

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	49	Press ~~Mis~~
Dated	31 /	1857

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N^o 6 From

N^o 327

J. J. Franklin Esq^r

Secretary - Marine Board,

To

J. Tyer Esq^r

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort Saint George

Sir,

27th Jan 1857. N^o 327

1. I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to forward the accompanying copy of a letter from the Commander of the Steam Transport "Leincian" relative to the payment of port dues, which he was informed would be demanded of him unless there was any clause in his Charter of Agreement expressly relieving him from such charges during his engagement as a Government transport.

2. The Charter Party has been examined and nothing appears in it to exempt the vessel from the payment of port dues, but the Government will perceive that the Commander states that none have been

been enforced at Bombay, and is under the impression that it was intention of the Charterers that none should be enforced.

3. Under these circumstances the Board beg to annex a Memo of the charges that would have been leviable if the charges are to be imposed; and suggest that a reference to Bombay be made on the subject with a request that the amount shall be recovered from the Owners and transmitted to this Department, should it appear that the Commander is misinformed.

Madras
Marine Board Office
27th January 1857

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

Wm Brandin
Secretary

Capt. J. Mooneauwy.
Exon

From the Commander of the B. S. N. Co's
Steamer "Scindian"
J. Franklin Esq.
Secretary Marine Board,
Sir dated 27 January 1857

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, informing me that you have been instructed by the Marine Board to call on me for payment of Harbour dues, in reply, have the honor to inform you that we have been Chartered by the Government of Bombay as Steam Transport, and for services performed honored with a pendant by Admiral Sir H. S. Leake, Commander in Chief Indian Navy, since the date of that Charter, the Steamer has been handed over to the Government, and for the time being, may be said to be their property, under their sole management and orders.

and as since the 8th November 1856. the date of the Charter, no dues or fees of any kind have been claimed or demanded by the Bombay Government; in the absence of instructions from the Bombay Steam Navigation

Navigation Company, I must decline incurring
expenses of this nature, and would respectfully
suggest that the matter be allowed to stand over
pending a reference to the Government and
the Owners of the Steamer "Scindian"

I have the honor to be Sir

/ Signed Rayto

Comr. P. & A. Co. Steamer
"Scindian"
In Govt. Transport Service

/ True Copy /

Wm. Brown
Secretary to the Board

C. P. M. G.
C. P. M.

John C. Allen to Government
dated 27 Aug 1897
No 327.

From
The Secy of the War
Dept. Secy.

Attest, that the
Secy has received
transmitted from the Secy.

11/18/97
J. W. 36

Marine Department.

No. 49

Secy to the Govd of Bombay

Sir,

I am directed by the
R.A. The Governor in
Council to transmit copy
of a letter from the Ma-
rine Board and its en-
closure, and to request
to be informed whether
it was the intention of
the Bombay Govd that
the Steam Transport
"Scindian" chartered by
them should be relieved,
during her engagement
as a Govd transport, from
the payment of all
Port dues. Should such
not appear to be the
case, I have to request
that the amount of the
two Bills noted in the
margin.

To consolidated Port duty
for the Port & Roadstead
of Karachi at the rate of
13 Rs. per Ton — Rs. 98.10-
To Annual duty on the regis-
tered tonnage for the Cen-
tral year at 10 annas per Ton — Rs. 32.14-

Received in Cash 11/11/57

Rs. 16 Ann. 6 1/2 paise
Marine 1857. 2/10/57

the Secy Marine Board

the Chief Secy to Government

John A. G. G. G.

Received 27 1/2 1857
Jan 29 3 1/2 January 1857

90-36

1 rupee
12 paise

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Copy to Bombay Govt sent
copy to the Marine Board
31 Jan 1857. 1/10/57
to Secy Marine Board

Enclosed copy of a letter
from the Govd of the Marine
Board & its enclosure relative
to the payment of port dues from
which the "Scindian" has been
exempted. and a copy of the
report of the Marine Board
on the subject with a request
that the Government shall be
pleased to direct the Marine Board
to be relieved from the payment of
port dues during her engagement
as a Govd transport. I am, Sir,
very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
John A. G. G. G.

margin may be recovered
from the Owners
and remitted to the
Good

Fort St George,
31st January, 1857



Entered in Lib of 1837

on 24th Jan 6th February
Warren. 1837. Sept 11

W. H. M.

to

The Secy to the Govt
of Bombay.

21st Jan 1837.

Recd. 2. to 27th March 1837.

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L. A.

Entered in Vol. 1 of 1897

Indy. 8th February
Warren. not report

Mr. M.

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The Secy to the Com
of Kentucky.

of 31st Jan 1897.

Rept. to 27th March 1897.

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L. A.