

Local & Munl. (1895) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 115 L.

DATED 19th January 1895.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishment.

Requesting the President, District Board, Madura, to advertise the vacancy of the Local Fund Assistant Engineer, Dindigul Sub-division, and to endeavour to secure for the appointment some one of stated qualifications.

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The President,
District Board,
Madura.

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The Chief Secy. to Govt.,
Local and Municipal
Department,
Madras.

Dated 20³ } 1894.
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No. 157

Enclosures. (2)

SUBJECT.

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as R. F. Assistant Engineer
District Sub Division.

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For orders

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(From orders)

To the President of the District Board,
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(From orders)

For orders

No. 4081C

Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

To

*The President, District Board,
Madura*

15th December 1894.

SIR,

With reference to your letter no. 3746 dated 16th November 1894, I have the honour to recommend Mr. Henry Knott for the appointment of Local Fund Assistant Engineer, Sindigul Sub Division.

2. Mr. Knott is now a member of the temporary Upper Subordinate Establishment of the Public Works Department, and is serving in the Trichinopoly Division. A copy of his application for employment in the P.W. Department is enclosed, from which some idea of his qualifications and connections may be gathered. Both the Executive Engineer and the Superintending Engineer under whom Mr. Knott is serving consider him a suitable candidate for the post, and if his nomination

42-600-20-1-94.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President.

Application for employment in the Public Works Department.

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Statement of particulars of all landed property in which the applicant has an interest.

[N.B.—The application will be summarily rejected if the particulars required in this statement are not furnished.]

District and division in which land is situated.	PARTICULARS REGARDING LANDED PROPERTY.				When acquired, inherited, &c.	By what means and for what purpose acquired.	Nature of interest possessed by the applicant in such landed property.	Remarks.
	Nature of property, i.e., whether houses, lands, gardens, &c.	Extent.	Assessment.	In whose name registered.				
		ACS.	RS.					

COPIES OF TESTIMONIALS, &c.

(1) Executive Engineer's office, K. W. P. Camp, Calicut 31st December 1869.
This is to certify that the bearer Mr. H. Knott has been employed under me as a Surveyor and ultimately as Superintendent of the survey of a line of Railway over the Khyga ghat during a period of four years during which time he performed his duties under great difficulties in the midst of dense jungle and malarious districts with steadiness, industry and ability to my entire satisfaction. Mr. Knott is transferred on my recommendation for employment on the Wellington and Apollo Pier Reclamation.
(sd) Jerome Burns Col. Executive Engineer.

(2) Executive Engineer's office, Defences, Bombay 30th June 1872.
I have much pleasure in stating that Mr. Henry Knott who was placed under my services has been engaged and placed in charge of the Wellington Pier Reclamation where he has been engaged for the last two years and it affords me pleasure to bear testimony of his abilities and competency to supervise the work entrusted to him. I always found him assiduous hardworking and steady and temperate in his habits.
(sd) E. W. Becker Capt. Executive Engineer.

(3) Executive Engineer's office, Poona 30th September 1876.
I beg to state that Mr. Henry Knott was transferred to me on completion of the Wellington Pier Reclamation has been engaged by me as supervisor and placed on the building of the New Barracks at Wandoor, where he has been employed for the last four years and has afforded me every satisfaction in the efficient manner in which he conducted his duties. He is a good Surveyor, Builder and Engineer and it affords me much pleasure in handing him this testimonial which I trust may prove useful to him. I can strongly recommend him as being a practical man of business both for outdoor and other work.
(sd) J. W. Robinson Capt. Military Works, Executive Engineer.

(4) Local Fund Engineer's office, Kandish District, Camp, Kamgaum, 7th January 1884.
I have the pleasure to certify that Mr. Henry Knott was employed on this District as Asst. Engineer from 1st November 1878 to 31st December 1883 when he resigned the service. During this time Mr. Knott had charge of the water works for the supply of water to the Towns of Chabgaum and Dalgaum and also the maintenance & construction of Roads, Bridges &c. from Chandgaum to Dalgaum and the Cotton District East and West of Chabgaum and never had any occasion to complain of his works which he carried out economically and in a workmanlike manner to the entire satisfaction of Government and myself. I always found him a steady hardworking man and thoroughly efficient in all his duties.
(sd) D. R. Hardy Esq. District Board Engineer.

(5) Bombay 31st December 1888. We have the pleasure to certify to the Character and ability of Mr. H. Knott who has been our Engineer for two years and ten months. During the quarter portion of this time he was employed on the construction of several Government Buildings we had contracts for in Bombay, as also on our Drainage works at the Officer's Quarters of the Marine Battalion Lines, all of which he completed to the entire satisfaction of Government and ourselves. Mr. Knott has a thorough knowledge of masonry & other work & being a steady hardworking man, we can confidently recommend him as a good Engineer, and shall always be glad to hear of his doing well.
(sd) John Fleming & Co. Engineers & Contractors.

(6) Kolhapur Spinning Co. Ltd. Tinnivelly District, Kolhapur 20th March 1891.
This is to certify that Mr. H. Knott was our Engineer for the last twelve months on the Designing & construction of our Mill buildings, Engine house, Chimney &c. & which he completed to our satisfaction. Mr. Knott has our services owing to the expiration of the time he was under agreement.
(sd) O. M. Murapally Mahomed Camp Esq. Secretary, Kolhapur Spinning Co. Ltd.

(7) Mayavaram and Thupet Railway, South Indian Railway, Trichinopoly, 27th January 1893.
This is to certify that Mr. H. Knott served in this Department from 10th April 1890 as an Inspector on Rs 250 per mensem. and his services were dispensed with owing to there being no longer required, and his conduct has been good.
(sd) Francis J. Smith. Acting Chief Engineer.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

From

To

Dated

Subject.

Application for employment in the Public Works Department.

No. 157

MADURA DISTRICT BOARD OFFICE,

20th December 1894

Local & Municipal Dept

From

L. C. Miller Esquire,

President, District Board,

Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department,

Madras.

Sir,

To be kindly
returned }

I have the honor to forward herewith letter from the Chief Engineer to Government recommending Mr Henry Knott, a member of the Temporary Upper Subordinate Establishment of the Public Works Department, serving in Trichinopoly, for the post of Assistant Engineer Dindigul Sub Division (Rs 250-300) and to request that you will be so good as to sanction his appointment to the place.

Since the receipt of L.O. No 2282 L. mis dated the 6th November 1894 appointing Mr Loughurst for the post, I ascertained from the President of the Coimbatore District Board that he

had a promotion to a post carrying a higher salary and is therefore not available for employment here. And finding that in my list of Candidates for the vacancy there were not men of experience for the charge of such a heavy division as Dindigul, I applied to Colonel Pennycuik for the selection of a man and he recommends Mr. Knott as one likely to be useful.

I have the honor to be
 Sir
 your most obedt Servt
 John Lubbock
 President

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