

# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

*Private* DEPARTMENT.

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| G.O. No. <i>35</i> | Press           |
| <i>14-15</i>       | <del>Mis.</del> |
| Dated <i>13-1-</i> | <i>19-1917</i>  |

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*Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 18th January 1859.*

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No. 14. Read the following Extract Minutes Consultation in the Public Works Department, dated 4th January 1859, No. 20.

Resolving to call the attention of the Heads of the several Departments, to the order of 19th July 1856, No. 1217, requiring them invariably to send up Estimates for sanction through the Chief Engineer, and ruling that no Estimates be received except through that channel. } (Vide Public Works Consultation, 4th January 1859, Nos. 39 and 40.)

No. 15.

ORDER THEREON, No. 39; dated 13th January 1859.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,  
Chief Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
*Public.*

No. 1217.

*Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 19th July 1856.*

Read the following letter from the Chief Engineer.

Requests to prohibit the practice of sending Plans and Estimates direct to Government by Public Officers and suggests the propriety of their being forwarded through the Chief Engineer under para. 1 Section I of the new Code of Rules for D. P. W., } (Here enter 26th June 1856, No. 4384.)

The Government concur in the Chief Engineer's remarks as to the propriety of all Estimates in the Public Works Department being subjected to examination and scrutiny in his office. This is provided for in the new Code of the Public Works Department; but until that Code shall have been brought into operation, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that all Heads of Departments having occasion to send up Estimates for the sanction of Government will forward them to the Chief Engineer for submission.

(A true Extract.)

*Signed J. D. Bourdillon*  
Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Military.

No. 20.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 4th January 1859.

Read the following letter from the Officiating Chief Engineer.

Reports with reference to para. 2 of Extract Minutes Consultation No. 2520 of the 25th November 1858 that the Estimate for substituting a tiled roof for the present thatched covering of the Reading room attached to the European Barracks at Ramundroog amounts to Rupees 270, instead of Rupees 250, and recommends that all Estimates should pass through this Office before being received by Government. (Here enter 13th December 1858, No. 6257.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the revised Estimate submitted with the above letter, amounting to Rupees (270) two hundred and seventy, in lieu of the one of Rupees 250 sanctioned on the 25th November 1858, No. 2520, out of the one lac fund.

2. Under the circumstance brought to notice by the Officiating Chief Engineer the Governor in Council resolves to call the attention of the Heads of the several Departments to the order of the 19th July 1856, No. 1217 requiring them invariably to send up Estimates for sanction through the Chief Engineer and to rule that no Estimates be received except through that channel.

(A true Extract.)

W. H. Bursley

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer.

- " Public Department.
- " Judicial Department.
- " Military Department.
- " Board of Revenue.
- " Sudr Udalt.
- " Madras Court of Small Causes.
- " Registrar of the Supreme Court.
- " Inspector of Prisons.
- " Commissioner of Police.
- " Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras.
- " College Board.
- " Master Attendant.
- " Collector of Sea Customs.
- " Commissary General.
- " Director General Medical Department.
- " Director of Public Instruction.
- " Superintendent of Marine.
- " Lord Bishop of Madras.

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Resolving to call the  
attention of the Board of the  
General Department to the  
order of 19th July 1856. 1857  
regarding the Committee  
to send up estimates for  
construction of the  
Engineer, and calling that  
no estimates be received  
except this that should.

To be recorded.  
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