-Europeans - rule 7 (d) & not less than 12 square feet per Scholar where only one class is taught and 16 square feet per Scholar where more classes than one are taught in the same room should be provided in rooms used for teaching purposes and 40 superficial and 400 Cubic feet for each child of 12 and under and 48 superficial and 480 Cubic feet for each child above 12 years of age ^{in rooms used as} ~~should be provided in~~ dormitories - rule 30.

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To the D.P.O. with the enclosures } 23/9/05
 of this letter returned. } 3 plans including a site plan
 11 enclosures including original application for building frontage.



Received 190 , Registered 23 - 1 - 1906.

Subject.

Submitting report called for in memo. No. 539 Educational dated 18 September 1905 in connection with the application for building grant applied for on behalf of St.loysius' High School, Vizagapatam.

ENCLOSURES.

No.

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A.C. No. 5157 of '05.

Station Madras, Dated the 20th January 1906.

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. A.G. Bourne, D.Sc., F.F.S.,

(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

Sir,

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With reference to Memorandum No. 539, dated 18th September 1905 I have the honour to state that it is now reported that, of the 123 boarders mentioned in my letter R.C. No. 5157 of 05 dated 5th September 1905, 32 are native christians who are separately accommodated, 15 are European pupils, of a somewhat better social position than the others, who are lodged in the house of the Bishop of Vizagapatam, and 12 are day boarders who do not sleep in the school. The dormitory accommodation shown in the plans and estimates is thus intended for the remaining 64 boarders. It is also intended to use an additional room measuring 30' X 14' in the existing building, which was not shown in the plans. The accompanying sketch (D) shows the position of this

this room. The total amount of superficial space for sleeping purposes is thus raised from 2700 to 3120 square feet, which allows nearly 49 sq. feet for each of the 64 pupils.

The 15 pupils lodged in the Bishop's House have each on an average 55 sq. feet of space.

The accommodation to be provided will thus comply with the conditions of the European Code.

The management intends to open a separate school for the native pupils, and the St. Aloysius School will conform to Art. 7(d) of the new European Code. If necessary the native pupils will be separated at once, but the management naturally prefer that some time should be given them to provide proper accommodation.

The plans and estimates are resubmitted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

E. M. de Lencastre

For Director of Public Instruction.

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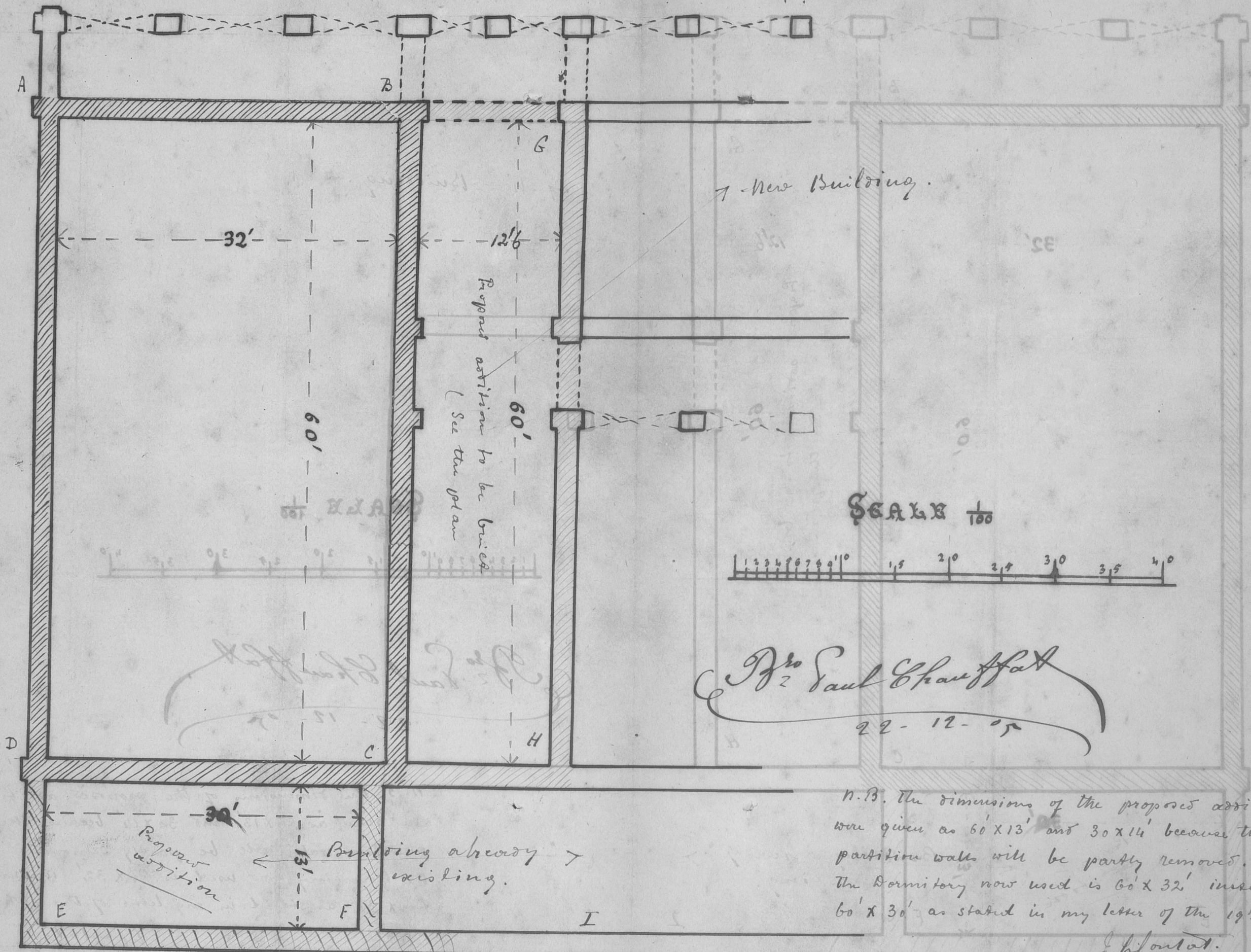
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*Note For Estimates please see pages 45-108, of file
of the 3 plans received separately. 2 are
put up below in the file & one will be found
on page 109 of the current file.*

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N.B. The dimensions of the proposed additions were given as 60' x 13' and 30' x 14' because the partition walls will be partly removed. The Dormitory now used is 60' x 32' instead of 60' x 30' as stated in my letter of the 19th Oct. 1905.

J. H. Outot.

No. 346

28.2.05

Copy of my first application

St. Aloysius' High School,
VIZAGAPATAM.

Dated, 28 February 1905

From

The MANAGER,

ST. ALOYSIUS' HIGH SCHOOL,

VIZAGAPATAM.

To

The Director of Public Instruction
Pungambakam
Madras.



Hon'ble SIR,

I have the honour to forward to you through the Inspector of European & Training Schools my application for a building grant for St. Aloysius' High School, Vizagapatam.

The plans and estimates are herewith sent. I hope they will be found correct in every detail as they have been prepared by the Local District Board Engineer through the kindness of R. H. Campbell Esq. Collector of Vizagapatam.

You will remark that I apply for a half grant. My reasons for doing so are the following: -
His Lordship Dr. J. M. (here for whom I am acting is gone home to collect funds for this purpose and he writes to say that he cannot possibly afford more than half the cost of the Building.

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2 This is the only European School from Madras to Calcutta and, as every one knows, to work for the Eurasian Community is to work as a great loss.

3 This School at present supports partly or fully 60 Eurasian orphans. This alone would make of our case a very special one calling for very special aid from Government.

4 This School which is doing good work since 1864 as the Department itself testifies in the last report has received up to this no building grant except the very little sum of Rs 396-10-8 in 1891. As the School buildings consisted mainly of small native houses bought one after the other and joined together by a system of patchwork, they could not entitle the Manager to a Govt. Grant so that for over 40 years the Mission had to bear the cost of building and repairing.

I herewith enclose a few words of recommendation from the Collector of Vizagapatam and Agent to the Governor who, as Captain of our Cadet Corps is in close touch with the School and can appreciate the work that is being done.

I need not remind you that the building is very urgent and that we are only waiting for the sanction of the grant applied for to start the work.

Hoping that you will consider this application as a very special case calling for the early and very favourable attention of the Educational authorities,

I have the honour to be
Most respectfully,
Your most obedient servant
J. L. Contat Manager

Refon C No 5157 of 1905 dt 3 Oct. 1905.

Statement to accompany the Application for a grant.

The St. Aloysius High School is a European School. The percentage of natives was brought down to 19 in 1905. The native Christians attending this School are already separated as regards Board & lodging. The Manager is prepared to start a separate primary School for them, so that the percentage in the European School may never exceed 15.

The accommodation provided in the plan of the new building is sufficient to meet the requirements of the code for European Schools.

The classes ($16\frac{1}{2} \times 18\frac{1}{2}$) at the rate of 12 Sq. ft. per scholar can contain an average of 24 pupils: the average per class at present is only 17.

The Dormitory 60×30 will be increased on one side by 60×13 and on the other by 30×14 and can thus accommodate 30 boys under 12 years of age at the rate of 40 Sq. ft. per Scholar and 38 boys above 12 years of age at the rate of 48 Sq. ft. per Scholar or 68 in all.

The dining room 66×18 can accommodate 99 boys at the rate of 12 Sq. ft. per Scholar. The air calculation is in every case in excess of what is required by the code the lower story being 15' and the upper one 13' high.

Accommodation has been provided also for about 20 boys in the lower story of the Bishop's House (Dormitory & dining room).

Vizagapatam } J. L. Contat.
19 October 05 } Manager

Application for grants for School buildings.

1	Name of institution.	S. Cloypius High School Vizagapalam.		
2	Responsible manager.	Rev. J. L. Coutat.		
3	Number and date of proceedings or memorandum recognizing the school under the Educational Rules.	No. 3298 25.5.03 (Date of last recognition of the High School)		
4	Number of forms or classes with average strength of each.	Eleven with an average of 17 pupils and a Special Drawing class.		
5	Existing accommodation (number of rooms and size of each).	A Dormitory 60'x30' to which a room 30'x14' can be added. A Study room 60'x30' 2 classes (infant, I, II standards) each 48'x15'		
6	Proposed additions (number of rooms and size of each).	A School hall 80'x18', Bathroom 35'x17' A dressing room 26'x18', Clothes room 31'x18' Boys dining room 66'x18', Teachers dining room 18'x18' 11 rooms 16 1/2'x18 1/2'		
7	Estimated cost.	RS. A. P. 46580 - 0 - 0		
8	Amount of grant applied for	RS. A. P. 23290 - 0 - 0.		
9	Inspecting officer's remarks regarding accommodation in the last report on the school.	Plans are in preparation for rebuilding. It is much to be hoped that the scheme will shortly be realised.... The rebuilding is in contemplation and the repairs very advisable		
10	Amount of building grants drawn by the school in previous years with number and date of the order sanctioning the same.	Year.	Amount.	Number and date of order.
		1891	396 - 10 - 8	No. 658 of 23 January
11	Financial condition of the school according to the financial statement for the official year preceding the date of application.	In departments eligible for aid from provincial funds Do. do. Local funds ..		Surplus or deficit. RS. 8226 - 15 - 11.
12	Remarks (necessity for the proposed accommodation).	The new building makes up for the part of the old Building which is to be demolished and will give more extensive and more suitable accommodation (See letter of the Collector).		

Declaration.—I, the responsible manager of the school, do hereby declare that the conditions of recognition and aid laid down in the Madras Educational Rules and in the Grant-in-Aid Code are being, and will continue to be, fully observed, excepting such rules as the institution has been specially exempted from by the Director's Proceedings, No. , and that I am prepared to subject the institution, together with its current, endowment and trust accounts, its establishment, time-table and registers to inspection, and to furnish such returns as may be required by the department, and that I shall abide by the provisions of rule of the Grant-in-Aid Code in the event of the building being diverted, prior to the lapse of twenty years after the date of payment of grant, to other than educational purposes approved Government.

STATION, Vizagapalam
Date, 28 February 1905.

J. L. Coutat.
Manager.

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The St. Aloisius High School
 is doing valuable educational
 work in Vizagapatnam particularly
 in the case of the Eurasian Community
 and is fully deserving of
 a building grant, as liberal
 as the rules will allow
 I recommend for very favorable
 consideration the Principal's
 application for a grant. The
 School very badly requires
 a new building

R. L. S. S. S.
 agent to the Governor

Vizagapatnam }
 24. 2. 05 }

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 1584, From the D.P.D. No. 5157, Dated 5.9.1905.

Subject: - Building grant for Saint Aloysius' High School, Vizapatnam.

Plans to P.W.D. for favour of early scrutiny.

2. Verify.

H.D.T.
8.9.05.

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dated 5th September 1903.

Under rule 118 of the Grant. in-aid code the maximum building grant admissible to a school is one-third of the total cost incurred or proposed to be incurred on the work. But under article 57 of the revised Code of Regulations for European schools in India and Burma recently received from the Government of India, a building grant not exceeding one-half of the total cost may be given to a school intended for Europeans.

2. Before the question of the grant is considered, the plans and estimates may be forwarded up to the P.W.D. for early scrutiny.

3. It is observed that the application from the Manager of the St. Aloysius' High School for a half grant said to have been submitted has not been received.

Since received from P.P.
added to file. - 10.10.05
P.P. 10/10/05

H.D.T.
12/9/05

The institution is now classed as a European school. but under the Code for European schools it cannot

be regarded as such unless it sends away 35% of its
 native Christian and non-brahmin Hindu pupils. Under
 article 7 (d) of the Code no grant is made to any school in
 which the number of non-Europeans exceeds 15 per cent of
 the total number of scholars. For strength of 121 Europeans
^{Europeans} ~~Europeans~~ there cannot therefore be more than $21\frac{2}{3}$ ^{or 22} non-
 Europeans. ~~or 22~~ at present however there are 57 such pupils.
 The Director may perhaps be requested to ascertain whether
 the managers are prepared to ~~do this~~ send away all ~~the~~ ^{non-}
^{Europeans in excess of} $\frac{15}{85}$ of the Europeans. If not the school can be aided
 only under the ordinary Code and the total estimate as it at
 present stands being Rs 46,580 the grant cannot
 exceed Rs 15,526. ~~It appears unnecessary to send a~~
 decision may also be arrived at regarding the maximum
 amount which Govt will be prepared to give in ~~the~~ ^{both} cases,
 so that if the amount is not sufficiently large the managers
 may be asked whether they are prepared to go on with
 the building ~~even~~ in spite of the smaller grant. It seems
 advisable to send up the case to the P.W.D. ^{only} after these
 questions are settled.

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- Unless it is proposed to
 make a special case of this, the
 attention of the Managers may simply be
 drawn to the rules:
- (1) Under the ordinary Rules the maximum
 grant is $\frac{1}{3}$ rd
 - (2) Under the special Rules for European schools $\frac{1}{2}$
 - (3) A European school is one in which the

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Para 2 of the D.P.O's letter on
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To inform the
 managers of the
 rule? *R1*

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vide rule 118 of the Grant-in-
 aid Code - Page 4 of the Code.

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non-Europeans are not more than 15%
(4). The floor space of a dormitory must
under the rules be at least 30 sq ft per pupil.

H/13/10/05

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These draft reference accordingly
through B.P.G.
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16/05

The draft placed below is submitted for
approval. European Schools' Code has issued.

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[memo. no. 539 dated 18th September 1905].

From the D.P.S. no. 5157 dated 20th January 1906.

In reply to memo. no. 539 dated 18th September 1905,
the Director reports that the accommodation provided in
the plan of the new building for the St. Mary's High
School at Vizagapatam ~~has been made~~ complies with the
conditions prescribed in ^{article} ~~sub~~ 31 of the Code for European
Schools. The Director further reports that the manager is
prepared to start a separate school for the native pupils so
that the ^{proportion} ~~percentage~~ of non-Europeans ^(in the St. Mary's High School) may never exceed 15
percent of the total number of scholars, as required under
article 7(d) of the new European Code. It is stated that if
necessary the native pupils will be separated at once but
that the management naturally prefer that some time

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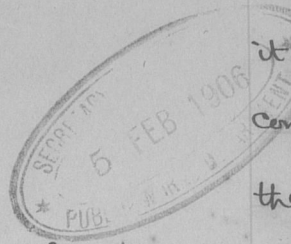
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should be given them to provide proper accommodation. Thus it will be seen that the authorities of the School are prepared to comply with the conditions of the new European Code in order that their School may be classed as an European School and earn a half grant under ^{article} 57 of the new Code.

2. For orders as to whether the file may now go up to Public Works for the scrutiny of plans & estimates. If it is decided to send the file to that department, it may be asked also to fix a period within which the work can be completed.

3. It is submitted that the new European Code has not yet been introduced in this Presidency and proposals have recently been received from the D.P.D. for its introduction, and are now under examination in the office, but the Code ^{has} will probably have been introduced before final orders are passed on the present application for grant.

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For scrutiny.

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Note by the Chief Engineer P.W.D. d/27-2-06

Memorandum ^{for the Relief Engineer PWD} ~~Noting~~ ~~the~~

The nature of the surface and sub soil and the reasons for allowing 10 1/2 ft foundations have not been given and therefore no opinion can be expressed regarding the suitability of the foundations. The following information should be submitted

- a. Nature of surface soil.
- b. " " " " sub soil.
- c. Cross sections of the site from fore shore across the road and proposed buildings.
- d. Cross sections of the retaining wall, marked A on the plan at Cross Section M.N. with dimensions and depth of foundations.

The granite floor slabs should be pointed with portland cement instead of lime mortar.

air spaces should be allowed on the sides of the joists and girders and camber pieces should be provided over the girders to secure proper

proper slope to carry off rain water. This slope should not be less than $\frac{3}{8}$ in. per foot.

The scantlings of the joists and girders should be as follows

Lower Storey
Joists in halls from 3×5 to 3×6
In wide verandahs do. 3×5 to $3 \times 5\frac{1}{2}$
do. in this room do. 3×5 to 3×6
do. both room do. 3×5 to 3×6

Upper Storey
Joists in Father's ^{dining} room } do. 3×5 to $3 \times 5\frac{3}{4}$

The same size joists may be used for the 3rd Storey.

Roofed Shel guides
In Father's dining room from $12 \times 5 \times 32$ lbs to $15 \times 5 \times 42$ lbs

Rates. 17.32 cft of ^{lime} sand and $\frac{3}{4}$ bu cft of sand ~~are~~ too much per 100 cft of rough stone in mortar and should be reduced to 16 and 32 cft respectively.

For embedding the floor slabs in mortar bed is sufficient and for this $3\frac{1}{2}$ cft of lime & 7 cft of sand are

ample against 8 cft and 16 cft respectively.

For tinning of the cartage of lime and sand is omitted. This should be now provided at the rate revised if necessary.

For the tinning floor on concrete of flat this is ample and the surface may be plastered with $\frac{1}{2}$ " Portland cement instead of ordinary mortar.

Varnishing 3 coats. 3 pints of Varnish and $1\frac{1}{2}$ pints are ample against 5 pints and 3 pints provided in the data. For 3 coats of French Polishing the ^{Consulting} Architects rate is only Rs 2.12.0 per 100 sq ft.

The following rates are in excess of those in the Schedule.

Door doors $\frac{1}{2}$ panel and $\frac{1}{2}$ Venetian	16.0	13.0
do. Venetian Windows	18.0	15.0
do. wood wrought & put up in joints	40.0	312.0

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it is considered
[The work should be
completed in about 18 months]

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To

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Educational Dept.

The Chief Engineer's note supra does not state whether ^{by} the alterations suggested by him the estimate for constructing the building for the St. Aloysius' High School, Vizagapatam, will be raised or lowered. In the absence of this information it is presumed that the estimate of Rs 46,580 submitted by the D.P.O. will stand.

2. Under article 57 of the new European Code the maximum amount of grant ^{ordinarily} admissible is one-half of the total cost. In the present case the ^{maximum} amount of grant comes to Rs. 23,290. It is however submitted that the new Code has not yet been introduced in this Presidency. ~~The~~ file on the subject ^{has} ~~is~~ gone in circulation today.

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under article 57 of the new European Code the maximum grant may be raised to even two-thirds of the total cost in places where there is a small or poor European population. Orders are solicited as to the amount of grant

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which may be promised in the present case.

PH
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See.

I think a copy of the Ch. Engr's note should be sent to the school authorities this D.P.O. that they should be asked to submit a fresh estimate in accordance with it. The amount of grant can then be settled. This will enable them in the meantime to separate the non-European element as they promised to do.

If this course does not commend itself, I submit that a lump sum grant of 25000/- may be given at once, subject to the condition that the alterations listed above are carried out. This grant is slightly in excess of the prescribed maximum, but is permissible under the Code.

I prefer the former course mainly ^{because} it will allow the provisions of the new Code to be passed before anything is settled.

Col.

2/3/06

The course suggested at A may be adopted

Am

11/27/06

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It will be wise to make no
 pretence of a grant such as is
 asked until we are quite sure
 that the conditions will be bona
 fide satisfied e.g. I do not regard it
 as a compliance with the condition
 as to the native percentage that
 the natives were merely moved
 out to an adjoining construction
 under the same management
 &c, permitting of the boys mixing
 up of the children during play
 hours &c. Jesuitical times.

I am not at all satisfied
 either that ~~these~~ this is ^{not} really
 really be classed as a "European"
 school, for are we sure that
 a large number of boys with
 Xth names are not natives
 in masquerade?

On the whole it w^d be
 far more satisfactory to
 treat the school on its present
 basis & give it a grant
 on that basis?

Perhaps ~~perhaps~~
 the D.P.I. might manage to ~~do~~

get the managers to have the
 case dealt with on that basis,
 pointing out to them the difficulties
 that are sure to arise, as well
 as the fact that the E. Code
 is not as yet actually in force
 (I believe this is strictly so?)
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Col. u. a. 193D
 6.3.06

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G. F. 7/3

S.P. u. a.

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 6.3.06

no no 24 d 9-3-6

I cannot say more than I said
 in the 'Current' - The school "deserves
 all the aid that Government may
 find it possible to bestow upon it"

I know the school myself and I know
 what many officers of the Department
 and others have thought of it.

I know the precarious state of the
 present building and how eager the
 management is to secure a better
 building and how hard they have
 and are trying to secure funds
 I can vouch for the very European

It is not religion
but race the
S. of I. are con-
cerned about
877

1248 29 108
Look that there is about the school
at present and have no reason to
doubt the bona fides of the manager
when he promises to comply with
any regulation about native pupils
It will be observed that all but
four of his present native pupils are
native christians and I do not
think that there is any doubt in
this case - as there so often is -
as to the ostensible object being
the main object and being steadily
kept in view.

Since 1864 i.e. from its start less
than Rs 400 has been given as
building grant - As the managers
have been bought
say, small native houses, one after
the other and joined together

As for the ~~present~~ current expenses
(including boarding, ~~transport~~ of
account - these are defrayed
entirely by the mission) not $\frac{1}{4}$ th
appears to have come from public
funds. There is also a separate
girls' school with nearly 100 European
girls and Eurasian girls and no natives
which has been for many years aided
to a small extent only

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owing to the very insecure state of the present building it will be difficult to rebuild piecemeal and I fancy the Mission will have to rent buildings or put up sheds during the operations. The Bishop has been unable to secure enough to pay $\frac{2}{3}$ rd as he hoped to do if it is possible I am therefore more than ever anxious to take advantage of the European Code. This has been issued by the Govt. of India and Govt. Could I presume put it or any one of its provisions into operation at any moment or in any particular case.

I think the Management may be relied upon to honestly comply with any of its conditions

ARM 8.3.6

Re submitted

ARM

HOS
TOS

The D.P.I. does not give all the information I wanted. One important point is what arrangements the Mission proposes for separating the native from

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Ed. u.o. 214 D
13.3.06.

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13/3/06

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the European school.
The D.P.D. seems to have a
part of notion that the
qⁿ of religion is somehow an
underlying element. Religion
has nothing whatever to
do with the matter. It is
a matter of race pure
What proportion of European
& Eurasian children are
there.

We must get further info
on these points

S.P. 7/2/9

D.P.D. no. for further remarks. He ^{will be} requested
to obtain complete details as to racial
elements composing the school, and to
attach a copy of the Inspector's report on the
subject

AD,
13.3.06

D.P.D. no.

no. 29 dt 16-3-06

The manager wires that there are
at present on the rolls:-

Europeans	29
Eurasians	140
Natives	37

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As the Inspector is on leave I obtained the information direct and have therefore no report from him upon the subject.

The Bishop visited Madras and in my absence interviewed the Deputy Director and expressed his willingness to conform in any way to the wishes of Government as to the arrangements in regard to the Natives at present on the rolls

AM 16.3.6

Resubmitted

ASD

17.3.08

Wm

I have had a talk with the D.P.I. on this case. I had no idea the proportion of Europeans was so large.

A grant ~~contingent~~ may be given on the ~~condition~~ condition that the C.S.'s proposals are adopted a copy of his note being sent to the School Authorities & that separate accommodation is provided for the native children. The grant may be

28 16 33 148
£ 22,000

S.F. 1875

Shanoff
20.3.08

1 The draft placed below is submitted for approval.

2 Subject to approval the conditions about completion of the work within a specified time and the certificate of actual expenditure which are inserted in the orders sanctioning building grants under the Code for ordinary schools have been inserted in the draft in addition to the conditions specified in the Board's orders on page 15. In the form of the usual order please see S.O. No 30 Vol. 1 of 18th January 1906. The printed form has not yet come up from the press.

3. The time allowed for the work by the P.W.D. is about 18 months - page 8 supra - i.e. till the 30th September 1907 from 1st April 1906. It is perhaps advisable to give three months more + 31st December 1907 has thus been entered in the draft.

Sec.

I am not sure of the first.

Condition (b) is vague, but perhaps that need not stand in the way. The Code must issue shortly.

Chf
21.3.08.

Of course this is
a departmental detail
for office

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Why should they not
complete it in
a year: it merely
means extra
workmen: viz
embodiment of time
is actually wanted
they can come up

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any year and would be the
 equivalent for expenditure under
 building grants, and liabilities on the
 account mounted up to an enormous
 sum. By fixing dates, which generally
 terminate about the close of a calendar
 year, we know exactly what claims
 for payment will be likely to fall
 due in any year.

W.H.
23 B 06

C. With reference to para. 1 of the Secretary's note of the 23rd
 instant it is submitted that there are several conditions laid
 prescribed in ~~Section II~~, Chapter IV, Section II. of the Code - pages
 708 of 80-40599 Vol. 1 of 5th September 1905. The first of these
 conditions namely, that "no grant will be given to any school
 that does not conform to the rules of the Code" is very
 comprehensive. For the purpose of the present order however,
 it seems enough if articles 59 & 60 about trust deed
 and Article 6 ~~about~~ containing what is generally
 called "the endowment clause" are embodied in the order.
 Nothing need be said about Courses of study (Chapter IV), Transfer
 Teachers & Certificates (Chapter VI), Transfer rules (Chapter VII)
 Records (Chapter VIII) & Examinations (Chapter IX)

If the draft as altered in pencil is approved it will be
 typed. *type please*
Can
 23/3/06 26.3.06.

The conditions seem sufficient,
 but if only the Code were out one
 general condition would be enough.

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 time a little

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 and appears necessary, to allow one week
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 Typed & submitted.

27/3/6

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. , dated 190 .

" " " " " " 190 .

READ ALSO:-

C. No. 1584, From the D.P.I. , No. 8757, dated 5-9 1905

" " 102 " " D.P.I. , No. 8757, dated 20-1-1906.

" " " " Memo. by the Chief Engineer, P.W.D. , No. 8757, dated 20-1-1906.

ORDER No. 232, dated 29-3-1906.

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(1) that the authorities of the school carry out the work in accordance with the recommendations of the Chief Engineer, P.W.D., in his Memorandum read above,

(2) that the work is completed before the (1st April 1907.)

(3) that a certificate of the actual expenditure incurred on the work is submitted before (30th April 1907,

(4)

Atta to 30th June

Atta to 31st July.

Atta in this
very form
+ print
29/3/06

(8) that the time or times during which any religious observance is practised or instruction in religious

Article 6(a) of the European
Code. C. page 5.

Subjects

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subjects is given at any meeting of the school shall be either at the beginning or at the end or at the beginning and the end of such meeting and shall be inserted in a time table to be kept permanently and conspicuously hung up in every school room and any day-scholar may be withdrawn by ^{its} parent from such observance or instruction without forfeiting any of the other benefits of the school.

(9) that the school shall be open at all times and in all its departments to the Inspector of European schools [but it shall be no part of his duties to enquire into any instruction on religious subjects given at the school or to examine any scholar therein in religious knowledge or in any religious subject or book]

2. On the above conditions being fulfilled the grant will be paid as funds become available.

P.T.T.	C.A.S.	H.D.T.
20-3-6.	21-3-6.	22-3-6.

Article 6(b) of the European Code - C. page 5.

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article 6 (c) of the European Code - C. page 5.

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To
The D.P.I.
with plans & estimates ret'd.
" Acctt. Genl.

1584-102
30-10-17
C.A.S. memo in full
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C. No. 1584, From the OSP, No. 5157, dated 5-9- 1905

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incurred on the work is submitted before ^{30th} 31st April 1907
January 1908

(4) that the actual expenditure does not fall short of Rs 4650

(5) that by the time the work is completed separate accommodation is provided for the native children in the school

(6) that all other conditions prescribed in the code for European schools which will shortly be introduced have been duly complied with.

2. On the above conditions being fulfilled the grant will be paid as funds become available.

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(6) That the usual trust deed is executed providing for the legal ownership of the premises, for the proper maintenance of the building & for the inspection and management of the school & declaring the building to be held in trust for school purposes only. (Article 59 & 60 of the European Code). C. page 11

(7) That it shall not be required as a condition of any child being admitted into or continuing in the school as a day scholar that he shall attend or abstain from attending any Sunday School or any place of religious worship, or that he shall attend any religious observance or any instruction in religious subjects in the school or elsewhere from which observance or instruction he may be withdrawn by his parent or that he shall if withdrawn by his parent attend the school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs. (Article 64 of the European Code) C. page 5

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To the D.D. with plans & estimates returned
" A.C.

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