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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1802. Press Mis.

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Dated 9-9- 1875.

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Grant to Provincial Services.

No. 55. Read the following letter from R. H. HOLLINGBERY, Esq., Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Simla, 25th August 1875, No. 2791 :—

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter, No. 1537, dated the 26th July 1875, in which the Government of Madras ask for a grant-in-aid of the Provincial Revenues of Rupees 1,60,000 as noted in the margin, I am directed to state that the data upon which the estimate of requirements is based are not known to the Government of India, and the calculation is stated to be a "rough estimate," but even after needful modifications the sum would be too large to impose on Local or Provincial Revenues.

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(1). For relief measures rendered necessary by floods in the Nellore District	50,000
(2). For grant-in-aid to the Local Fund Boards of Tinnevelly and North Arcot for repairs of certain roads and bridges damaged by floods	1,10,000
Total ...	1,60,000

2. Accordingly, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction a lump sum of one lakh of Rupees as a special grant-in-aid of the Madras Provincial Revenues, leaving it to the Government of Madras to apportion this amount, as they think best, between the two objects.

3. Of this special grant of one lakh of Rupees now sanctioned, Rupees 50,000 were provided in the Regular Estimate of 1874-75, and this amount should accordingly be considered as an addition to the Provincial allotment for that year. The remaining Rupees 50,000 is to be treated as an addition to the allotment for the current year.

Copy forwarded to the Comptroller-General and the Accountant-General, Madras, for information and guidance.

No. 56. ORDER THEREON, 9th September 1875, No. 1802.

The Accountant-General has, it is presumed, given Provincial Services credit in his accounts for 1874-75 for Rupees 50,000.

2. He will now carry to the credit of those services in his account for the current year a further sum of Rupees 50,000.

3. The Board of Revenue will be requested, through the Revenue Department, to furnish, at an early date, as accurate a statement as may be practicable of the expenditure incurred for relief measures in the District of Nellore.

4. The special grant given to the Tinnevelly Local Fund Board towards the repair of damages is Rupees 16,430, and to the Chittoor Local Fund Board Rupees 46,875 as the Government contribution for the restoration of the bridge

over the River Palar. The contribution is, however, as per G.O., dated 28th June 1875, No. 1370, Rupees 63,125, and a balance of Rupees 16,250 is still due to the Local Fund Board.

(True Extract.)

Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

Govt. of Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated September, 9th.
Issued
Recd. Encl.

G.O., 9th September 1875, No. 1802.

SEPTEMBER.
Nos. 55-56.

Grant to Provincial Services.—Orders passed on a letter from the Government of India, sanctioning a lump grant of one lakh of Rupees to meet the charge for repairing damages by floods in certain districts of this Presidency.

No. 2791.

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To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras

Financial Department

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 1537, dated the 26th July 1875, in which the Government of Madras ask for a grant in aid of the provincial revenues of Rupees 160000 as noted in the margin, I am directed to state that the data upon which the estimate of requirements is based, are not known to the Government of India and the calculation is stated to be a "rough estimate," but even after needful modifications the sum would be too large to impose on local or provincial revenues.

(1) For relief of pressures rendered necessary by floods in the Nellore District Rs 50,000

(2) For grant in aid to the Local Funds Boards of Tinnevelly & North Arcot for repairs of certain roads and bridges damaged by floods 110000

Total 160,000.

2 Accordingly, the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction a lump sum of one lakh Rupees as a special grant in aid of the Madras Provincial revenues, leaving it to the Government of Madras to apportion this amount, as they think best, between the two objects.—

3 Of this special grant of one lakh Rupees 50,000 were provided in the Regular Estimate of 1874-5, and this amount should accordingly be considered as an addition to the Provincial allotment for that year.

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The remaining Rupees 50,000 is to be treated as an addition to the allotment for the current year.

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

Simla
the 25th August
1875.

W. W. Hunter
Assistant Secretary to the
Government of India

Copy forwarded to the Comptroller General and the Accountant General, Madras for information and guidance. —

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Financial Department
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No 2791.
No 2027

Sanctioning a sum of Rupees 50,000 to be credited to the Madras Famine Relief Fund in addition to the sums already sanctioned in connection therewith.

No 55.

Grant to Famine Service

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Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following letter from the Asst. Secy. to the Government of India, dt. 25th August 1875, No. 2791.

Order thereon. Dt. Vacamund 9th Sept. 1875. No. 1802.

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4. The special grant given to the Tinnevelly Local Fund Board towards the repair of damages is Rs 16,430, and to the Chittoor Local Fund Board Rs 46,875 as the Govt. contribution for the restoration of the bridge over the river Palar. The contribution is, however, as per G.O. dated 28th June 1875, No 1370, Rs 63,125, and a balance of Rs 16,250 is still due to the Local Fund Board.

To

The Revenue Dept. 25
" Accountant Genl. 1/15-12 } desp 1879

S-S Lrs

62,105
16,250
20,625

Lr Ltr for Govt remarks in letter

Lr R.
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Gobt. of {1875} Madras.

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To

Dated 9th Sept 1875, No. 1802
Recd.

Nos. 55—56.

Grant to Provincial Services

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