

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 736

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Dated 10 . 11 . 1858.

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No. 6. From F. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Civil Auditor; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 27th October 1858, No. 662.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 25th Instant, No. 703, Financial Department, referring for my report, an application from Mr. B. Pauncefote of the Madras Civil Service for Absentee Allowance of £ 500 per annum, from the 10th May last, the date on which his appointment as additional Sub-Collector of North Arcot terminated.

In reply, I have the honor to state that Clause 6, Section VI of the Civil Absentee Rules, provides for an allowance of £ 500 per annum to a Servant of ten years' standing, who, from the state of his health, is obliged to remain absent on sick leave in England beyond the two years allowed by the Rules with retention of Office and salary. But the payment of this allowance would seem to be confined to Servants, who hold permanent appointments, at the time of their absence, but which they could not retain in consequence of their having exceeded the authorized period of two years.

Mr. Pauncefote, at the time he obtained leave, held an Office, which in itself was temporary and terminable on a certain date, and, had he remained in India, would after that date have been placed on the out of employ list and allowances, until provided with some other appointment.

It is, therefore, for the Government to determine, whether the fact of Mr. Pauncefote's being absent in England on sick leave, at the time that his appointment ceased, should give him a claim to any higher allowances than he would have been entitled to, if he had been in India at that season.

No. 7. ORDER THEREON, No. 736; dated 10th November 1858.

Resolved, that a copy of the Civil Auditor's letter be furnished to Mr. Pauncefote, in reference to his communication of the 3rd September last, and that he be informed that the Government cannot pass to him more than his out of employ allowances.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Financial Depart^t

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date 10 November 1858.

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To
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