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Miscellaneous.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPT.	
G.O., DATED	17-8-96
No.	1483 L

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Printing of L. 7. forms.

In forming the President
Dist. Bd. Tinnevely, that
Govt. sees no sufficient
reason to re-consider the
orders contained in L.O.
2534 L. d/ 5. 12. 94. regar-
ding the — at the
Govt. Press of Madras.

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BACK PAPER, No.

of 189

READ AGAIN ORDER OF GOVERNMENT, DATED
189, No. MISCELLANEOUS.

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ENCLOSURES.

CURRENT No.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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Dist. Ed. Reference *C* of
Current No. *133* of 1896.

District Board's office, *Simunungu*

Dated 11th June 1896.

To *Municipal Board*
CURRENT No. *1697*

From,

A. H. B. Higgins Esquire,

President, District Board,

Simunungu.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Port St. George

Sir,

Iwards the printing of Local Board
forms at a Central press as decided by Govern-
ment in its order dated 5th December 1894.
No. 2534 L, Local and Municipal, the Account-
ant General called for a list of forms, other
than those appertaining to budgets and annual
reports, required for the year 97-98 and
generally for one year, which had been forward-
ed accordingly.

2. The printing work connected with the Local
Boards has been all along executed by Local
private presses of which there are many in the district.
During 1895-96, 3 printers executed work and
received

received payment at 75% less than the Government rates for Composing charges and for the current year I have undertaken for a still lower rate of 90 percent less than Government rates.

3. The Composing charges of the forms shown in the lists forwarded to the Accountant General and those of the budget and annual report forms are roughly calculated at Rs. 1,000, of which a sum of Rs. 900 will be a saving to the Local Boards if forms are printed locally.

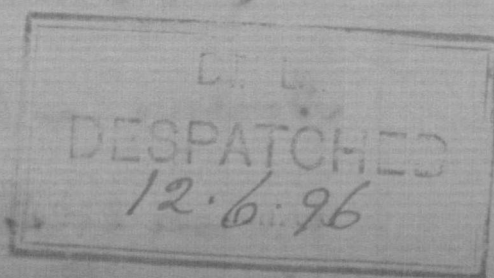
4. I have the honor to request to be advised whether it is compulsory that Local Board forms should be printed in a central press at Madras and whether the printing cannot be arranged for locally in consideration of the saving above shown.

I have the honor to be,

and,

Yours most obedient servant

W. S. S.
for President



Local Fund Department



TINNEVELLY DISTRICT BOARD'S OFFICE.

From

The President District Board
Tinnevely



To,

The Chief Secretary to
Government,
Fort St. George.

Dated 12th June 1896
Received 15 JUN 1896

Ref: C on cur: No. 133 of 1896

ENCLOSURE.

Subject.

Local Board forms - Request
ing to be advised on the
matter of being
printed at the local presses
instead of at the Central
press in Madras

(with Encl)

Recd no 774 of 4-7-96

No 774

Referred to the Accountant-
General for remarks.

(By order)
W D Phillips
Asst Assistant Secretary.

Fort St. George
15 July 1896

To The Accountant-General.

LOCAL FUND DEPARTMENT.

Fort St. George,
Accountant-General's Office,
31st July 1896.

No. 223

From

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

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Department
— Fort Saint George.

SIR,

With reference to your endorsement No 77
dated the 4th July 1896, referring to me for
remarks a letter from the President, District
Board, Tinnevely, enquiring whether it is
compulsary that Local Fund account
forms should be printed at a central
Press in Madras, I have the honor to
state that apart from the desirability
of having exactly the same forms supplied
to all districts, there is probably a gene-
ral saving by the forms all being printed
at a large Central Press. In this connection
I would draw attention to the letter of the
Collector of Kurnool embodied in Government
order

order N^o 2534, dated 5th December 1894, in which it was pointed out that great difficulty was experienced in checking printing charges and that it was impossible for the local authorities to know whether the rates charged were reasonable or not. It may be of course that in some districts forms might be printed cheaper than at a central Press, but I think, taking it all round, the advantages of the present arrangement outweigh those it superseded. I do not therefore recommend a reversion to the old plan of printing local Fund forms locally.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

L. H. M. A. C.
Offg. Accountant General.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

L. M. Ainslie
Offg. Accountant General.

Local & Municipal Department
LOCAL FUND (1896) DEPARTMENT.
CURRENT No. 2124

362 Lm 25-2-96
165 Lm 27-1-96
640 Lm 17-8-95
2534 L 5-12-94
2109 Lm 30-11-91

From

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
MADRAS,

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government,
Local & Municipal Department,
Fort Saint George.

No. L.F.D.
223

Dated 31st July 1896.
Received 1 AUG 1896.

No.

C No 1691 Lm 25-2-96

Subject.

Statute that it is advisable to print
Local Fund forms at a Central Press.

current Nos 1691 L and 2124 L

C.S.
For orders

As to whether in the circumstances
stated by the Accountant-General,
the question raised by the President
may be answered in the affirmative.
In this connection please see also G.O.
No. 362 L dated 25th February 1896.

No doubt in some districts printing
could be done cheaper locally, but
there are many advantages in
having all the printing done at one press.
In S.O. 1819 L of 3.6.95 the hon.
Secy. was allowed to give the printing
out on contract, on a job contract like this
ought to be better & cheaper than local
printing. Submitted that ~~an~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{following} order may arise.

Order No. 1483 Lm 17/8/96

The Govt sees no ^{sufficient} reason to
reconsider the order contained in
S.O. 2534 L of 5.12.94

MA 14.8.96

(In orders)

21/10/96