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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From V. A. BRODIE, Esq., President, District Board, Gódvári, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 1st November 1895, Ref. on Current No. 2278-D.B.

Under Rule 3, Chapter VIII, of the Local Fund Account and Audit Rules (Civil) as amended up to date, the objection statements issued by the Treasury officer to the Presidents of local boards are to be returned to the Treasury officer within a *fortnight* of receipt with all the information, &c., required. But it has not been found possible to return them punctually within the time prescribed, and the Presidents of all the taluk boards unanimously complain that the time allowed is too short. The information required by the Treasury officer will not generally be available in the offices of the Presidents of local boards. The Presidents of local boards have in their turn to call for information from the several officers subordinate to them and the information will not be ready in the majority of cases, even in their subordinate offices which have to obtain the necessary vouchers, &c., from the parties concerned. Under these circumstances, I have the honour to request that Government may be pleased to amend the rule in question so as to extend the time for the return of the objection statements to at least twenty days.

No. 1674.

Referred to the Accountant-General for remarks.

(By order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
22nd November 1895.

(Signed) W. W. PHILLIPS,
Ag. Assistant Secretary.

From F. C. HARRISON, Esq., C.S., Officiating Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 20th January 1896, No. 477-L.F.D.

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ORDER—No. 220 L., dated 31st January 1896.

The proposed alteration of the rule is approved. The return of the statements within the extended period must be strictly enforced.

(True Extract.)

G. S. FORBES,
for Chief Secretary.

To all Presidents of District Boards.
„ the Accountant-General.

Encl A. Raitt.

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Local Fund Department

From

The President

District Board.

Godawari

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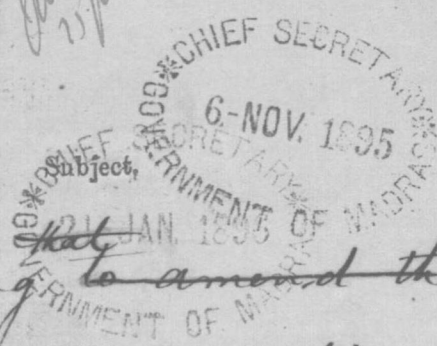


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Requesting to amend the rule regarding the time allowed for the return of the objectionable statements to the Treasury & Collector, & maybe as to extended the time to 20 days under the circumstances explained.

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Referred to the Accountant General for remarks.

(By order)

L. S. Phillips
Acting Assistant Secretary.

Fort Saint George,
22 November 1895.

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To

The Accountant General.

(With Encl.)

Refon. No. 2278
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BOARD OFFICE 21 Nov 1895

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FROM U. A. Brodie Esquire.
President

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District Board Godavari.

TO

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department,

Madras.

SIR,

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to L. F. Public Works Account
and Audit Rules in
No 8242 of 5-5-94

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sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(Sd) V. A. Brosie
President,
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Vice President D.B.
Godavari
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LOCAL FUND DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George,
Accountant-General's Office,
20th January 1896.

No. L.F.D.
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From

J. C. Harrison Esq. C. S.
Offg: ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government,
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I have the honor to be,
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J. C. Harrison

Local Fund (1896) Department.

Local & Municipal Dept.
From CURR No. 1742

The Accountant-General,
Madras.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Fort Saint George.

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C. No. 3277 L. ret'd

Dated 20th }
Received } January 1896.

Subject.

Stating that there is no objection
the extension of time from a fortnight
20 days, for the return to Treasury
officer, of objection statements on
Local Fund Accounts asked for by the
President, District Board, Gajawari in his letter dated
12th November 1895 No. 2278/73 (With order)

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The Accountant General
D. No. 12/2/96

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C.S.
P.S. order No. 2202 of 31.1.96

The proposed alteration of the return of
is approved. The return of
the statements within the
extended period must be
strictly enforced.

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