

Marine (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 233 Mar

DATED 30 March 98

Remains from G.O. 273 Mar
7/15/98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Entertainment, The Entertainment
of two new Reliefkeepers on \$5 each
and the retention of the two keepers on \$20
each sanctioned, and the Port Spec
^{directed}
~~requested~~, with remarks, to submit
a Proposition Entertainment for the new —

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DEPARTMENT.

" 1890, " "
" 1898, " 24' — — , " " Acct. Genl."

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Under the circumstances explained, the Presidency Port Officer is authorised to entertain at once the 2 Relief Keepers on Rs. 40 each, as provided for in the commencing scale sanctioned in G.O. 679 Marine dated 29th July 1897 and to retain the 2 keepers on Rs. 20 each whom it was intended to absorb under the revised scale. A Proposition -- statement should be submitted for formal sanction.

2. It is stated by the Presidency Port Officer that the additional --- cost can be met from savings that --- have accrued since January. The --- details of these savings should be reported.

thru the Financial Dept.

Marine C. No 94.

Note for the Hon. Member.

There has been an oversight in regard to these Relief Keepers. It will be seen from Note (d) on the statement printed with G.O. 679, --- Marine, dated 29th July 1897-page 10- that the Secretariat suggested the entertainment of new men for these 2 Relief Keepers' posts, but the Presidency Port Officer, to whom the statement was forwarded for verification before final adoption, modified the proposal. He arranged for the promotion of 2 men already employed on Rs. 20-vide statement Flagged F and omitted to provide for replacing -- these men on the existing scale. The present sanction will rectify the error.

[Signature]
M. 9.2.98

[Signature]

Marine (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 94

Quell. No. 156 E, d. 12-3-98

Referred to the Accountant From
General for opinion as to whether the Presidency Post
the sanction applied for can be Office, Madras
given by the local Govt.

(Sd) CH. B. B.

Under Secy to Govt.

No. 1271 G.
27

Dated 19-1-98

Received }
Registered } 21-1-98

Enclosures

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To
Mr. A. G. with enclosure in
original to be returned.

12/3/98

SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction to the
inter-bankment of two men
as the keep. keepers on Rs 40/
each, and the retention of the
2 keepers specified on Rs 20/
per man - an each, old each.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
21		Murcin	15.1.98
794		"	7-12-97
872	S.C.	"	21.9.97
679-80		"	27.7.97
75	S.C.	"	27.1.97
733	S.C.	"	24.10.96

FURTHER PAPERS.

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W

Your letter of 8.3.98

(1) Statement A was prepared in the Secretariat but before adoption it was sent to the P.P.O. for verification. It provided 2 new men for the Relief Super's appointments in No. 40 - but the P.P.O. modified this, and said he would fill the new appointments by promotion of 2 men in No. 20 already on the Establishment. He made no provision for replacing the 2 men thus promoted - vide P.P.O.'s revised Statement flagged F. This revised Statement was accepted by Govt. and printed in G.O. 679 Murcin of 29 July 97.

(2) (3) This information can be called for, if required, but it seems necessary that the P.P.O.'s view to the matter be rectified at once, and sanction given to the entertainment of 2 new men in No. 20 to replace the men

C. H. W.

In note (d) at foot of Statement A page 12 of G.O. No 679 Murcin of 29 July 97, it is stated that the commencing scale shall be the same as for new men in these appointments (7-8 2 Relief Super's in No. 40) - why has this commencing scale not been cancelled in the G.O.

2. In Para 5 of his letter the P.P.O. says that the changes that have been made since it has been made in H. Stat. 1898, in G.O. 679 Murcin of 29 July 97, there will be a saving of Rs 101 per annum. He had better be called upon to state if there is any saving of his figures.

3. With regard to the
Act (much better
the P.O. can inf
make new appointments
what refer to Govt.
at Madras & Calcutta
will have to be
P.O. name of it
can be. It is not
clear what the app-
tment is by the
Government. It is
the same as if the P.O.
had appointed his clerk
to one of the app-
tment keepers in No 40
in which he must
apply for sanction.

W. H. S.
8.2.98

promoted to Relief Keepers
in No 40. A Proposition
Statement with a memo-
randa, but the entire
work of the memo-
randa is authorized meanwhile.
(3) The P.O. can give
effect to the sanctioned
commencing seals
with out further approval
to Govt. but this seals
limits new appointments
to Madras and
Calcutta only.

W. H. S.
8 March 98

+ Please
send it

W. H. S.
8.2.98

Marine Fund Budget
in its new form has also
taken up a great deal
of time. As soon as this
is got out - the Estab-
lishment matter will be
gone into again.

W. H. S.
7 Mar 98

The P.O. says he
wants chief clerks
report. I had better
let me have the file
if it is in any
way possible for me
to dispose of it.

W. H. S.
7.2.98

The accompanying is
the file - No 94 being the
P.O.'s application for
the two Relief Keepers.
The Statement below is the
one drawn up - but not
yet checked. The financial
effect of the P.O.'s proposals
has to be shown before the
matter can be put before
Govt. W. H. S. 7 Mar 98

Financial Dept

Note for the Marine Dept.

It would be safer to
first ascertain whether the A.C. is
likely to raise any objection to
the proposal

W. H. S.
10.3.98

At 10.3.98

W 318

C. No 94

Phil Dept. Ltr to A. 10.3.78

For orders

Learnish imagine
what objection the A-
council General can
have to the proposal.
The matter is entirely one
for Govt. sanction. There
is nothing so far as I am
aware, to prevent the
Local Govt. doubling the
number of men on the
Establishment, if they
so desire. The only reason
why the Govt. of India
was applied to at all
was that new grades
were being created. These
have now been sanctioned.
The Local Govt. can now put
as many men as they
please, into these grades.

L.F.

11 Mar 78

I write agree. but it
may have to be later.
if it were to happen. I do
to sign. L.F.

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7 Mar 78

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94
C. H. H. 33 man

P. O. Lapse

sent in some time

ago. some proposals

about left time

Relief Keepers -

sent to a District.

What has been done

about it?

W. H. H.

7.5.98

The matter is a very complicated one. and as usual, this office has been left to work out all the details. The is a large number of proposals cannot be dealt with until their effect on the general scheme has been worked out. A large statement has had to be drawn up and put aside several times for other work more pressing. The

urgent
Marine (1898) Department.



CURRENT No.

92
94
368/98

No. 1566, dt 12 March 1898

Endorsement

Referred to the
Accountant General
for opinion as to whether
the sanction applied
for can be given by the
Local Government.

From

The Presidency Post Office,
Madras

No. 1271/27

C. H. H. Butler.

Under Secretary

to Government.

Dated 19 January 1898

Received

Registered

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" 31-1-98

The Accountant General
with enclosure in original
to be returned

SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction to the
entertainment of two men as
Relief Keepers on Rs 40/- each,
per mensem, and the retention
of the two keepers specified
on Rs 20/- per mensem, each,
old scale.

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80/5/98

BACK PAPERS.

FURTHER PAPERS.

No. 1271
27

Presidency Port Office,
Madras, 19 January 1898.

From

Commander H. A. Street, R.N.,
Presidency Port Officer,
Madras.

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
CHEPAK.

Sir, Having introduced, with the commence-
-ment of this year, at the Madras Lighthouse,
an Establishment in accordance with the
revised scale, I sanctioned also the enter-
tainment of a new man as a Relief
Keeper (G. O. N^o. 679, Marine, dated 29th
July 1897.)

2. It has now been brought to my notice that the entertainment of 2 Relief keepers would seem to depend on the promotion of 2 men of the Old Establishment on Rs 20/- per mensem each, and that in the "unaffected portion of the present scale", referred to in the G. O. above quoted, no provision for the entertainment of these men in their old posts - Tuticorin and Cuddalore - has been made.

3. The remark in the column of

of the commencing scale that certain men would be promoted, was never intended to signify that the posts they were holding could be abolished before the revised scale is introduced. Unfortunately, the fact that no provision was made in the unaffected portion of the old scale for the retention on the old scale of two lightkeepers on Rs 20/- per mensem, missed my notice when it was sent to me from the Marine Secretariat where it was prepared.

4. It is necessary to retain the two posts of Rs 20/- per mensem, viz, one at Dutiesrin and the other at Puddalore, till the revised scale is introduced at these places.

5. By the changes that have been made since the 1st January 1898 in the Lighthouse Establishment, there will be a saving of Rs 141/- per mensem, and the pay of 2 Relief Keepers and of the Rs 20/- men can be met from this saving. I therefore beg sanction to the entertainment of two men as Relief Keepers on Rs 40/- each per mensem, and the retention of the two Keepers on Rs 20/- per mensem each, old scale.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your obedt. servant,

H. A. Theet
Commander, R.L.M.,
Presy. Port Officer

Urgent
Marine (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 318

The Hon. Mr. Henry Blunt
H.C.E. ✓

For Orders

In the commencing scale sanctioned in G.O. 679 Marine dated 29th July 1897, it is provided on the recommendation of the Presidency Port Officer that 2 men on the existing establishment shall be promoted from Rs 20 to Rs 40 to fill the 2 Relief Keepers' posts. That Officer omitted to make provision for new appointments in place of the 2 men thus promoted. He is therefore 2 men short and has applied for the sanction of Government to rectify the error.

An order sanctioning the 2 additional men was drafted in the Marine Department, and was in the first instance sent to the Financial department for Counterinitials. That department returned it without Counterinitials, suggesting that it would be

From
The Presidency Port Officer
+ Flag H. Madras

No. 1271 G.
100

Dated 11th March 1898

Received 12th March 1898

Enclosures -

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SUBJECT.

Requesting sanction to the proposals contained in letter No. 1271 G. of 19th January 1898 regarding the entertainment of Relief Keepers.

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be "safer" to refer to the Accountant General before proceeding any further. The desired reference has accordingly been made. Meanwhile the Presidency Port Officer is pressing for sanction.

The Marine Department is not aware of any account objection to the proposals, and regards the matter as one for Government alone to decide.

C.W.B.
D.W.
12/3/98

Maybe sanctioned unless the A.G. objects in which case I must see the papers again

14/3/98

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
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1562 Marine 12-3-98
* file ✓
N^o 1562 d/12-3-98

Presidency Port Office,

Madras, 11th March, 1898.

No. 1271/1004

Heading

From

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

Presidency Port Officer,
Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
MARINE DEPARTMENT,
CHEPAK.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter, No. 1271/27 G, dated 19th January 1898, I have the honour to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the Relief Keeper referred to in para 1 of that letter having resigned his appointment, and sanction not having been yet accorded to the entertainment of Relief Keepers while the two keepers on Rs. 20/.p.m. each remain in their present posts, I have no lightkeeper available to take the place of a keeper who happens to be absent from duty from any cause.

2. As one of the three lightkeepers at Madras Lighthouse is now sick, his duties have to be performed by the remaining two keepers, and as this entails watch

and

* C.N. 94
(1562 d/12-3-98)

and watch at night, in addition to the work of cleaning
the apparatus during the daytime, the men complain of
being overworked. I beg that sanction may be accorded
to the proposals contained in my letter of the 19th Ja-
nuary 1898, above quoted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. A. Theel

Commander, R.I.M.,

Presidency Port Officer.

Marmel
Educational (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 368

*From The Accountant General,
Madras.*

Order.

No. 1203

Dated 24-3-98.

Received } *25 March 1898*
Registered }

Enclosures — 2

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SUBJECT.

*stating there is no objection
to the Local Port. Sanctioning
the Entertainment of two new
men as Relief Keepers and
retaining two Light-keepers
on Rs 20 p.m. each.*

C. No 318

D.W.

The Hon. Member's
letter of 14/3/98 on this
current is understood
to mean that the Account-
ant-General's report must
be awaited. If so, the
paper must lie over till
this report comes in
and no order can issue
meanwhile.

For orders.

L.S.
14 Mar 98

Yes, that seems

clear -

C.W.

15.3.98.

With
and G.O. No
refer to the
1502 of 12 Mar 98.
L.S.
15 Mar 98

BACK PAPERS.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Presidency Audit DEPARTMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Accountant-General's Office,
24 March 1898.

No. 1203

From

H. C. Harrison Esq.,

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE

Secretary to Government,

Marine Department.

SIR,

I have the honour to return herewith the Presi-
dency Port Officer's letter No ¹²⁷¹/₂₇ G, dated 19th January 1898
referred for my opinion with endorsement of the Marine
Department No 156 G dated the 12th instant, and to report
that there is no objection to the Local Government sanctioning
the entertainment of two new men as Relief Keepers and
retaining the two light-keepers on Rs 20 per mensem each.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. Harris

Accountant General.

M.D. 24/3.