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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 488.

FROM

THE HON. R. S. ELLIS, C.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

In reply to Mr. Officiating Under Secretary Westland's letter, No. 4396, dated 26th October 1870, I am to state that the Government of Madras presume that the inquiry therein made has reference to the Resolution of the Government of India in the Financial Department, 21st May 1870, No. 520.

2. If so, I am to point out that the arrangements sanctioned in that Resolution were special, and applied only to men thrown out on recent reductions; whereas, it will appear from the statement forwarded to the Government of India that the gratuities, regarding which inquiry is made, were given to men discharged on medical certificate. In accordance with the ordinary practice, the amounts which these men had paid in the shape of subscriptions to the Superannuation Fund were not investigated, nor were any refunds made.

3. I am also to call attention to the fact that the rules of the late Superannuation Fund for the Madras Police do not provide for the grant of gratuities to men discharged on reduction of the Force; and I am instructed to ask whether the Government of India will permit the Madras Government to grant pensions and gratuities to such men at the same rates as are provided for men discharged on medical certificate or otherwise. A decision on this point is necessary for the disposal of certain claims now before this Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
6th December 1870.

Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Fort Saint George,

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,

Financial Department.

Dated 6th Dec. 1870.

Recd.

No. 488.

Enclosure.

Asking the Government of India whether that Government will permit the Madras Government to grant pensions and gratuities to men of the Madras Police discharged on reduction of the Force, at the same rates as are provided for men discharged on medical certificate or otherwise.

No. 4396.

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To,

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Fort Saint George.

Financial Department Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt under Mr. Stokes' Endorsement No. 4014 dated 3rd October 1870 of the Statement of Gratuities sanctioned by the Government of Madras in the Public Department during the Quarter ended 30th June 1870, I am directed to observe with reference to the gratuities given to certain Policemen under the rules of the Police Superannuation Fund, that the Government of India understands that those grants are not in addition to any refunds of amounts subscribed by the men to the Superannuation Fund.

Simla,
The 26th October 1870.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant

Sentanl.

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Offg: Under Secy: to the Govt. of India

Ordered that a copy of the above be furnished to the Accountant General, Madras

Dated 12/12

Financial Department.

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From
Offg. Under Secy.
Govt. of Ind
Finl Dept

Dated 26 Oct. 70
Rec'd 3 Nov. 70.
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Subject
Reducing establishments

To the Secretary to Govt
of India
Financial Department

Sir,

I am directed to request
that the orders issued
in Para 3 of the Resolution
of the Govt of India,
Finl Dept, No 520 dated
21st May 1870, may be
extended to the Public
Works Establishments
of the Madras Presidency.

2. The orders referred to
provide that the surplus establish-
-ments of Executive Engineers
abolished by the Reduction of
the Establishments sanctioned

Statement forwarded to the Government of India that the gratuities, regarding which enquiry is made, were given to men discharged on Medical Certificate. In accordance with the ordinary practice, the amounts which these men had paid in the shape of subscriptions to the Superannuation fund, were not investigated nor were any refunds made.

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H.L.

Fort St George
6th December 70

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To

The Secretary to the

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Financial DEPARTMENT

From

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George,

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated Decr. 6 1870.

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Enclosure.

Nos. 8-9.

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