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Oriental Manuscripts Library —
Transcription of certain manuscripts at
enhanced rates — Proposal — Approved.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
M a d r a s.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education Department.

Re.297-L4/50 dated 1-4-50.

Sir,

Sub: Oriental Manuscripts Library - Manuscripts/enhanced
charges for copying proposal - Submission of-

The Curator, Government Oriental Manuscripts Library, Madras reports that there are some rare and marvellous Nadigrantha in the Library dealing with Astrology and that it is essential that a clean copy of them is taken and preserved in the Library ^{but} they should deteriorate if they are not restored in time. The "Saptarassinadi" is one such written in Tamil script in 12 palm-leaf bundles and "Nadigrantha" is another work in Sanskrit written in Grantha script. As the copyists are not willing to undertake the transcription of this work at the usual rates of Rs.11 and Rs.12/- respectively per 1000 granthas for the reason that the manuscripts are old, injured and illegible and having regard to the amount of labour and time involved in deciphering these manuscripts, the Curator recommends that the copying charges may be enhanced to Rs.22/- for Telugu and Tamil and Rs.24/- for Sanskrit, Kannada and Malayalam per 1000 granthas. He also adds that the excess cost involved thereon can be made up by demanding higher charges from parties who are for copies of these works. I agree to his proposal and request that Government may be pleased to approve the proposal

The estimate of cost of copying the Nadigranthas at the existing rates and at the proposed rates is given below:

I Saptarasinadi.

Copying charges at the existing rate	Rs.3130/approximately
Copying charges at the proposed rate	6260/ "

II Nadigrantha.

Copying charges at the existing rate.	418/-	"
Copying charges at the proposed rate.	836/-	"

Yours faithfully,

For Director of Public Instruction.

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(3) Oriental Manuscript Library —
 Transcription of Certain Manuscripts
 at enhanced Rates — proposal
approved

of From No D.P. 9 No RC-297-
 L 4-50 Dt 1.4.50.

Order 1593 Edw. dt 26-5-50.
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17/2/51

The Govt. approve the pro-
 posal of the Director for the trans-
 cription of the manuscripts of the
 following works in the Govt. Oriental
 Manuscript Library, at the increased
 rates of Copying charges specified
 below with a view to their safe
 preservation in the Library: —

Saptarasi nadi }
 in Tamil

Rate for
 Copying
 Rs 22/- for
 thousand
 granthas

Total
cost.

Rs 6260

Nadi grantha }
 in Sanskrit

Rs 24 - for
 thousand
 granthas

Rs 836

2. The Director's proposal
 to demand higher rates of fees from
 applicants for copies of the work
 mentioned in para 1 is also approved.

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 The D.P.
 ✓ H. G. Rao
 Secy.

195.50 - Rs
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Not for issue.

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(X) Libraries — Govt. Oriental Manuscripts in Library — Copying of certain rare manuscripts at enhanced rates — Sanctioned.

P. 10.7.

Ref: From the D.P.I., R.C.
297-44/50, dated, 1-4-50.

Order
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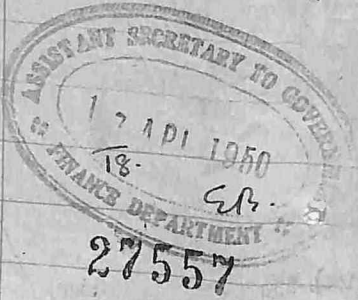
dated,

Vadigranthas
in the Govt
Oriental MSS
Library

In the circumstances reported, the Govt. Sanction as a special case, the copying of the rare manuscript mentioned in the letter cited at the enhanced rates of Rs. 22/- (Rupees twenty two only) per

for 1,000/- grantthas in Telugu and
Tamil and at Rs. 24/- (Rupees
twenty four only) per 1,000/-
grantthas in Sanskrit, Kannada
and Malayalam.

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The D.P.I.
The A.G. (Hd) Fin.

Note.

May be sent to Finance
for acceptance. The proposed cost
is double the existing cost at the
existing rates. The extra cost, it is stated, is
made up by demanding higher charges from private parties applying for
copies of the works.

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17-4-50

Fin (Exp B)

The letter from the DPG on p1c and the note of Edn
on p2 above may be perused. In the circumstances stated
the draft order on pages 1-2 above may be accepted. ~~subject~~
~~to the addition indicated in the order~~ (one extra copy involved
is Rs. 3548/- non-recurring).

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The enhanced rates of copying
charges are specially proposed in
view of the labour & time involved in
deciphering the two particular works
referred to. The names of the two works
may accordingly be specified in
the draft order on pp. 1-2 above.
The draft may otherwise be accepted.

Fin No. 27557/EB/DP1
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A revised draft is subd. for approval.
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The D.P.I. may be consulted
in the matter. A draft t.m. is
subd. for approval.

A revised draft may be put up
specifying the two works only.
No general sanction necessary -
\$550.

A revised draft is
subd. for approval.

6/5/50. \$550
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19.5.50. S.
Rem. draft
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