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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 28th March 1870.

No. 30. Read the following Resolution of the Government of India in the Financial Department, dated Fort William, 10th March 1870, No. 1625.

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2. The Governor-General in Council therefore requests that the several Departments of the Government of India and the Local Governments will seriously warn disbursing officers under their control against regulating the disbursement of public money entrusted to them upon any grounds other than those considerations of economy and expediency which should guide all public expenditure.

3. The disbursement of money may be fairly expedited so long as all rules are regularly observed, but it should never be irregularly hurried in order to prevent the necessity for applying for a fresh grant.

Copy sent to the several Departments, Local Governments and Administrations, the Comptroller-General of Accounts, and the Provincial Accountants-General.

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.
(,,) R. H. HOLLINGBERY,
Assist. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 31. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1870, No. 141.

Ordered that copies of the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the several Departments of the Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, Military do.
,, Public Works do.
,, Judicial do.
,, Public do.
,, Marine do.
,, Assay Master.

Exd. J. Wright.

Bombay Govt. of {1870} Madras

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THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Communicating Resolution of the Government of India forbidding the hurrying on of expenditure in the month of March in order to prevent lapses of Budget grants.

No. 1625.

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RESOLUTION.

FORT WILLIAM, *the 16th March* 1870.

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Against hurrying on Expenditure in the month of March in order to prevent Lapses of Budget Grants

To the Revenue Department
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" Public — — — Do.
" Marine — — Do.
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