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Communicating to the Munl Council of Tiruppattur, Ld P.W.D., sanctioning, subject to certain conditions, the transfer of the — over the bund of the Tiruppattur tank to the Tiruppattur Municipality.

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Road

The transfer of the — over the bund of the Tiruppattúr tank to the Tiruppattúr Municipality, sanctioned, subject to certain conditions.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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READ—the following papers:—

Extract from the Proceedings of the District Board, Salem, passed at its meeting held on the 29th October 1897.

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6. Read Executive Engineer's No. 825, dated 20th October 1897, enquiring whether the District Board intends maintaining the road over the Tiruppattúr tank bund, and if not, to give notice of it to his department.

Resolution.—The Board have abandoned the tank bund road—*vide Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 23rd June 1896. Tiruppattúr-Alangayam road therein referred to is the road *viâ* Vengalapuram.

Endorsement of the President, District Board, Salem, dated 30th October 1897, No. 1653/L.A.

Communicated to the Executive Engineer, Salem division, the District Board Engineer, Salem, the President, Taluk Board, Tiruppattúr, and the Treasury Deputy Collector, Salem, for information.

No. 1298.

Forwarded to the Sub-Divisional officer, Tiruppattúr, in continuation of this office No. 1278/S., dated 1st November 1897.

(Signed) H. H. O'CONNELL,
Executive Engineer.

4th November 1897.

From G. B. LAMBERT, Esq., Executive Engineer, Salem division, to the Collector of Salem, dated 8th February 1899, No. 175 M.

With reference to your No. 2385, dated 27th ultimo, I have the honour to inform you that the tank bund in its present condition cannot be used as a road, and I am therefore unable to hand it over to the municipal council till they have placed at the disposal of this department about Rs. 450, being the cost for gravelling, metalling and making the bund suitable for traffic.

2. I have just inspected the bund. The tank is the terminal one of a series of tanks, and I consider that traffic should not be allowed on it in its present state. I have under preparation an estimate, and, in anticipation of receiving contribution from the municipality, have included a sum of about Rs. 450 for this portion of the bund.

3. I find there are two other roads—one in the foreshore of the tank and the other below the tank bund and about half a mile or so from it. I cannot see the necessity for spending money on the tank bund road. When I inspected, all the produce was being carried to the road on coolies' heads and this practice might very well be continued. The tank bund road could only serve for a *very few* land-owners under

the tank; at the calingula the road runs below the flood bank and crosses the surplus channel below the weir. This portion is in very bad order, and I shall imagine very few carts would use the road for through traffic unless this portion were put into good order.

4. I may add that no orders have been received in this department to hand over the road.

From M.R.Ry. C. RANGANADA MUDALIAR Avergal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Tiruppattúr, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Collector of Salem and the Divisional officer, Tiruppattúr), dated 25th February 1899, Ref. on No. 291 E. & G.

With reference to the notification prescribed in G.O., No. 1641 M., dated 19th September 1898, I have the honour to state that the tank bund road has not yet been handed over to the council, although at my instance the Collector wrote to the Executive Engineer to hand over the road. The Executive Engineer seems to be of opinion that orders should issue in the Public Works Department for the same. I therefore request you to be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government for handing over the road to the municipality, through the Public Works Department.

Regr. No. 334 Sub.

Forwarded.

(Signed) J. G. BURN,
Ag. Head Asst. Collector.

28th Feb. 1899.

No. 332 Cur.

Forwarded.

(Signed) R. B. CLEGG,
Acting Collector.

8th March 1899.

No. 332, Local and Municipal.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) A. EDGINGTON,
Ag. Assistant Secretary.

21st March 1899.

From A. H. GARRETT, Esq., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Camp Ootacamund, 7th May 1899, No. 250 W.

In reply to your No. 2003 C., dated 10th April 1899, I have the honour to inform you that the road in question was under the charge of the District Board, Salem, for about fourteen years up to January 1896, when the District Board formally abandoned the road—*vide Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 23rd June 1896.

A repair estimate was prepared last year in which provision was made for only giving the portion of the tank bund which had been used as a road a top width of 6 feet; but on the Tiruppattúr Municipal Council representing in February last that the bund was in municipal limits and that they were prepared to contribute the full cost of restoring the road, the Executive Engineer submitted at the end of last month a revised estimate allowing for this work. This estimate is now about to be forwarded for sanction.

Office-note from the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 29th June 1899.

ORDER—No. 1897 W., dated 24th July 1899.

The transfer of the road in question to the Tiruppattúr Municipality is sanctioned subject to the condition that its restoration and maintenance are arranged for in accordance with the rules contained in the annexure to G.O., No. 609 I., dated 5th August 1891.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Local and Municipal Department.
" Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

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