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[Despatch Abstract.]

Buildings- Govt. Original works- countersignature of plans and estimates.- Delegation of powers to the Dy.D.P.I. Ordered.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

From
The Director of Public Instruction,

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To
The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department,
M a d r a s.

No. C. 1733 K1/49 dated 13-12-1949.

Sir,

Sub: Buildings- Government- Original works- Administrative
approval- Countersignature of plans and estimates- Dele-
gation of powers- Orders- Requesting.

In paras 438 to 442 of the Madras P.W.D. Code, the Direc-
tor of Public Instruction has been empowered to accord adminis-
trative approval to original works up to certain limits. With
reference to the note (1) under para 438 of the Code, the Ad-
ministrative approval is indicated by the countersignature on
the plans and estimate by the authorities empowered to accord
such approval. It is stated in the above note that the autho-
rities empowered to accord administrative approval should them-
selves countersign the plans and estimates. Accordingly them-
the Director of Public Instruction himself has been countersign-
ing all plans and estimates for works relating to this Depart-
ment. However, when the post of the Joint Director of Public
Instruction was created the work of countersigning plans and
estimates was allotted to him, and the same was approved by
Government-vide- G.O. Ms. No. 3145 Edn. dated 9-12-1948.

Since the Joint Director will be out of Head-Quarters often
on tour in connection with the intensive planning for the Social
Education Work, there may be considerable delay in getting the
plans and estimates countersigned by him. I therefore suggest
that the Deputy Directors also may be empowered to countersign
plans and estimates on behalf of the Director of Public Instruc-
tion.

I request that Government may kindly issue early orders
in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

M. S. S. S.
for Director of Public Instruction.

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Buildings - Govt. - original works - countersignature of plans
And estimates - delegation of powers to the Dy. Director of Public
Instruction - ordered.

The Govt. approve^d the proposal of the D.P.I. that the Deputy Director of Public Instruction should be authorized to countersign plans and estimates. But this authorisation will be restricted to cases where~~as~~ the plans conform to an approved type design. In other cases the D.P.I. or the J.D.P.I. should continue to countersign the plans and estimates.

Do the D.P. 9- ✓, will be issued separately in the P.W. Sept.

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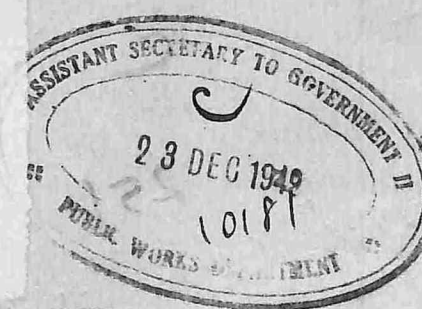
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From the D.P.I., No.1733-K1/49, dated 13-12-1949

Buildings - Govt. - Original works -
Countersignature of plans and estimates

Please see the D.P.I.'s letter on p.1 c.f.
According to the P.W.D. Code the D.P.I. is empowered to accord administrative approval to original works upto certain limits and to countersign plans and estimates. In G.O.No.3145-Edn., dated 9-12-1948, the Govt. empowered also the Jt. D.P.I. to countersign plans and estimates. The D.P.I. now requests the delegation of this power to the Dy. Director also. He has stated in support of this that the Jt.D.P.I. will be out of Headquarters often on tour. It is not likely that both the D.P.I. and the Jt. D.P.I. will be out of Headquarters at the same time and one of the two officers may countersign as in the past. Further, it may not be proper to delegate such an important power as the one proposed to the Dy. Director. P.W.D. and Finance may see.



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P.W.D.(K)

The proposals of E.P.H. in their note above may be agreed to. The file may be passed on to Fin.

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This Dept may concur in the views of E.P.H. at M above.

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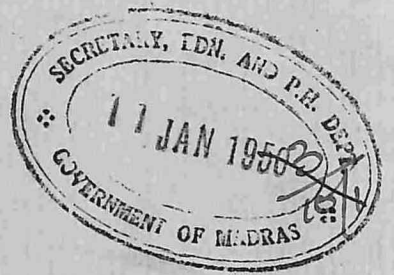
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Please see the remarks of P.W.D. and Finance on p. 1 ante. A draft memo. is subd. for approval. H.M. (E & L) may see.

May 8/1/50
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H.M. (E & L)



What is the harm in agreeing to the D.P.I. suggestion
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The power of countersigning plans and estimates is generally given only to Heads of depts. So it was thought that it need not be given to Dy Directors. In view of H.M.'s minute above the power may be given to Dy Directors also. P.W.D. and Fin may see

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may be reviewed and based on to Fin.

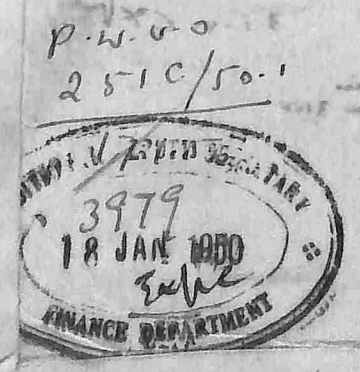
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H.M. (E & L)

Finance (Exp.C)

(Finance last saw on page 1 above).

Please see the minute of H.M. (E & L.) and the note of E. & P.H. above.

The proposal of E. & P.H. is to empower the Deputy Directors of Public Instruction to countersign plans and estimates on behalf of the D.P.I. in respect of works



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of X on p. 2 above

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Please see the minutes of H.M. (E & L) and the notes of P.W.D. and Finance from p. 2 ante. In the circumstances stated by Finance in their note it is for orders whether their suggestion at X above may be agreed to. The file may be circulated to H.M. (E & L) for order.

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Please see the orders in circulation on the previous page. The file may be transferred to the Public Works Dept for issue of orders.

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PWD

Amendment of
the P.W.D. code
EpHw 97968A/593
31/1/50

P.W.D.(C)



Order please see the orders in circulation on 31/1/50 with reference to x on 31/1/50 it is submitted that orders delegating the powers should appropriately issue in E.P.H. Dept as the officer is under the administrative control of that Dept. As regards amendments to P.W.D. Code, a copy of the order with necessary extracts may be sent to this Dept for necessary action. With these

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2/2/50 E.P.H. Dept(A)

DM
31/1/50. Please see the P.W.D. note above. A draft order is subd. for approval.

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