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Station Madras , Dated the 14 December 1906

From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, B.A.,

(Designation) Ag. Director of Public Instruction.

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

Su,

I have the honour to request the sanction of Government to the purchase, at a cost of Rs. 350, of a second-hand piano for the Breek's Memorial School, Ootacamund. It is reported that the Headmaster of the school knows of a good piano which he can procure for this value and the Inspector of European and Training Schools recommends its supply.

2. The instrument is required chiefly for kindergarten purposes such as musical drills, &c.

3. The charge can be met from the allotment

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for 'Europe Stores' under Colleges Professional - Training
Colleges - in the current year's budget.

On the recommendation of the Inspector of
Training Schools, I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

E. W. Middlemast

For Director of Public Instruction.

There is a provision of £200 under ss. 9. Education
- 4th College, Professional - Teachers' College, Salisbury and
Training College, Ryelandsbury, from which, the Director proposes
the cost of the frame can be met.

The Director does not say what the cost of
new frame of the kind now referred to will
be. Perhaps he has satisfied himself that the instrument
works the amount proposed to be spent.

It is for order whether the proposed
instrument is a large one, and the
Director is to be informed of the Director's
views on the matter.

B.P.
13-12-52

K.P.D.

C. No. 2059 From the D.P.I. No. 6864, dated 14-12-1906.

SUBJECT.

Purchase of a second hand piano for the Breck's Memorial School, Ootacamund.

On the recommendation of the Inspector of European & Training Schools, the D.P.I. requests sanction to the purchase of a second hand piano for the Breck's Memorial School at a cost of Rs 350. It is stated that the Head Master of the School knows of a good piano which can be procured for Rs 300. The instrument is required chiefly for Kindergarten purposes such as musical drills etc.

There is a provision of Rs 500 under 22. B. Education - Govt. Colleges, Professorial - Teachers' College, Sandapet and Training College, Rajahmundry, from which, the Director proposes, the cost of the piano can be met.

2. The Director does not say what the cost of a new piano of the kind now referred to will be. Perhaps he has satisfied himself that the instrument is good and worth the amount proposed to be paid.

It is for orders whether the proposal may be approved. The Breck's school is a boys' school, but there is a lady teacher on the staff - Para. 2 of the Director's letter printed in G.O. no 480 Vol 41 14th July 1906 - page 2 of G.O.

What has that to do with it?
All ladies cannot necessarily
teach music, and some
of the best instrumental
musicians are men.
But it is requested only for
the purpose of order
to not

18/12/06

Secy. for orders.

19/12/06

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Local Land articles are not usually desirable purchases - unless not the local purchase of such an instrument, for which no urgent necessity has been shown, being done upon as the wish of the S. of State. Is there any exception from the rules as to Europe stores in the matter of pianos?

PR.
20/12/16

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A file of papers containing instructions to the purchase of "Europe stores" is submitted. Attention is invited to para 3 of the resolution of the Fort of India printed in G.O. no 190 Fint. dt 31st January 1883, the resolution of India printed in G.O. no. 358 Fint dt 8.6.1889 and also the resolution of India printed in G.O. no. 81 Financial dt 29.1.1900.

(in the file below)

2. Nothing can be traced to the effect that local purchase of pianos forms any exception to the rule.

M2
22/10/16

- under para. 3 of the resolution of the Fort of India
- C printed with G.O. no 190 Fint dt 31st January 1883 as
 - D modified by the resolution printed with G.O. no 358 Fint dt 8th June 1889 "Stores of European Manufacture may be obtained in India when for any special reason it may be more economical to do so." Will not the present proposal come under this exception? The piano is required only for purposes of drill.

PR
23/12/16

Sey.

The only ground for local purchase would in this case be economy & if

5 3
The piano is good & in good order that no doubt would be effected.

Am
11/1/07

The purchase may be approved provided that the Inspector of European Schools is satisfied that the piano is worth the price named. It would be more economical to purchase a new piano, than an old worn out article.

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has been made

ST

Having regard to the Steele's affairs, I think the D.P.I. better inquire who the owner is, & whether the instr. is really serviceable. How the part be used

ST 4

Will D.P.I. please make the reference?

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7.1.07

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2000 7d, 12-1-07.

Mr. Steele writes to say that there are two pianos, the property of Musquith & Co. Ltd., & that both are in excellent order & well suited for school use.

Re. unsubmitted

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Am
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and is also serviceable

ST 7

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7.1.07

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Am 17

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may stand I think
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A draft is placed below for approval.
Should the portion in brackets be retained please

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H.L.

18.1.07

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19/1/07

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second hand piano for the use of
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\$ 350 is approved ~~provided~~
~~that~~ The Inspector of European
schools ^{will be requested to satisfy himself} is ~~satisfied~~ that the
piano is worth the price named
and is also serviceable. F

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