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C.No. 88929

G.O. No. 443. Edn.

Dated 21-3-45.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Stationery - Waste paper in Government Offices in the City of Madras - Supply to the hand made paper factories - Debit of cost - Orders passed.

Back Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O	No.	Department.	Date.
Go	1066	Edn	17-7-44				
"	2670	Dev	12-8-44				
Memo	343B/44-4	Edn	25-2-44				

Further Papers.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

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Stationery – Wastepaper in Govt offices in the city of Madras – Supply to the handmade paper factories – Recovery of cost ② E & P H Dept (B)

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Memo No 40036 B/44-2 Edn d 12/8/44

It has been suggested that the cost of the wastepaper in Govt offices in the city of Madras which is being supplied to the three handmade paper factories in the Ceded Districts and at Bezwada should, for purposes of accounting, be worked out at the rate of Rs 230/ per ton (price fixed in G.O No 1066 Edn d 17-7-44) and credited to the head 'XLV – Stationery and Printing – Stationery receipts – Provincial'. The D.I&C is requested to offer his remarks on the suggestion at an early date.

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To 15/8
The D.I&C

Ds to
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([illegible] on 31-8-44)

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The Government direct that Forms A and B appended to the rules issued under the Madras Agriculturists Relief Act, 1938 (Madras Act IV of 1938), be standardized under Revenue Group R.F. XIX "Loans" as shown below for use by Collectors and local bodies, respectively :—

Group and serial number.		Description of the form.	Size and description of paper.	Remarks.
R.F. XIX.	72	*Form A*—Memorandum under section 26 of the Madras Agriculturists Relief Act, 1938 (Madras Act IV of 1938).	Quarter glazed buff, double foolscap, 24 lb.	English only (Annual supply).
,,	73	*Form B*—Certificate under section 27 of the Madras Agriculturists Relief Act, 1938 (Madras Act IV of 1938).	Do.	English, Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam and Kanarese (Annual supply).

2. A statement showing the number of copies of Form A required for use in the several districts is annexed to this Order. The Superintendent, Government Press, is requested to print and supply copies accordingly to the Collectors concerned direct.

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R.O.C.No.3382 of 44-C.4.

DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
31 AUG 1944
EDUCATION & PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

From
S.P. Thompson Esq., I.C.S.,
Registrar, High Court of Judicature, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department (with enclosures)

Sir,

Dated 29th August 1944.

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Subject:- Waste paper - Collection of - in city offices.

Not recd

Reference:- Circular No.758 E/44 dated 27th July 1944 from the Director of Industries and Commerce.

Under the above circular the quantity of waste paper delivered to the contractor should be intimated to the mechanic in charge of the Madras Sub-Division who is responsible for the maintenance of accounts. Presumably no payment is to be made by the contractor who is only authorised to collect the waste paper in the city offices, but some departmental book adjustment seems necessary. The Official Assignee asks for instructions about the procedure to be adopted for verifying whether the cost of the consignments delivered to the contractor has been credited to the Provincial revenues (Copy of his letter enclosed).

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I request that detailed instructions may therefore be given as to the procedure to be followed.

REGISTRAR.

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Copy of letter G.12/44-6964 dated 23rd August 1944 from the Official Assignee, High Court, Madras, to the Registrar, High Court of Judicature, Madras.

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Subject:- Waste paper - Collection of -

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With reference to your R.O.C.No.3049/44-C.2 dated 1-8-44 forwarding a copy of letter No.758-E/44 dated 27th July 1944 from the Director of Industries and Commerce containing instructions regarding the disposal of waste paper reserved for handcraft paper factories, please be good enough to let me know if the delivery to the Contractor Mr.Abbas Sahib should be made on payment of cash. If not, the procedure to be adopted for verifying whether the cost of consignments delivered to him has been credited to the provincial revenues may be indicated.

In the case of paper delivered to the Salvation Army a receipt is obtained from them for the quantity delivered and an advice of the payment of the cost thereof into the Reserve Bank of India, Madras, to ~~th~~ the Government of Madras is sent to me in due course by them.

E & P.H Deptt OV

The question raised by the Registrar, High Court, is under consideration separately - Vide file submitted below. On receipt of the reply of the D.I.& C. to the reference made to him, detailed instructions may be issued.

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No.816L/44 Office of the Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras, dated 24th October 1944.

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From

The Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras;

To

The Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department, Madras.

Sir,

Sub: Stationery-Waste paper in Govt. offices in the City of Madras supply to the Hand made paper factories- Recovery of Cost.

Ref: Govt. Memo No.40036-B/44-2 Edn. dated 12th August 1944.

The cost of manufacture of hand-made paper is high compared to mill paper and there is nothing gained by adding further to that cost by charging for waste paper. I therefore request that the supply of waste paper may be made free of cost to the hand-made paper units.

c.r.24-10.

for Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras.

CR 24.10

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K.D.Rao 9-XI-44

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From the D.I&C, No 8161/44 E&P.H.Dept
(B)
d 24.10.44

Stationery - Wastepaper in Govt offices in the city of Madras - Supply to the handmade paper factories - Recovery of cost.

Memo No 400360/44-70 dated 9.11.44

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14cf requested to furnish at an early date a rough statement of comparative costs in respect of one or two common varieties

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From the D.I&C, No 8161/4
d 24.10.44

Stationery - Wastepaper - G
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From the D.I & C, No 8162/44 E & P.H. Dept
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d 24.10.44

Stationery - Wastepaper in Govt offices in the city of Madras - Supply to the handmade paper factories - Recovery of cost.

Memo No 400368/44-7 dd 9.11.44

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of paper. In working these out, the cost of waste-paper should be included.

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To

✓The D.I&C.

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No.816I/44 Office of the Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras, dated 9th December 1944.

From
A.Khaleeli Esq.,I.C.S.,
Director of Industries and Commerce,
Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health
Department, Madras.

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVER.
11 DEC 1944
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.

Sir,

Sub: Stationery- Waste paper in Government Officess in the City of Madras-Supply to the hand made paper factories- Recovery of cost.

pp 7-8 ante

Ref: Government Memo.No.40036B/44-7 Edn. dated 9-11-1944.

p 11 infra

I enclose a rough statement prepared by the Paper Specialist of comparative costs of manufacture for two varieties of Mill made paper and three varieties of Hand made paper as desired in Government memorandum cited.

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for Director of Industries and Commerce.

Encl: 1 Statement

c.r.9-12-44

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Comparative statement of cost of production in a Paper Mill and a Handmade Paper Mill.

COST OF MATERIALS PER TON.	PAPER MILL		HAND MADE PAPER MILL		
	Printing Paper	Writing Paper	Writing Paper	Printing Paper	Boxboards
	50% Waste Paper	20% Waste Paper	20% Waste Paper	20% Waste Paper	50% of Waste Paper
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
BAMBOO	30	50			
STRAW			50	60	45
WASTE PAPER.	120	50	45	60	68
COAL	75	80			
FIREWOOD			100	100	111
PULPMAKING CHEMICALS	125	200	225	200	205
PAPER MAKING CHEMICALS	40	50	55	50	29
LABOUR	120	120	680	500	470
REPAIRS, RENEWALS	100	100	90	50	30
OVERHEAD	80	80	175	170	130
TOTAL Rs.	690	730	1420	1190	1088
COST PER lb. Rs.	-4-11	0-5-3	0-10-2	0-8-6	0-7-8

Paper Specialist

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Done
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Memo No. 76330 D/44-1 d 12.1.'45

Sub: Industries – Waste paper in Govt. offices in the City of Madras – Supply to handmade paper factories – Recovery of cost.

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P.9 C.f

Ref: From the D.I.&C. letters No. 816 R/44 d 24.10.44 & 9.12.44 to the Secretary, E&P.H. Dept.

It has been suggested that, the handmade paper manufacturing units being commercial undertakings, the cost of the waste paper supplied to them should also be included in the accounts in order to arrive at correct results of their working. The D.I.&C. is requested to report whether the paper produced at the production units may not be sold at a price which would cover the cost of production including the interest on capital invested, and whether the price so fixed would be prohibitive.

To
The D.I.&C.

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Memo No. 76330 D/44-3 d ~~31-8-45~~ 31-1-1945

Sub: Industries - Waste paper in Govt. offices in the City of Madras — Supply to handmade paper factories - Recovery of Cost.

Ref: Govt. memo No. 76330 D/44-1 d 12-1-'45.

The DI&C is requested to state when a reply to the memo cited may be expected.

Issue
Ce 31.1.45

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Esp
The DI&C

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In reply, please quote number, date and short title.

_____ DEPARTMENT. (9)

Received _____ *Registered* _____

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From (Name) A.Khaleeli Esq., I.C.S.,

(Designation) Director of Industries and Commerce,

Post Box 432, (Station) Madras.

Telegraphic Address _____

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Madras.

ADDITIONAL UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
13 FEB 1945
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

No. 816 -44 dated 12-2-45. 19

Sir,

Sub: Industries - Waste Paper in Government Offices in the City of Madras - Supply to Handmade Paper Factories - Recovery of cost.

Ref: Government Memorandum No.76330 D/44-1 dated 12-1-45 and 31-1-45.

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ENCLOSURES × P13 above
✓ P14 above

SPARE COPIES

A The cost of hand made paper is already higher than that of mill made paper, and any further increase in the price would make it prohibitive. As the object of Government is to develop the hand made paper industry, it is for Government to find a market for its products. It is therefore necessary to provide for sale, at reasonable rates, of the products of this industry. The fact that this industry is to be worked as a commercial undertaking does not mean that it should not be given facilities by Government in the shape of supplies of certain raw materials at little or no cost. Big commer-

B cial undertakings like the Mettur Chemicals, the Rajahmundry Paper Mills etc. have applied for concessions and privileges and these have been granted to them by Government. Land has been given at specially cheap rates in certain cases;

in other cases, power or water has been supplied at specially low rates; in others still, taxes like customs duty are remitted. The numerous forms which State assistance takes need not be listed out here. It is sufficient to point out that such concessions are intended to encourage and further industrial development in a country which is admittedly industrially backward. The hand made paper industry, now in its infancy, needs all the fatherly care which a industrially minded administration could give it. I accordingly repeat my recommendation as contained in my letter to the Secretary to Government, Education and Public Health Department, L.Dis. No.816 D/44 dated 24-10-44.

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05 above

T. Venkayya
for Director of Industries and Commerce.
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Stationery - Waste paper in Govt offices in the city of Madras
Supply to the hand made paper factories - Debit of Cost
Orders passed

Nos. 9-11 + 15-16 cf.

GO No. 40036 B/44. From the D. I & C. no 8161/44 D, 24.10.44,
9.12.44 + 12.2.45

Order Ms no 443 Edn 21.3.45.

The Govt have considered the question whether the waste paper collections in Govt offices (excluding ARP offices) in the city of Madras supplied to the hand made paper factories should be charged or not. As the factories are treated as Govt commercial concerns and it is necessary to ascertain the true financial results of the undertakings, the govt have decided that the hand made paper factories should be debited

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with the cost of waste paper supplied to them at the ~~flat~~ rate fixed for the sale of waste paper - viz Rs 230 per ton with a corresponding credit to " XLV ~~X-L.V.~~ - Stationery & Printing - Stationery - Receipts - Provincial". [~~The value of the waste paper supplied should be included in both the sets of accounts maintained in respect of these factories viz Govt accounts on a cash basis and the departmental accounts in a commercial form prescribed in G.O. no 2670 Dev d 17.6.44~~] K

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[ ] may be omitted, as it is superfluous.

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To
The D.I & C
.. Supdt of Stationery
.. All heads of Depts in the city
.. Depts of the Sectt
" Ag. Mus. Press

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pp B.4 CF

From the Regr. Madras High Court Roc 3382/44-C4 d 29.8.44

Stationery - waste paper in Govt offices in the city of Madras Supply to the handmade paper factories - Recovery of cost

Memo to 40036 B/44-15 Edn d. 20.3.45

A copy of G.O. no 443 Dev d 21-3-1945 is forwarded to the Registrar, High Court, Madras, and he is informed that a receipt may be obtained from the contractor authorised to collect the waste paper intended for the handmade paper factories in regard to the quantity of paper delivered to him on each occasion and it may be forwarded to the Mechanic-in charge of the Madras Sub-Divn for adjustment of the cost in the accounts maintained by him.

May this be the procedure followed in respect of supplies to Sal. Army. Vide A on p 4 CF

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To
The Regr High Court.
Madras.

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to intimate ~~to the~~ Dy. Controller of Stationery the requirements of the American paper mentioned on p 101 cf and for which the latter has sent a telegram vide p. 111 cf. The shipping order on p 123 cf does not cover all ~~the~~ varieties of paper mentioned on p 101 cf.

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Government of Madras
Abstract

Stationery - Waste paper in Government Offices in the City of Madras - Supply to the hand made paper factories - Debit of cost - Orders passed.

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Education and Public Health Department.

G.O.Ms.No.443, Edn., dated the 21st March 1945.

Read the following:

From the Director of Industries and Commerce, No. 8161/44, dated the 24th October 1944, 9th December, 1944 and 12th February 1945.

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ORDER.-

The Government have considered the question whether the waste paper collections in Government offices (excluding A.R.P. offices) in the city of Madras supplied to the hand-made paper factories should be charged or not. As the factories are treated as Government commercial concerns and it is neces-

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necessary to ascertain the true financial results of the undertakings, the Government have decided that the hand made paper factories should be debited with the cost of waste paper supplied to them at the flat rate fixed for the sale of waste - paper - viz., Rs. 230/- per ton with a corresponding credit to "XLV - Stationery and Printing - Stationery - Receipts - Provincial".

(By order of His Excellency the Governor)

C.O.Coorey,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Industries and Commerce.
" Superintendent of Stationery.
All Heads of Departments in the City.
To all the Departments of the Secretariat.
" the Accountant-General through the Finance Department.

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True copy - Forwarded - By order.

K S Krishnaswami
Superintendent.

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No.816-44F.

Office of the Director of Industries
and Commerce, Madras, dated 4-5-1945.

DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
5 MAY 1945
28018 D
5.5.45

From
A.Khaleeli Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Industries and Commerce,

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Madras.

Sir,

Sub: Stationery-Waste Paper in Government offices of the City of Madras - Supply to Handmade Paper factories - Submitted.

Ref: G.O.Mis.No.443 Edn. dated 21-3-45.

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The orders of Government issued in G.O. cited charging a flat rate of Rs.230 per ton for waste paper supplied to the Hand Made Paper Units at Bezwada, Gazulapalle and Bugga will be given effect to from the 1st April 1945. The accounts of the several units for the previous year have been closed and finished goods made

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during the year under reference have already been disposed of. Whilst on this question, I would invite the attention of Government to G.O.No.294 E.P.H. dated 2nd March 1945 ordering supply of waste paper free of charge to hand made paper units established in the several Central Jails. I would be glad to know the principles on which the hand made paper units in the Jail Department are treated differently from those under my Department.

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Director of Industries and Commerce.

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20. ADD u.S. Please see the letter on pp1-2 above. The suggestion of the DI&C at 'A' on p1 above

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may be agreed to in this Dept and the file passed on to E&P.H. for ~~disposal~~ issue of necessary orders. [The paper units in the jail Dept. are not treated as commercial units and hence the differential treatment ~~complained of~~ referred to at 'M' on p2 above].

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Please also see 'M' on pp ~~18-19~~ 17-18 of (M)

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Answer query at 'M' on P.2 CF first, as it is for E&PH to do? 8.5.45

K E&~~PH~~.

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20 ADD u.S. 'K' above. The [answer to the ~~first~~ latter part of the point raised by the DI&C at 'M' on p 2 cf. ~~has already been~~ is contained ~~answered~~ in G.O. Ms 443 Edn. of 21.3.45 – please see 'M' on pp 17-18 c.f. of (M). E&P.H. will ~~however~~ make the position clear to the Jail Dept as regards ~~at 'N' above~~ when sending a consolidated reply to the letter on pp1-2 of ~~above~~. Obviously the units in the Jail Dept were not treated as commercial concerns. [This may be passed on to E&P.H.

pp 17-18 of (M)

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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPT.
2 MAY 1945

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A draft are re-submitted. It may issue after perusal by Dev/Fin

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Dev/Fin

To ADD A.S.

The draft memo below may be perused and the file passed on to Fin.

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E&PH Memo No 21770 B/45-1 Edn 18.5.45

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
19 MAY 1945
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Dev no. 30457

23.5.45

Finance (E&PH)

The draft memo may be perused and the case returned to E & P.H.

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28 MAY 1945
EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Draft may issue.

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ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
24 MAY 1945
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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Fin no 24057 A.1 26/5/45

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⑮ 27 E&P.H. (B)

(M) Read:- G.O. 443 Edn. Dt 21.3.45

" " 294 " " 2.3.45 (J)

" C.No. 21770. From the D.I&C., letter no. 816-44 F.D. Dt 4.5.45

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Subject:- Stationery - Waste papers - Supply to Handmade paper factories - Debit of Cost

Memo. No. 21770 B/45-2 Edn d. 28.5.45

A 28/5 (M)

The proposal of the D.I&C. to give effect to the Orders in G.O. No. 443 Edn. Dt 21.3.45 on the above subject from 1.4.45 is accepted.

2. The handmade paper factories at Bugga, Gazulapalle & Bezwada are treated as Govt. Commercial Concerns; in order to ascertain the true financial results of these undertakings, it has been considered necessary to charge for the waste paper supplied to them. In the case of Jails, the manufacture of paper is in an experimental stage and it is not expected that the reqd. standard of good paper will be reached during the period in question. The Govt. have therefore decided that no charge need be made for the paper supplied to the paper-making units in Jails.

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Fair note of 'A' on pp 29-30 n.f. (J)

To
The D.I&C.

Despd K.M. 30.5.45

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No.816-L/44. Office of the Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras, 28th August 1945. 29

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THIRD ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
31 AUG 1945
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

(16)

From
The Director of Industries & Commerce, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government, Development Department.

Sir,

Sub: Stationery - Waste paper in Government offices of the City of Madras Supply to Hand-made paper factories -

Ref: My letter No.816-L/44 dated 4-5-1945 -

× Sent to E&P.H. with Dis no. 28018/45 d 11.5.45 -

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I invite a reference to my letter cited and request that early orders may be passed in the matter.

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for Director of Industries and Commerce.

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[illegible] free of cost to the handmade

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U. S. 'A' on p1 above.

The letter referred to on p1 above was sent to E&P.H. with Dev u.o. No. 28018 D/45-1 d 11-5-45. This may be sent to E&P.H. in continuation. That dept. may be requested to send an interim reply to the DIC, if it will take some time for final orders to issue..

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6 SEP 1945
Education and Public Health Dept.

A draft is submitted

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(17) ~~E&PH Dept~~ 31 / B

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Cno 39622 — From the DIC, ~~letter No~~ 816-L/44 d. 28.8.45

Subject

Stationery — Waste paper ~~[illegible]~~ supply to Hand-made paper factories

p23 cf (M)

~~Memo No.~~ 39622 B/45-1 Edn. d. 11.9.1945

The DIC is informed that orders on his letter No 816-44F. d. 4.5.45 ~~Read above~~ have already been issued in Memo. No. 21770 B/45-2 Ed d. 28.5.45, a ~~copy~~ copy of which is ~~however~~ enclosed for information

p27 cf (M)

To
The DIC
thro Dev
(With copy of Memo on p27 cf. of Go 443 Edn d. 21.3.45)

Dr 11/9

Despd 13.9

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revision time-scale of pay or in the new revised scale of pay introduced for the Health Inspectors is therefore inadmissible.

3. The memorialist was last appointed as acting Health Inspector only on 23-11-1937 after a break in service. Under rule 4 of the rules issued with G.O. No.169 Public (Services) dated 29-1-38 he was permitted to draw Rs.60/- from 23-11-1937 to 31-1-38 and Rs.55/- from 1-2-38 as initial pay in the scales of pay of Rs.60-3-90-3-120 and Rs. ~~[illegible]~~ 55-$\frac{5}{2}$-85-$\frac{4}{2}$-105. respectively. As there are other acting Health Inspectors similarly affected there are no special grounds for relaxing the orders in favour of the memorialist alone.

4. In the circumstances stated above the memorial may be rejected.

Ch. Ganapati

Lt.-Col.I.M.S.,
Director of Public Health, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Deptt.

P.S.23-2-40.Exd. Re 23-2 al 24/2/40.

(19) E&P.H

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Stationery - Wastepaper in Govt offices in the city of Madras - Supply to the handmade paper factories

~~[illegible]~~ According to the existing orders, the wastepaper collections in Govt offices (excluding A.R.P offices) in the city of Madras are being utilised for the three handmade paper factories at Bugga, Garulapalle (Ceded Districts) and at Bezwada. The collection and removal of the wastepaper intended for the three factories are being attended to by the Mechanic-in-charge, Madras Sub Division under the instructions of the Director of Industries and Commerce in accordance with the instructions issued in Memo No 343B/44-4 dated 25/2/44. As the factories are treated as Govt commercial concerns, it ~~seems~~ is necessary ~~[illegible]~~ to lay down definite ~~some~~ procedure (for purposes of accounting) in regard to the ~~in respect of the~~ recovery of the cost of wastepaper supplied to the handmade paper units. The rate fixed for the sale of wastepaper in Govt offices during 1944-45 is Rs 2-3-0/ per ton. The D.I.&C. may perhaps be asked to credit the cost of the wastepaper supplied to the three factories at the same rate ~~[illegible]~~ to XLV - Stationery and Printing - Stationery receipts - Provincial [illegible] Dept and Finance may see for remarks.

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Dept Finance

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To Add. U.S. Please see notes on p1 above. Three handmade paper units have been opened, at Bezwada, at Gajulapalli (Kurnool Dt) and at Bugga (Cuddappah Dt). It has been decided to treat these units as Govt. Commercial concerns. The handmade paper units at Bezwada and Gajulapalli have just begun to work and the work at Bugga is still in progress. The handmade paper industry is a nascent industry and the paper units have not begun to work in full swing. It may perhaps be necessary to supply waste paper from Govt. offices in the city of Madras to these units free of charge atleast in the initial stages till the factories are able to put on the market their products. E and P.H. may be requested to consult the D.I.&C. on the suggestion at 'A' on p1 above before any decision is taken. ~~With these remarks the file may be passed on to Fin.~~

If they are Commercial concerns they should pay for the waste paper.

If this is approved, the case may be referred to E.&P.H. for consulting the D.I.&C.

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The D.I.C. may be consulted

Lr. No. 2670
17-6-44

W.r. to recent orders E & P.H. have to consult D.I.&C. [illegible]

Draft Memo to the D.I.&C. in ~~E.P.H. Dept~~ Dev. U.O. 45715 D 44-1 10.8.44 submitted for approval.

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C.No. 43349 B/44 From the Registrar, High Court, R.O.C. No 3382 of 44-C.4 d 29.8.1944.

C.No. 51039 B/44 From the D.I.&C., No. 816 L/44 d 24.10.44.

p 1 cf

p 3-4 cf

p 5 cf

please see the Memo on p1cf and the reply of the D.I.&C. on p5cf. The Director ~~requests~~ suggests that the wastepaper in the city offices may be supplied free of cost to the handmade paper units. [redacted] Dev and Finance may see for remarks.

2/. The question of issuing instructions with reference to the letter of the Registrar, High Court, on pp 3-4 cf, need be

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considered only if it is decided to charge for the wastepaper supplied to the handmade paper factories.

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To Add. U.S.

This Dept. last noted on, on p2 above. Further notes may be perused. It was ~~ordered~~ suggested that as the ~~handmade paper units should be treated as~~ Govt. Commercial undertakings ~~and accounts maintained accordingly~~. In view of the remarks of the Secretary at 'A' on p2 above it is for orders whether this dept. will suggest that the ~~waste paper supplied to such~~ handmade paper units should be asked to pay for the waste paper supplied to them at the rates at which the waste paper is sold to the Paper Mills. After orders are ~~passed the file may be passed on to Fin.~~

Secy's notes at A on p 2 above

'A' on p1 above

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These units should pay for the supply of waste paper made to them from the Govt. offices. In his report at p. 5 cf., the D.I.&C. states that the waste paper from the Govt. offices should be supplied free of cost. His argument in support of his proposal does not however appear sound as the cost of production of handmade paper will not represent correctly the results of the commercial undertaking if the cost of the raw material (even if it is got free) is not taken into account. Presumably the D.I.&C. apprehends that the inclusion of the cost of the waste paper will render the working of the production units uneconomical and less competitive. For orders whether, in view of the previous opinion of this Dept, the proposal of the D.I.&C. to supply waste paper free of cost will be agreed to. X

After orders are passed, the file may be passed on to the Fin. Dept.

For orders on "X" above (read with "A" on P. 2 ante)

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The D.I.C.'s report is vague. How does the cost of handmade paper compare with the cost of mill made paper? Let us have a comparative statement of costs in respect of a paper or two common varieties. When preparing costing statements the cost of waste paper will be included. A

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To A.D.D. W.S. The file may be returned to E&P.H. for consulting the D.I.&C. with reference to the Secretary's remarks at 'A' above.

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C.C. 4.11.44 4.11.44

A draft Memo to the D.I.&C. is submitted for approval.

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[Issued as Memo No 40036 B/44-7 Edn d 9.11.44] 9/11/44

C. No 58138 B/44 from the D.I.&C., No 816 L/44 d 9.12.44

The D.I.&C. has furnished a statement of comparative costs of manufacture of ~~for~~ two varieties of Mill made ~~made~~ paper and three varieties of Handmade paper. The file may now be sent to Dev.

pp 7-8 cf
p 9 cf
p 11 cf.

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To A.N. W.S.

~~Secretary's remarks at 'A' above.~~

This file deals with the question of supplying free of cost waste paper from the Govt. Vide p 5 cf

As per [illegible] orders the depts. of Govt. should [illegible] offices

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Offices in the city of Madras ~~to the D.I.&C. free of cost~~ for the use of the three handmade paper manufacturing units under the control of the D.I.&C. With reference to Secretary's remarks at 'A' on p 4 above, please see the memo issued to the D.I.&C. on pp 7-8 cf. and his reply on pp 9-11 cf. From the statement of the comparative cost of production of the mill made paper and the handmade paper given on p 11 cf., it will be seen that the cost of production of the handmade paper is nearly double that of the mill made paper. For orders on 'X' ~~with regard to 'X'~~ on p 4 above. After orders are passed, the case may be returned to ~~E.&P.H.~~ Fin. ~~Dept.~~

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Vide U.S.'s note at Y on p 4 above

Vide Z on p 3 above

C.C. 16.12.44 18 18.12.44

In view of the high production costs in the case of hand-made paper we may perhaps agree now in this Dept. to the supply of waste-paper free of cost. For orders.

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Fin. (E&P.A)

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The three handmade paper manufacturing units in the Industries Dept are regarded as Govt. Commercial undertakings and Commercial accounts have been ordered to be maintained for them - see G.O. 2670 Devt. of 17.6.44. They are required to work to a financial result determined through the accounts maintained on commercial principles - see Art. 59-B of M.A.C. Vol. I. If, as proposed by Devt, the cost of raw materials (waste paper) is not ~~included~~ taken

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into account in the pro-forma Commercial accounts, ~~[illegible]~~ the cost of production and loss or profit in a year, ~~resulting~~ disclosed by ~~from~~ such accounts will not ~~[illegible]~~ be true. Finance may therefore suggest that the cost of waste paper should be included in the accounts relating to the handmade paper manufacturing units, as otherwise ~~so that [illegible]~~ the financial results will be vitiated.

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28.12.44

2. Add. U.S. Please see the notes of this Dept. from the bottom of P4 above and the notes of Fin. dept. thereafter. For orders whether in view of B above this dept. will press for the supply of waste paper to handmade paper manufacturing units free of cost or whether ~~agree with~~ the suggestion of Fin. at 'A' above will be accepted. After orders are passed, the case may be returned to E&P.H. Dept.

M on p5 above

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The issue here is really –

Are we supporting these units in order to promote and improve the hand-paper industry as such? or –

Are we supporting them as paying commercial concerns only, ? and going to withdraw our support if they don't pay?

It is for orders on the above considerations as to whether or not we should revise the opinion of this Dept. w.r.t. the Fin. Note at 'A' above.

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As these units are commercial undertakings we cannot press for the supply of waste paper free of charge. Is the price of handmade paper controlled? If not there is the objection to selling paper made at these centres at a price sufficient to cover the cost of production including interest on the capital invested. Would such a price be prohibitive?

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2. Add. U.S. 'A' above.

wrt 'B'

The price of handmade paper is not controlled.

The other points raised at 'A' above may be put to the DIC. Subject to orders, a draft memo to the DIC is submitted for approval. E&P.H. may see the file after issue of the memo, with ref. to their reminder put up at (Y).

Thro: L I

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Secy's query at 'B' ~~on p~~ above

The only Order applying to paper ~~manu-~~ manufactured in India is the Paper Price Control Order 1944. That Order applies ~~only~~ to all varieties of paper allowed to be manufactured by the Indian paper mills. It will not therefore apply to hand-made paper.

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'A' on p1(f) of (R)

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(Thro' L II).

The provisions of the H.P.P. Ordinance will have ~~to be~~ it seems to be applied in this case.

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L II

The provisions of Section 6 of the H.P.P. Ordinance will apply if there is no separate ad hoc control governing the prices of hand-made paper. Draft may issue & the E&PH may see after issue. The point raised by Secy's query at 'B' above can be further examined on receipt of a reply to this draft.

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The notes from p 5 ante and the Memo below may be perused and the file returned to Dev.

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E&P.H. Memo No. 70036 B/44-1 issued 18.1.45

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To ADD. U.S.

The reply, from the D.I. &c, to the memo on p 13 cf. may be awaited till 30/1/45.

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[Read letter from the D.I. &c No. 816-44 F d. 12.2.45]

pp 15-16 cf.

To ADD. U.S.: Secy's query at top of p 7 above:

Please see the memo issued to the D.I. &c on p 13 cf. and his reply on pp 15-16 cf.

The D.I. &c repeats his former request that waste paper may be supplied to the handmade paper units free of cost, for the following reasons:—

p 5 cf

i) The cost of handmade paper is already higher than that of mill made paper and if the cost of the waste paper is added on to the cost of production, the price will become prohibitive,

'A' on p 15 cf

ii) Similar concessions with regard to power, water or land have been given before to big Industrial Undertakings like the Mettur Chemicals, the Rajahmundry Paper Mills etc.

'B' on pp 15-16 cf

iii) Handmade paper industry being in its infancy needs to be encouraged by giving some form of Govt. assistance. The Handmade paper production units are intended to relieve the present shortage of paper.

'D' on p 16 cf

L. Fin have stated on pp 5-6 above that as the handmade paper units are commercial concerns, the cost of waste paper should be included in the accounts as otherwise the financial results would be vitiated. ~~In view of [illegible]~~ In the letter of the D.I. &c,

'A' on p 6 above

~~remarks at 'A' on p 7 above it is for orders whether the supply of waste paper free of charge to the handmade paper units will be pressed in this depts. or the suggestion of Fin at 'A' on p 6 above will be agreed to.~~

~~After orders are passed, the case may be returned to E&P.H.~~

Thro: AI w.r.t. 'M' on p 7 above.

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at pp 15-16 cf, no convincing reasons have been given to deviate from this sound principle. It would appear that the industry requires to be subsidised — indirectly in effect — so that it might look an economical proposition. To reconcile these two conflicting points, the only possible course open to the Govt is ~~[illegible]~~ to charge the units with the cost of the waste paper and to fix the price of paper produced therein in a way which will allow of its ~~being allowed to~~ being sold at competitive rates, ignoring the loss arising therefrom to the Govt. The loss so incurred will be in the nature of a subsidy but the economics of the industry as a commercial concern would at the same time be disclosed — vide Z at p 6 above. ~~[illegible]~~

Cf A on p 15 cf

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Sub: for orders.

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The issue is not further advanced than it was previously. Fin. objected to the waste paper being given free of cost for the "accounts reason" given at "B" on P.6 above. We may perhaps agree with the advisability of accepting the view there stated. If we are to encourage this industry especially in view of the present paper shortage, the only solution to cover this point and Fin's point, would seem to be to supply the paper at the ordinary rates for the time being and to grant a subsidy eq. to the amount involved. Or alternatively to adhere to our view previously expressed at "R" on P.5 ante which is as according to the D.I.C's recommendations.

Fin to see again?
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~~[illegible] the cost of waste paper supplied [illegible] with the [illegible] units [illegible] the [illegible]~~

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The file started with the question whether the Stationery Deptt need be credited with the value of the waste paper supplied from Govt Offices in the City to the three hand made paper units. Two sets of accounts are kept in respect of these units viz (1) Govt accounts on a cash basis as for any other Govt office; and (2) a separate set of departmental accounts in a commercial form prescribed in G.O. 2670 Devt d/ 17.6.44 as for other Govt commercial undertakings.

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2. Item (1) above. Cash transactions include book transfers in respect of inter-departmental payments. – see Arts. 22 & 69, M.A.C. Vol. I. For the supply of waste paper to the paper making units, the units will have to be debited with the cost of paper with a corresponding credit to the Stationery Deptt. – see Art. 61, M.A.C. Vol. I. If the receipts relating to the paper units are less than the expenditure, the net expenditure would have already been borne by the Govt. The question of the Govt giving any ~~charges~~ subsidy to their own undertaking does not therefore arise.

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3. Item (2) above. The set of departmental accounts prescribed in the G.O. at (K) is outside the regular Govt accounts refd. to in para 2 above. They are prepared after taking into account, not only cash transactions, but indirect charges such as interest on capital, leave and pensionary contribution of staff, depreciation on buildings and machinery etc and the whole purpose of these accounts is to ascertain ~~the true~~ the financial results of the undertaking. It is therefore necessary to include in

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the pro forma departmental accounts also the value of the waste paper supplied to the paper units. ~~as previously advised by this Deptt [illegible]~~

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To Add. U.S.

Please see the notes of Fin on pp 10-11 above. Fin. deptt. repeat that in the interests of correct accounting, the cost of the waste paper should be included in the accounts relating to the handmade paper manufacturing units. The loss that the paper units may sustain in selling the paper at competitive prices may be considered as a subsidy to the units. "No direct subsidy to the units which are owned by the Govt. is necessary." For orders whether the position stated by Fin. at 'A' & 'B' on pp 10-11 above will be accepted. After orders are passed, the case may be returned to E&P.H. (E&P.H. Dept have again reminded about this file).

'A' & 'B' on pp 10-11 above

A on p 9 above

{NF from P.10 above}
May be accepted as this Dept. For orders

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Please ~~see the~~ note of this Deptt on p 1 ante and the notes of Fin and Dev Depts on pp 10.11 above. A draft order is submitted for approval. ~~[illegible] the matter [illegible] at X above, the draft [illegible] separate instructions to the D.I.C.~~

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2. Please see the letter from the Regr. High Court of Judicature, Madras, on pp 3-4 cf. A draft [illegible] to the Regr. also is submitted for approval.

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3) Finance may see the drafts before issue. ~~The case may be sent to [illegible]~~

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(Prev. Fin. note on pp 10-11 above)

The draft order may be accepted subject to the amendments indicated in pencil

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E. & P.H.

May issue with the amendments suggested by Finance.

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