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Marine (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 230 Mar

DATED 28th March 1898

[Despatch Abstract.]

Buoy. The supply of a new — at a cost of Rs. 1,000 to mark the Cooty Reef at Calicut, sanctioned with the mark.

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Marine (1898) Department.

The Hon. Sir Henry Blis
K.C.S.E.

CURRENT No. 320

For orders.

The charge of
Rs 1050 with, if sanctioned,
fall against the budget
1898-99, as the provision
of Rs 500 in the current year's
budget is not likely to be
utilised before the 31st Inst.
Order when it will lapse.

The Presidency Port Officer,
Madras

In his forecast statement,
the P.S.O. provided a sum of
Rs 1500 for a beacon on Cooto
Reef, but this was struck
out under the Hon. Member's
instructions received through
Mr. Ashfield on the ground
that the sum provided
was wholly inadequate for
a beacon and that the
existing buoy answered
sufficiently well. It was
apparently not known
that the existing buoy
was almost worn out.

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SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction to a new buoy
to mark the Cooto Reef, Calicut,
being constructed at the Royal
Indian Marine Dockyard, Bombay,
to be made in the budget at a cost of Rs 1050/- including
of next year. The money freight
must come out of the
closing balance, if an
existing allotment cannot
be made.
It seems certain that the
buoy must be replaced

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Madras, 11 March 1898.

Commander A. A. Street, R. I. M.,
Presidency Port Officer,
Madras,

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
CHEPAK.

The buoy which now marks the
Coote Reef, Calicut, is reported to be almost
worn out; and, as there is no duplicate buoy
to replace it, I beg that sanction may
be accorded to a new buoy being constructed
at the Royal Indian Marine Dockyard,
Bombay, at a cost of Rupees (1,050) one thou-
sand and fifty including freight.

2. Budget provision has been made for Rupees (500) five hundred for a beacon to mark the Coote Reef, but, owing to difficulties connected with the erection of such a structure, no proposal for a beacon has yet been put before Government; but in the forecast estimate which accompanied my letter N^o 1730/189 of 14 January 1898, a sum of Rupees (1,500) one thousand and five hundred is put down for the same.

24.3.58 - 23.3.58

Same work, in case it might be
found possible to carry it out. In the
meantime the reef cannot be left
unmarked, and, as a new buoy is
necessary, the sum of Rupees (500) five
hundred referred to above is available
for the proposed buoy and the
excess can be met from the Western
Group Port Fund.

This sum
will lapse with
the close of the
year 1871

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedt. servant,
H. A. Threlkeld

Commander, R. S. M.,
Presy. Port Officer

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