

Marine (1896) Department.

G.O., No. 179

DATED 17 March 96

[Despatch Abstract.]

Mr. J. O. Baker Post Office Intention.
Pro Public Dept regarding the
hospital charges to be paid by —
Communicated to the Presidency Post
Office

26. 2. 96 - 17E
8. 6. 95 - 728 Pub
24. 3. 02 - 363 "

179 marine of 17 months
1896

Communicated to the
Spreidney Port officer
for Mr. Batten's information.

curves
16.3.96.

The P.P.O with 4 encls. ret'd.
R.S.

Informing the Presidency
Post-officer that under G.O.
No. 702 of 8th June '55. Public
the charge for hospital
stoppage for an official
on Rs. 500 and upwards
is Rs. 5 per diem and that
Mr. Baker, Post-officer, Lu-
dicorini was correctly billed.

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17 MAR. 93
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Public Department.



PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following paper:—

Endorsement of the Marine Department, dated 26th. February 1896, No. 97 E, on letter from the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, dated 22nd. February 1896, No. 1785/58 G.

O R D E R, No. 323, dated 6th. March 1896.

Under G.O. No. 762 Public, dated 8th. June 1875, the charge for an official on "Rs 500 and upwards" is Rs. 5 per diem. Mr. Baker was correctly billed and the amount should be paid without delay.

(True extract)

W. S. Thillips

Ag. Assistant Secretary,
for Chief Secretary.

To—The Marine Department (with papers ret'd:)

"--" Surgeon General.

Record papers
Marine (1896)

DEPARTMENT.

From

THE PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

PUBLIC WORKS (MARINE) DEPARTMENT,

Madras.

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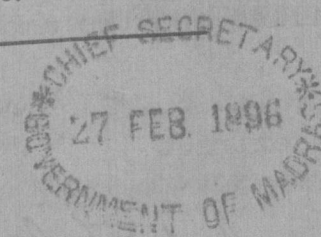
No. *1785*
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Dated

22nd February 1896

Received

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Subject.

Enquiring information
regarding the rate of
Hospital charges payable
by Mr. J. H. Baker, Port
Officer, Tuticorin.

Marine current no. *184*
301

CURRENT No. *743* Pub

Encls *5*

Over: 20.2.96

No. 97 E of 26 Feb. 1896

*Referred to the Public
Department.*

*The following are
Mr. Baker's emoluments*

Pay as Port Officer ---- Rs 200

Personal allowance ---- 75

Pay as Supt. of Port

Fisheries ---- 300

Total Rs 575

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J. H. Baker Col. 126

*Jt. Secy. P.W.D.
(Marine)*

CR. for 1896

C.A.

*There is a file now in the
Marine Department*

Heading.

No. 1785
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PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICE,

Madras, 22nd February 1896.

From

Commander H. A. Street, R.I.M.,

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER,

Madras,

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MARINE DEPARTMENT,

Fort Saint George.

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SIR,

Mr. J. H. Baker, Port Officer, Tuticorin, who was an in-patient at the Government Ophthalmic Hospital at Madras from the 19th December 1895 to 5th January 1896, has represented to me that he has been presented with a bill for Hospital Charges at the rate of Rs 5/- per diem, and that on his pointing out to the Medical Authorities that according to G.O. Public, No 363, dated March 21st, 1862, a charge of Rs 3/- only per diem should have been made, he was informed that the higher charge is in strict accordance with the scale laid down by Government.

* Copies of the
Correspondence
put up herewith,
to be returned.

2. On referring to the G.O. quoted by Mr. Baker, there appears to be a scale of Rs 5/- per diem, but on the basis of m. m. m.

memo. of Hospital charges presented
to Mr. Baker, which is herewith forwarded
for inspection, a scale of charges is given
which differs from that specified in
the G. O. on the subject.

Mr. Baker's contention is, that
according to this scale persons with
salaries above Rs 500. are to be charged
Rs 5. per diem, and that as his pay
is not above Rs 500. he is not liable
to a higher charge than Rs 3 per diem.
I beg I may be informed whether
under the circumstances, Mr. Baker
should be called on to pay the
higher charge.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,
your obt. servant,

J. A. B. T. C.

Commander, R. I. M.

Presidency Port Officer.