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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

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To

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras.

Simla, the 20 August 1881.

SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the address of the Secretary in the Home Department No 895 dated the 19th May 1881, stating that the revised classification of Incorporated Local Funds, prescribed by the Comptroller General, is unsuited to the organization of those Funds in the Madras Presidency, and requesting sanction to the adoption of a different classification in that Presidency.

In reply I am directed to say that, for administrative purposes, the Government of Madras may order the Incorporated Local Funds to be classified in any way they like, but that, for the Revenue and Finance Accounts and for Budget Estimates submitted to the Government

of India, the receipts and charges of those funds should be classified by the Accountant General in accordance with the Comptroller General's instructions, in order that there may be uniformity in the estimates and accounts of the several provinces.

As regards the receipts from Tolls and Ferries, I am to state that, according to the standard classification adopted in every province, they are shown under XXVII Other Public Works, and that the Governor General in Council sees no reason why a different procedure should be adopted in regard to them in the Madras Presidency. These receipts should not, however, pass through the Public Works Books, it being unnecessary and against the instructions of the Comptroller General to follow that course.

Have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Stephen Jacob
Offg. Under Secy to the Govt of India

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

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Letter from the Govt. of India
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1881, No 2495.

It is submitted that this intimation by the Govt. of India is in effect an authority to the local government not to follow the new forms of accounts prescribed by the Controller General. These are ^{apparently} intended to be binding only on the Accountant General for the Revenue and Finance accounts and for Budget estimates.

The forms of accounts prescribed by this Govt. for administrative purposes & which have been in use since 1871, have therefore to be maintained side by side with the Imperial system: and as the Accountant General has been entrusted with the duty of furnishing the monthly

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FROM
THE SECY. TO THE GOVT. OF INDIA,

TO

No. 2495.
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monthly accounts, a dual system of accounts will have to be kept up by that officer and returns in corresponding forms should be obtained by him from the Districts also. It was with the view of avoiding the inconvenience and labor involved in such a double system that a compromise, in the shape of Form C, sent to the Government of India was proposed; but as the Govt. of India prefer their own forms for their purposes and leave this Govt. to adopt any other forms that may be deemed necessary for administrative purposes, there does not appear to be any

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any reason to disturb the existing forms of monthly and annual accounts and estimates which answer very well. It is submitted that the Accountant General and the Board of Revenue may be informed to this effect.

The result of this announcement will be large increase to the staff of accountants in the Districts, and ⁱⁿ the Accountant General's office.

The question regarding the crediting of Tolls & ferries need not be further discussed; as, however, they may be shown in the Imperial accounts and forms, it is not sought to disturb the arrangement under which they will appear as

In the office an increase will probably be necessary but the Districts as far as I understand the question will submit the same returns as heretofore
H.H.

as items of taxation
in the periodical accounts
coming before Govt. in
the usual course of
administration.

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of the rules on the
subject of classification
- Catalogue of Incorporation
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read the following letter from
the Govt. of India, dated 20th August 1881
No 2495.

Order 5th October 1881,
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Ordered that the
foregoing letter be com-
municated to the Board
of Revenue and the Account-
ant General.

The Government observe
that the new forms of the
Controller General are ap-
parently intended by the
Govt. of India to be bind-
ing only on the Accountant
General for the Revenue
and Finance accounts
and for Budget estimates
submitted

Submitted to the Govt of India.

For general administrative purposes the forms of account prescribed in 1871 and which have been in use ^{ever} since then will ~~therefore~~ continue to be maintained as heretofore ~~side by side~~ ~~with the~~ forms of the ~~Controlling General and~~ ^{and will} be adopted in future in the monthly accounts which the Accountant General has to submit with reference to para 6 of G.O. 22^d March 1880 No 609.

The Board of Revenue and ^{the} Accountant General will

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will report what ^{new} arrangements, if any, will be necessary ^{in order} to carry out this dual system of accounts

As the form of the ~~The~~ Budgets and annual accounts coming before

Govt. in the usual course of administration being a

~~now decided in the old forms~~

of 1871, the receipts from

Tolls and ferries will be

will thus remain unaltered

continue to be shown therein under Taxation;

whenever may be the ~~and it is immaterial how~~

they are shown in the Special

accounts submitted to the

Govt. of India by the Acctt. General.

method of exhibiting these items

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To
The Board of Revenue 13 }
" Accountant General 6 }
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