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G.O., No. 215 *head*

DATED 27/3/26

[Despatch Abstract.]

Works in the West Coast *Port* *Pro*
J.W.D. Sanchaining Modification of *Port*
for Communication to the *Ordinary*
Port office

Orders sanctioning a modification of grants for works in the West Coast division.

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No. 890 W., 12TH MARCH 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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	Total, Communications ..	..		..	..	..	..	19,173	..	19,173	
	Miscellaneous Public Works Improvements.										
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11	Lump sum ..	..	..	..	..	173	..	1,000	—800	200	Not required. There are no estimates to work out the grant.
12	Tools and Plant.	..	..	..	..	314	..	1,500	—1,000	500	Do. do.
	Imperial.										
	Repairs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
13	Postal.	..	..	..	..	1,426	..	2,000	—200	1,800	Surrendered as the amount is not likely to be spent by the end of March 1896.
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17	Constructing quarters for light-keepers at Calicut light-house.	..	..	..	..	629	..	..	539	529	Required to meet payment made for compensation for land.
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(d)	Do. to the Vayittiri-Gúdálur road	...	...	...	...	538
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(e) Do. at Meppadi	1,200
(f) Communications, Minor Works, West Coast Division	2,000
Total ...	12,750

3. If the delay in the progress on items (a) and (d) is due to default on the part of the contractors, the penalty agreed upon should be inflicted. As regards (b) and (c) the Superintending Engineer should have ascertained and reported much earlier whether the Travancore Public Works Department could spend the grant in full. The estimate for item (e) is said to have been only recently sanctioned, and the work started about the beginning of January. There appears to have been an interval of nearly three months between the date of sanction to the estimate and the commencement of the work, and this delay should have been explained.

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Provincial.

(a) Miscellaneous Public Improvements, Minor Works	...	...	800
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								683
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	96
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(True Extract.)

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Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

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