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Local Funds—Roads.

No. 179. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 4th February 1875, No. 247 :—

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ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Estimate.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Extract from Proceedings of Local Fund Board.

From the same Officer, dated Shembaganoor, 29th December 1874, No. 143.

I have the honor to submit, for sanction, an estimate for Rupees 37,000 for metalling a portion of the Road No. 2 lying between Pogalore and Ramnad, a distance of ten miles, passed by the Local Fund Board, Madura Circle, in their Proceedings, No. 201 (copy enclosed) of 1874. An estimate for the construction of the road was sanctioned in G.O., dated 17th February 1874, No. 265, Financial Department; but when the estimate was framed, no material for metalling had been discovered near the line of the road, and consequently no provision was made in it for metalling this portion. Abundance of this material having now been found to exist near the village of Alaguncolam, the estimate now submitted was prepared to remedy the defects.

2. No funds are now available for the work, and provision will be made for it from savings of this year.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Estimate.

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These estimates for metalling portions of the road from Tiruppavanam to Ramnad will be submitted for the sanction of Government. They are as follow:—

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(2.) Metalling a piece ten miles long between Ramnad and Pogalore at a cost of Rupees 37,000. The reason given is that the material has lately been discovered in the vicinity.

2. Both estimates relate to pieces of the road from Tiruppavanam to Ramnad, for which a revised estimate of Rupees 78,000 was sanctioned in G.O., Financial Department, dated 17th February 1874, No. 265.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 180. ORDER THEREON, 13th February 1875, No. 320.

The estimates amounting to Rupees 50,640 are sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue, with enclosures returned.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Accountant-General.

Ead. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1875 Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated February, 13th.

Recd. *Read.*

G.O., 13*th February* 1875, *No.* 320.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 179-180.

Madura Circle.—Estimates, amounting to Rupees 50,640, for metalling certain portions of the road from Tiruppavanam to Ramnad, sanctioned.

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(True Copies and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department,
with four enclosures.

,, the President of the Local Fund Boards, Madura District.

,, the District Engineer, Madura.

,, the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Tiruppavanam to Ramnad
Estimate

1875.

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Road—from Tiruppavanam to Ramnad, in Madura District.—Estimates for metalling certain portions of—at a total cost of Rupees 50,640, submitted for sanction of Government.

13 Mls 73 Rds 320 yds
7½ Miles Macadamizing
Pogalore Ramnad
Estimate Rupees 37640-0-0
Sanctioned in G.O. Financial Dept. 17-2-74 No. 265
Rupees 78,000
Revised Estimate
Rupees 50,640-0-0

Bound Register Public Works Department

Engd. W. H. French.

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Madura Circle. Estimate amounting to Rs. 50,640 for metalling certain portions of the road from Tirupparankunram to Ramnad, sanctioned.