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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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Read the following papers :—

No. 154. From T. MOSS, Esq., Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 20th March 1874, No. 8355.

With reference to G. O., No. 729, of the 17th instant, I have the honour to solicit the consideration of Government to the following remarks relative to drawing materials.

2. Drawing materials are not articles of "Stock Materials" nor of "Tools and Plant" as will be seen from the Classified Lists of Stock Materials and of Tools and Plant attached to the Manual of Accounts of the Madras Presidency, and I venture to suggest that, as in other parts of India, drawing materials be in future regarded as supplies to be obtained from the Stationery Depôt, to which the present stock of drawing materials in the Public Works Store Department might be transferred.

3. As bearing out the remark in the second paragraph relative to the practice in other parts of India I beg to refer to the Public Works Code of the Government of India, Chapter XV., Section 2, Paragraph 7.

Referred with a copy of the Order quoted herein to the Financial Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
23rd March 1874.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

Referred to the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines for any remarks he may desire to make on the Officiating Controller's suggestion.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
25th March 1874.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 155. From Lieutenant-Colonel N. G. CAMPBELL, R.A., Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 11th April 1874, No. 4-S.

Stationery Department.

In returning original papers* received with your reference order, dated 25th March 1874, I have the honour to state, for the information of Government, that I consider it advisable that a uniform system should be established for the supply of "drawing materials" for the use of departments requiring them, and that the practice of such supplies being demanded from the Public Works Stores or the Stationery Depôt according to the desire of the indenting officer should be disallowed.

* Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 729, dated 17th March 1874.
Letter from the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts, No. 8355, dated 20th March 1874.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
20th April 1874.

2. Should it be ruled that "drawing paper and drawing materials" shall be obtained from the Stationery Depôt, the stock referred to at the close of paragraph 2 of letter* from the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts could be transferred to the Superintendent of Stationery and that officer be instructed to maintain the necessary reserve stock to meet future demands.

* No. 8355, dated 20th March 1874.

No. 156. ORDER THEREON, 20th April 1874, No. 633.

The Governor in Council concurs with the Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines in considering that a uniform system should be established for the supply of drawing materials, and approves the arrangement suggested in paragraph 2 of his letter.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
" Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

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No. 8355

Office of the Controller of
Public Works Accounts,
Madras, 20th March 1874.

From

The Officiating Controller of
Public Works Accounts,

To,

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Madras

Sir,

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2. Drawing materials are not articles of "Stock materials" nor of "Tools and Plant" as will be seen from the classified Lists of Stock materials

and of Tools and Plant attached to the Manual of Accounts of the Madras Presidency, and I venture to suggest that, as in other parts of India, Drawing Materials be in future regarded as supplies to be obtained from the Stationery Depôt to which the present stock of drawing materials in the Public Works Store Department might be transferred.

3. As bearing on the remark in the 2nd para relative to the practice in other parts of India, I beg to refer to the Public Works Code of the Government of India, Chapter XV section II. para 7.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Offg. Controller of P.W. Accounts.

Good

× "Stationery" includes with materials drawing materials, colors, and drawing paper, but not art cloth for mounting drawings, which [illegible] must purchased

Referred with
a copy of the order
quoted herein to the
Financial Depart-
-ment

Commdr Scott RN.
Secretary to Govt
Pro.

Fort St George
23rd March 1873

No 154

Pub Works 7th Dept 1874 Dept
No. 1669
From Prest 20th April 74
The Offg Controller of
P.W. Accounts,
To The Secty to Government
P.W. Departt.
No 8355
Dated 20th March 1874
Recd 21st
Rec'd 74
No 730

Offers certain remarks
relative to Drawing
materials

Referred

Referred to the Superintending Engineer Southern Circle for any remarks he may desire to make on the Contractor's application.

Fort St. George 25th March 1874

D. Gamwell Lieut
Asstt Chief Engineer

To the Superintending Engineer Southern Circle.

24/3/74.

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FINANCIAL.

To

THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated April, 20th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 20th April 1874, No. 633.

APRIL.
Nos. 154—156.

Drawing Materials.—In view to establishing a uniform system for the supply of such materials for the use of departments requiring them the arrangements proposed by the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines that they shall be obtained from the Stationery Department, the present stock of drawing materials in the Public Works Store Department being transferred to the Superintendent of Stationery, who will maintain the necessary reserve stock to meet future demands, approved.

24/5/74.

Govt: of {1874} Madras.

Financial.

To
The Public Works Dept.

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G.O. April 20, 1874, No. 633.

Nos. 154. 155.

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to meet future demands, approved -

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