

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

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G.O., No. 1292 M

DATED 19-7-98.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanitation

Referring to the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, letter from the Sanitary Commissioner submitting his remarks on the scheme proposed by the former for the removal of night-soil from the latrines of the residents of the Municipality.

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# Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 21960

TO BE RETURNED  
WITH REPLY.

Order  
784 of 9-7-98  
Referred to the Sanitary Commission  
for <sup>very</sup> early remarks.

From  
THE PRESIDENT,  
Municipal Commission,  
Madras.

By order

H. No. 620

A. S. Srinivasan  
Asst. Secretary.

Dated 29<sup>th</sup> June 1898

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# SUBJECT.

Submitting a form of  
notice requiring all householders in the  
city of Madras who have latrines within  
their houses or in their compounds to  
provide from August next for use  
within such latrines for the night-soil  
iron or tin receptacles and requesting  
to issue the notification required by  
section 309 of Act 1 of 1884.

The Sanitary Commissioner.

P.T.O.

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Order

The Government considers that the conditions referred to in paragraph 1 of the Sanitary Commissioner's letter read above, should be satisfied, before a notification under section 309 of the Act, can be issued.

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The Sanitary Commissioner's letter to be referred to the Municipal Commission, Madras, for remarks.

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15-7-98

To The President M.C. Madras  
Sanitary Commissioner.

Sept. 20-7-98

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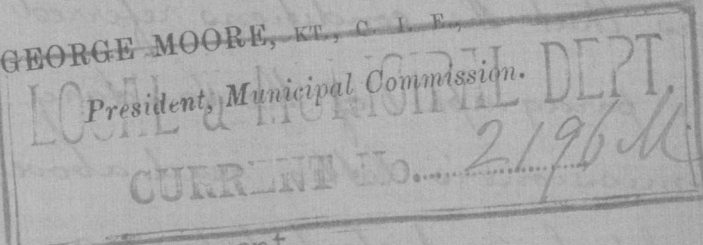
Health Department.

Madras, 29<sup>th</sup> June 1898.

H. No. 620

From

The Hon: LIUT.-COL. SIR GEORGE MOORE, Kt., C.I.E.,  
President, Municipal Commission.



To

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

Sir,

In forwarding the accompanying notice for information, I have the honor to request that His Excellency-- the Governor in Council may be pleased to issue the notification required by Section 309 of Act 1 of 1884.

Enclosure.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

*Geo Moore* Lieut.-Col.  
President, Munl. Comm.

29/6/98

*Enclosure No. 620 of 29 June*

NOTICE.

Before the end of August 1898, all residents in <sup>with</sup> paka-built houses, throughout the whole of the Municipality of Madras, who at present have latrines, whether within their houses or in --- their compounds, are required to provide for use within the said latrines iron or tin receptacles for the night soil in suffi---cient number. This is to facilitate the complete removal of the night-soil by the toties, an almost impossible task when it --- falls on flat stone or cement surfaces, and to prevent contamina---tion of the soil where the latrine has an earthen floor.

If householders shall neglect to carry out this order with---in the allotted time, the President will provide receptacles---for them and recover the cost from the occupier.

A cheap and fairly durable form of receptacle can be formed by cutting a kerosine oil tin in half longitudinally. Occupiers will also be required to see that their toties keep these receptacles clean by frequent tarring.

Health Department, )  
Municipal Office, )  
Madras, 29 June 1898. )

*J. V. Cornwall*  
Surgn.-Lt.,

Health Officer, M. M. C.

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Office of Sanitary Commissioner,  
Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

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From

The As. Sanitary Commissioner  
for Madras.

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No. 1559  
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Dated 12<sup>th</sup> July 1898.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting remarks with reference  
to endorsement of Cont No 784 dated  
9<sup>th</sup> July 1898 and letter from the Pre-  
sident Municipal Commission  
Madras forwarding a form of notice  
requiring all householders in the city  
of Madras who have latrines within  
their houses or in their compounds  
to provide from August next within  
such latrines iron or tin receptacles  
for the night soil & requesting to  
issue the notification required by  
Section 209 of Act I of 1884.

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From

Surgeon-Major H. Thomson, M.B., D.P.H.,

Acting Sanitary Commissioner for Madras,

TO

The Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department.

Sir,

With reference to your endorsement NO. 784 dated 9" July 1898, I have the honour to state that I consider it at present scarcely practicable to work the scheme proposed by the Madras Municipality for the following reasons :-

- (1). The scheme presupposes the existence of private latrines built on a uniform plan which at present does not exist. Should this notice be enforced, a specified pattern of latrine must be erected.
- (2). The scheme now proposed is the pail system of night soil conservancy, but no arrangement has been made for removal of urine.
- (3). Private scavenging by the Municipality not being in force in the City of Madras, regular attendance of to-ties which underlies the whole system cannot be ensured. It is, therefore, proposed that the Municipality undertake the supply of private scavengers, as is done in mo-fussil Municipalities.

2. With the above reservations, I consider the scheme is to be recommended as likely to be of much assistance to-wards the improvement of the public health of Madras.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant,

*H. Thomson*

M.B., D.P.H.,

Surgeon Major,

Ag: Sanitary Commissioner for

Office of Sanitary Commissioner,

Fort St. George, 12<sup>th</sup> July 1898.

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