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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 19th March 1858.

Read again letter from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department, dated 29th January 1858, No. 783.

No. 22. From E. F. HARRISON, Esq., 1st Assistant Accountant General to the Government of India; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated 15th March 1858.

SIR,

I have the honor to report, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, my arrival at Madras, agreeably to instructions received from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department, and I respectfully request to be favored with further orders for my guidance.

No. 23. ORDER THEREON, No. 196; dated 19th March 1858.

In the first of the letters above recorded the Government of India intimate the deputation to Madras, of Mr. E. F. Harrison, 1st Assistant to the Accountant General to the Government of India, for the purpose of explaining the Bengal system of Accounts and superintending its introduction in two or three districts in the neighbourhood of Madras, and they request that the Madras Government will appoint one or more Officers to be associated with him in the performance of this duty. This Government are also to instruct Mr. Harrison as to the Districts which he should visit jointly with such Officer.

Mr. Harrison has, under date the 15th Instant, reported his arrival at Madras, and requested instructions for his guidance.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolves to nominate Mr. J. W. Breeks, 2nd Assistant to the Accountant General, to be associated with Mr. Harrison in the duty on which he has been sent from Calcutta.

Mr. Breeks is on leave of absence, but will return to Madras by the end of the month, meanwhile the Government request that Mr. E. F. Harrison will place himself in communication with the Accountant General, who will give him full access to all the Accounts and Records of his Office and afford him all the information that he may require to enable him to enter upon the duty assigned him on the arrival of his Colleague.

The Districts to be visited by Messrs. Harrison and Breeks should be the Collectorate of Madras referred to by Mr. Ricketts, and those of North and South Arcot.

The Collectors of those Districts will be instructed to afford Messrs. Harrison and Breeks all facilities for the performance of this duty, and the Accountant General will comply with any applications which he may receive from them for assistance or information.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,

Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
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