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Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 2755 M

DATED 9-12-97

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Banionic Plague

Requesting the Sanitary Comm^r with
remarks, to revise & re-submit to Govt.
Dr. Baunemann's plan for hospitals
in case of Epidemics.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No 4174 of 1897, dated 2nd December 1897 from the Sanitary Commissioner.
Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Mr. Order. no. 2755 muni of 9.12.97

The Government agrees with the Sanitary Engineer in considering that the best course would be to issue the plan as a site plan, leaving the details to local bodies, who should arrange the roofs and supports according to the materials available in each district. The ground plan should, however, be altered to show the verandahs which have been omitted, and the Sanitary Commissioner is requested to have the plan revised and resubmitted to Government for circulation to local bodies.

(From Orders).

L.R.
9/12/97

H.T.
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To

The Sanitary Commissioner with plan.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read Again G.O. No. 2448 M. dated 6th November 1897.

C. No. 4174 M.

SUBJECT.

Dr. Bannerman's plan on blue paper.

H. M.FOR ORDERS.

In para. 4 of the G.O. read above, the Government, observing that the plan on blue paper submitted by Dr. Bannerman, seemed well suited for adoption for hospital accommodation, in the case of an epidemic, ^{but} and that apparently it should be modified, so as to show a roof pitch of 45 degrees to prevent its leaking, forwarded the plan to the Sanitary Commissioner, with the request that if he, after consulting the Sanitary Engineer, ^{was} ~~is~~ of the same opinion, he ^{would} ~~will~~ have it redrawn with this alteration, and submit copies to Government for circulation to local boards and municipal councils as well as the Municipal Commissioners of Madras.

2. The Sanitary Engineer states that the shed with the roof, as now, altered to 45 degrees, would not stand a heavy wind and probably that may have been the reason

reason for adopting the flatter pitch. He also thinks that the general plan is incorrect as no verandahs are shown on the hospital plan, while they are so in sections, and that it would be useless to issue the plan as altered to local bodies unless it is done so with a specification and that the main requirements should be laid down by the Sanitary Commissioner. He, however, suggests that the best course would be to issue the plan as a site plan, leaving the details to local bodies, who would arrange roof and supports according to the material available in each district.

Yes
MS

3. The Sanitary Commissioner, in forwarding the Sanitary Engineer's letter, states that he agrees with that officer in his remarks generally, except that he considers that it is well known what the materials available for roofing would be in the majority of districts, viz, cholam stalks, reeds, paddy straw, palm leaves, and hill grass, and that there could be no difficulty in fixing the required slope of the roof in each case. In his opinion, it is of prime importance that every detail as to these hospitals should be so fixed, as to render the necessity for references to Government unnecessary. He is therefore
against

against the idea of issuing the plan as a mere site plan, and concludes that the cramped positions shown in the plan are not the offspring of choice, but of necessity in the case of hospitals within the city of Bombay, and that more room for buildings could usually be secured in Madras.

V.R.
4/12/97

H.M.

orders are requested as to the pitch of roof.

A site plan seems not enough.

The ground plan should be altered to show verandas.

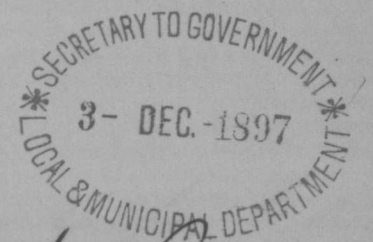
It may then be issued with a note that where sufficient land is available, the spaces between the different buildings may be increased.

MS
2/12/97

H.T.
6/12/97

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CURRENT No. 4174 M



From

The Sanitary Commission
for Madras.

No. 2465
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Dated 2nd December 1897.

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Enclosures 2 (one plan)

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SUBJECT.

Submitting with reference to para 4 of
G.O. No. 2448 M dated 6.11.97 his
opinion in consultation with the
Sanitary Engineer as to the de-
sirability of adopting for hospital
accommodation the plan submitted
by Surg. Maj. Barnerman.

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OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER,
Fort St. George 2nd Decr, 1897

4174 M

From

SURGEON-LIEUT.-COL. W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H.,

SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR MADRAS,

To

THE

*Secretary to Government-
Local & Municipal Dept*

Enclosure.

SIR,

With reference to G.O. N^o 2448 h.
dated 6th instant, I have the honor
to state that I have consulted
the Sanitary Engineer on the
subject therein referred to and
now forward a note from that
office for the information of
Government. I agree with the
remarks he has made, except
that I consider that as it is
well known what the material
available for roofing would be
in the majority of districts,
viz., Cholum, stalks, reeds, paddy
straw, palm leaves and hill
grass, there could be no diffi-
culty in fixing if indeed there
need be any important difference,
the required slope of the roof in
each case. It is in my opinion

of prime importance that every detail as to these hospitals should be so fixed as to render the necessity for reference to Government, or to local authorities, unnecessary. Experience shows that difference of opinion on the most trivial points may lead to profitless discussion and waste of time; yet, these details may have a most important bearing in respect to correct sanitation.

2. To merely issue a site plan would, therefore, lead to most varied results, whilst it must be remembered that the cramped positions shown in the plan are not the offspring of choice but of necessity in the case of hospitals used within the City of Bombay, and that more room for buildings could usually be secured in Madras Districts without extravagance.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedt. Servt.

W. B. King.

Sanitary Engineer to Govt.
Sanitary Engineer to Govt.

S. E. 500-15-3-97.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Office of Sanitary Engineer to Govt.,

No. 141 Fort St. George, 22nd Nov 1897.

OFFICE NOTE

BY

THE SANITARY ENGINEER.

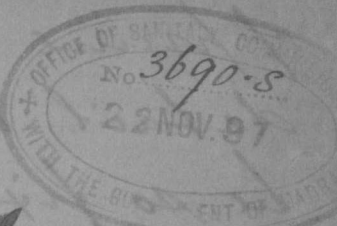
With reference to G.O No. 2448.M. of 6th. November 1897, para (4) the plan handed to the U/S is herewith returned shewing the proper slope for a thatched roof. But how it is to be constructed the undersigned is in doubt - a large span of 34 feet requires a very heavy truss which cannot be supported on jungle posts as evidently intended. The shed with the roof as now altered to 45° would not stand a heavy wind & probably that may have been reason for adopting the flatter pitch.

3. The general plan is incorrect as there are no verandahs shown on the hospital plan while they are so in section & if they were shown one of the verandahs would be outside the Hospital Boundary. The undersigned thinks it would be useless to issue to local bodies the plan now returned unless it is so with a specification; the main requirements should be laid down by the Sanitary Commissioner.

3. It is however suggested that it would be best merely to issue the plan as a site plan leaving details to local bodies

who

who would arrange roof and supports according to the material available in each particular district.



[Signature]

Sanitary Engineer to Govt.

To

The Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

[Signature]

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ENCLOSURES TO G. No. _____

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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