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[Despatch Abstract.]

Quarters with out-houses for the Port officer at Calicut

Proceedings, Public Works Dept, sanctioning with remarks revised estimate of Rs 18,160 for constructing —, communicated to the Presidency Port officer.

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Revised estimate of Rs. 18,160 for constructing —, sanctioned with remarks, and Superintending Engineers directed to take steps to prevent inaccurate and misleading estimating and to see that estimates are complete in every respect on first submission.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers:—

From J. HANNAN, Esq., Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, to the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, dated Coimbatore, 14th February 1897, No. 83/M.

I have the honour to forward, for your approval and transmission to Government for sanction, a revised plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 18,160 for constructing quarters with out-houses, &c., for the Port officer at Calicut.

The original estimate of Rs. 14,100 was sanctioned in G.O., No. 1305 W., dated 23rd April 1896, and the excess of Rs. 4,060 over this estimate is due to the following items, the necessity of which is explained in the accompanying report and comparative statement:—

An additional stair case to upstairs bath-room ...	RS.
Enclosing the upper verandah with glazed and panelled shutters ...	436
Clearing site and making road-way ...	914
Constructing a covered passage ...	50
Constructing a portico ...	487
" a well ...	487
" a compound wall ...	215
" ...	1,471
Total ...	4,060

The original plans and estimate are also herewith sent for information.

From Commander H. A. STREET, R.I.M., Presidency Port Officer, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated 22nd February 1897, No. 1678/55 G.

With reference to paragraph 4 of G.O., No. 1305 W., dated 23rd April 1896 (Marine G.O., No. 338 of 15th May 1896), I have the honour to forward, duly countersigned, for sanction and allotment of funds, a revised estimate of Rupees (18,160) eighteen thousand one hundred and sixty for constructing quarters with out-houses, &c., for the Port officer at Calicut, together with the plan, &c., which accompanied the same. The excess over the original estimate of Rs. 14,100 is explained in the accompanying copy of letter, No. 83/M., dated 14th February 1897, from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.

2. The original plans and estimate are also herewith sent for information.

No. 159 E., Marine.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

5th March 1897.

ORDER—No. 1045 W., dated 14th April 1897.

The revised estimate, amounting to Rs. 18,160, for constructing quarters with out-houses for the Port officer at Calicut, is sanctioned in supersession of the estimate of Rs. 14,100 sanctioned in G.O., No. 1305 W., dated 23rd April 1896.

2. The increase of Rs. 4,060 over the original estimate comprises the following items:—

(a) Additional stairs for one of the bath-rooms ...	RS.
(b) Dismantling and reconstructing part of the foundations on which it was decided to build the house ...	270
(c) Raising walls by one foot ...	175
(d) Enclosing front verandah of upper floor with half-glazed and half-panel shutters ...	100
(e) Clearing site and forming roads ...	895
(f) Providing covered way to kitchen ...	50
(g) Constructing carriage porch ...	465
(h) Sinking a well ...	465
(i) Erecting a compound wall ...	205
Contingencies ...	1,400
Total ...	35
Total ...	4,060

3. Items (a) and (b) have been brought forward in accordance with the Chief Engineer's instructions in his note printed with G.O., No. 1305 W., dated 23rd April 1896; the other additions are no doubt desirable in a climate such as that of the West Coast, but if they had been proposed in the first instance, as they should have been, the estimate would probably have not been sanctioned at all. His Excellency the Governor in Council desires that all Superintending Engineers will take steps to prevent inaccurate and misleading estimating of this kind, and see that estimates are complete in every respect on first submission.

4. The probable outlay on the Port officer's quarters at Calicut to the end of 1896-97 was Rs. 9,100, but no funds have been provided for the work in the current official year. The Superintending Engineer will apply for the amount required in his statement of demands on account of incomplete works.

5. This sanction has been registered as Excluded Local No. 2 W. of 1897-98, and classified as Civil Buildings, Original Works.

(True Extract.)

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, with fourteen enclosures.
 „ other Superintending Engineers.
 „ the Consulting Architect to Government.
 „ the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
 „ the Marine Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.