

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 2244 & 2245

DATED 14-10-97

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Letter of Licence for

Ordering the despatch of a letter to the Govt. of India on the proposed ——— on Govt. timber & bamboo consigned by the Forest & other Govt. Departments from out stations & posts to the Madras Arsenal & Gun Carriage Factory Madras.

Forwarding for the information of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, Copy of the resolution of the Mut. Commr. Madras, expressing their inability to grant the exemption asked for

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Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated

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Current No. 264117 of 1897, dated 7th July 97 from the

Govt of India, Military Dept.

Current No. 3353 of 1897, dated 28th Sep 97 from the

President, and Comm. Madras

Order. No 2244 H. mis. dt 14.10.97

The following letter will be despatched to the Govt of India:—

Letter No 2245 H. mis. dt 14.10.97

From

G.S. Forbes Esq. I.C.S.
Secretary to the Govt of India, Local and Municipal Dept.

To

The Secretary to the Govt of India, Military Department

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 1224-C, dated 7th July 1897, requesting to be informed whether the Municipal Commissioner of Madras will agree to exempt from the levy of license fee under Section 341 of the City of Madras Municipal Act I of 1884, as amended by Act VII of 1884 and Act II of 1892, Government timber and bamboos Consigned by the Forest and other Government Departments from our Stations and ports to the Madras Arsenal and Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.

Madras, I am directed to forward for
the information of His Excellency
the Governor General in Council.
Copy of the resolution of the municipal
Commissioners expressing their inability
to grant the exemption asked for.

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Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 2641-M

TO BE RETURNED
WITH REPLY.

From

The Government of India
Military Department.

No. 858 dated 9th August 1897.
Order

Referred to the municipal
Commissioners of Madras for early
remarks.

No. 1224-C

Dated 7-7-1897

Received 21-7-1897

Registered 21-7-1897

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Secretary to Govt.

V.A.
5/8/97

13.8.97

SUBJECT.

Forwarding for information cor-
respondence regarding the levy by the
Madras Municipality of license fees
on Government timber consigned to the
Madras Arsenal and Gun Carriage Fac-
tory, Madras.

The President, Municipal Council,
Madras.

Record office for Madras
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LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.

No. 1224-C. 264/M.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 7th July 1897.

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the correspondence

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| 1) From the Director Genl. of Ordnance in India No.3810 Camp dated 19th February 1897 and enclosures | } noted in the margin, regarding the levy by the Madras Municipality of license fees on Government timber consigned to the |
| 2) From Quarter Master Genl. in India No.1131-B dated 30th April 1897. (Return requested) | |

Madras Arsenal and Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.

2. It appears from the correspondence that certain charges have been paid by the Madras Arsenal and Gun Carriage Factory, Madras to the Madras Municipality under Section 341 of the City of Madras Municipal Act, 1884, on account of License Fees levied on Timber and Bamboos consigned to them by the Forest and other Government Departments from outstations and ports.

3. There is no provision in the City of Madras Municipal Act, 1884, for the exemption of Government stores from license fees levied under Section 341 thereof, and the Madras Municipality, so far as the Act is concerned, is competent to levy the fees on the Government timber in question. I am, however, to invite attention to para.3 of the letter from the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce No.2/98/103, dated the 22nd December 1875, a copy of which was communicated to the Government of Madras, late Military Department, with Military Department No.464, dated the 19th February 1876. This letter laid down revised rules prohibiting the levy of octroi on goods, the property in which

Cantonments
Taxation

It is requested that the above heading, with number and date of this communication, may be quoted in any subsequent correspondence on this subject.

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which is vested in Government at the time they pass a Municipal barrier, and I am to state that although the impost, which Section 341 of the Act authorises the Madras Municipality to levy, is not an octroi, but a license fee, the Government of India consider that the two taxes, though called by different names, are identical in character, and that the order of 1873 should be held to apply to the licence fees in question.

4. Under these circumstances, I am to request that, under the orders of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the Government of India may be informed whether the Municipal Committee of Madras will agree to exempt from such taxation Government Timber and Bamboos consigned by the Forest and other Government Departments from outstations and ports to the Madras Arsenal and Gun Carriage Factory, Madras.

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

E. G. Banon

Offg. Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Extract referred to.

Endorsement No. 858, dated 9th August 1897, of the Government of Madras on letter No. 1224 C., dated 7th July 1897, from the Government of India, Military Department, re: exemption of license fees on Government timber consigned to the Madras Arsenal and the Gun Carriage Factory.

Proposed by Mr J. DeCaster and seconded by M. R. Ry M. Venkata-ramiah chetty garu -

"That the Commissioners do not see their way to exempt Government timber under the provisions of Section 341".

Carried.

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 3383 *M*

From

THE PRESIDENT,

Municipal Commission,
Madras.

G. No. 242.

Dated

28th September '97

Received 29 SEP. 1897.

Registered 29-9-97

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding an extract from
the proceedings of a General
Meeting of the Commission-
ers held on 27th September,
to the effect that the Com-
missioners do not see their
way to exempt Government
timber under the provi-
sions of Section 341.

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G. No. 242

MUNICIPALITY OF MADRAS.

General Department.

Madras, 28 September 1897

Current No. 3383

From

LIEUT.-COL. SIR GEORGE MOORE, KT., C. I. E.,

President, Municipal Commission.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department,

Fort St. George.

SIR,

Enclosures

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With reference to your endorsement No. 858,

dated 9th August 1897, on Current No 2641 M. (herewith

returned), I have the honour to forward the enclosed

extract from the Proceedings of a General Meeting of the

Commissioners held on 27th September 1897.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. W. Moore Lt.-Col.

President, Munl. Commn.

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STATEMENT WITH DITTO

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