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Education Department.

From

The Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Education and Public Health Department.

Re.No. 86 D8/49 dated 28-1-50.

Sir,

Sub: Grant - Building - Colleges - Aided - St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli - construction of college buildings prior to the approval of the plans and estimate by the Joint Consulting Architect and without calling for tenders.

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Government in their order Ms.No.3569 Education, dated 19th November 1949 sanctioned the inclusion in the list of approved works the scheme for construction of building for St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli at an approximate cost of Rs.4,27,000/- rendering the institution eligible for a grant of Rs.75,000/-. The Joint Consulting Architect has approved the plans and estimates subject to the condition that the Engineer-in-charge should be responsible for the structural stability of the building. But the management started the construction of the building before the plans were approved by the Joint Consulting Architect and without calling for tenders. The management, when asked to explain this irregularity, have stated the circumstances under which they had to deviate from the usual procedure and requested for condonation of the omission and irregularity.

2. In this connection, I enclose herewith copies of the letters from the management and request Government that, in the circumstances explained therein, the action of the management in having started the work before the plans and estimates were approved by the Joint Consulting Architect and executing the work themselves without calling for tenders, may be condoned. The grant may, however, be paid based on the valuation of the Public Works Department after completion of the work, and on the production of a certificate from the Engineer-in-charge that he will be responsible for the structural stability of the building.

Yours faithfully

[Signature]

For Director of Public Instruction.

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Copy of letter from the Correspondent, St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras No. 260/49-50 dated 11th January 1950.

Sir, Sub: Grant - Building - St. Joseph's College, Trichirapalli
Ref: Director of Public Instruction's letter Rc.No.86 - D2/49 dated 28th December 1949.

I have the honour to report that

1. the first floor on the ground floor of the Science building is already over and the walls of the second floor are growing from day to day.

2. As for calling for tenders, we request that in view of very special circumstances, we may be exempted therefrom. The management which has a large farm and many works attached to the Residence, have all the means of carrying out the work themselves very economically. We have managed to get all the iron we required, from Government at normal prices and the timber needed has been purchased at a far lower price than the market price; and almost all the materials have been secured in this way. The Govt. may be aware of what we did in connection with the building of our New Hostels some years ago. We are therefore convinced that the final cost of the work undertaken by us will be far cheaper than any estimate likely to be offered by any outsiders, as no provision need be made for contractor's profits in our case. If in spite of this the actual cost seems excessive, we are ready to submit to any reduction that Government may make on it before sanctioning the payment of grant.

3. The work is being supervised by a qualified engineer, a qualified full time draftsman and a skilful architect.

Copy of letter from the Principal, St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirapalli to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras No.90/49-40 dated 27th August 1949.

Sir, Proceedings Rc.No. 86 D2/49 dated 18-8-1949.

In reply to your letter quoted above I have the honour to state that we began the building of the new science block immediately after you were pleased to allow us to apply for a grant, because we are in urgent need of a new laboratory. The University Commission was insistent on the point ~~owing~~ owing to the increased number of courses and of students, and we had hopes of finishing for July 1950 if we started without delay.

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READ:- G.O.No.3569 Edn., dated 19.11.49.

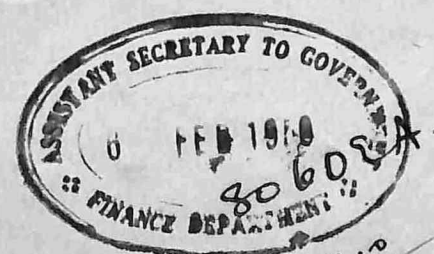
From the D.P.I., Rc.No.86-DB/49 dated 28-1-1950.

Order/Ms.No. 470 Edn. dated 14-2-50

In the circumstances stated by the D.P.I., the Govt. condone the action of the management of the St. Joseph's College, Tiruchirappalli, in having started the work relating to the construction of college buildings even before the plans and estimates were approved by the Joint Consulting Architect and in executing the work themselves without calling for tenders, as required under the provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Code.

2. ~~The D.P.I. is however informed that the~~ grant for the work should be paid only on production by the management of the college of a certificate from the Engineer-in-charge of the work that he is responsible for the structural stability of the building and ~~the~~ on the basis of the valuation certificate furnished by the local P.W.D., ~~after the completion of the work.~~

Note. P.W.D. and Finance may see prior to circulation. (The request of the management of the college for a full grant for the scheme from the Govt. of India is separately under consideration).



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Ministry of Education
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From the Director of Public Instruction, No. 10-10-10 dated 10-1-10.
G.O. No. 3559, Bhubaneswar, dated 10-1-10.

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In the circumstances stated by the Director of Public Instruction, the Government considers the action of the management of the St. Joseph's College, Thiruvananthapuram, in having started the work relating to the construction of college buildings even before the plans and estimates were approved by the Joint Consulting Architect and in executing the work themselves without calling for tenders, as required under the Government of India Act, 1919, as irregular.

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(by order of His Excellency the Governor)

Secretary to Government,
J. L. J. J. J. J.

The Director of Public Instruction, Madras.
 " Assistant General through Finance.
 " Chief Engineer, P.W.D. (General & Buildings).
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