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G.O., No. 574

DATED 8-6-88

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording letter from Messrs Baker & Co reporting the price of the two copies of the Bureau Veritas Register to be supplied to the Presy Port officer & to the chairman, Harbour Trust Board, Madras; and carrying out the necessary alterations in the appendix to No 10 of 12th of 27-9-97.

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CURRENT No 1558

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Current No 1558
 6, Bond Court,
 Wallbrook,
 London,
 4th May, 1898
 To the Chief Secretary to Government
 Financial Department,
 Madras.

CHIEF SECRETARY
 1 - JUN 1898

Sir,

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(1) We have the honor to acknowledge receipt of a copy of your order W. 556, dated 4th March, 1898, and in obedience to your request, given therein, to state that the best terms that we have been able to make with the Secretary to the London Depot of "Bureau Veritas," (Shipping Register), is to obtain one copy of the Register for £10.10.0, and a second copy for £5.5.0, half price.

(2) The Secretary demanded at first £10.10.0 for each copy, i.e. £21 for the two copies required; a demand put forward on the grounds that the Registers were required for the use of two distinct offices; but after some correspondence, and explaining that the order for both copies came from one source, the Madras Government, and that the offices to be supplied had no independent power to order the Registers, and no independent funds to pay for them, we succeeded in getting the price of the second copy reduced to £5.5.0, half the price of the first.

(3) The price of the two copies now required as paid to Bureau Veritas Depot amounts £15.15.0 which means £7.17.6, plus postages and our Commission, £8.11.4 to each of the Government Offices now being supplied, as follows

1. Copy supplied to Presidency Post-offices £ 7.17.6
 Paid by us to Bureau Veritas Depot - - - 7.10
 5% Commission for ourselves - - - 6.0
 Postage of Books, Supplements, and - - -
 Work Registers - - - £ 8.11.4

1. Copy supplied to Harbour Trust - - - 8.11.4
 with postages & as shown above - - -

We have the honor to be,

Sir, your most obedient Servants.

J. P. Baker, & Co.

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Order No 514, 28 June 1898

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2. The necessary alterations will be made in the appendix to G.O. No 801 Jul 8 27.9.97

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Note. The 5% Commission charged by Baker is not new. It has been allowed since 1881, as will be seen from page 2 of G.O. No 99 Jul 8 26.1.81.

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