

Marine (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 942 Maine

DATED 8th Nov^r '98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Temporary Clerks

Approving the proposal of
the Port Officer, for the detention, for ten,
instead of eight, months in the year, of the two —
at Fochin Port, and directing him to submit
a Report Statement, for formal sanction,
to ascertain the source from which the extra expenditure
to be incurred during the year is to be met.

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Marine (1898) Department.

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The Honble Sir H. Bliss K.C.S.B.

From

Insiders,

The Presidency Port Officer,
Madras

Order

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Dated 18th October 1898

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Whether the retention
for 10, instead of 8, months in
the year of the two temporary
clerks at Cochin Port may
be sanctioned. It will be
observed that the Presy: Port
Officer has sanctioned the pro-
posal in anticipation of the sanction
of Government.

SUBJECT.

2. The proposal involves an
increase of Rs. 60 per annum;
the necessary proposition State-
ment has not been submitted;
it will be called for if the Presy:
Port Officer's recommendation is
approved.

Recommending that the two
temporary clerks at the Cochin
Port office be retained for
10 months instead of 8 in the
year.

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Presidency Port Office,
Madras, 18 October 1898.

From

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

Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Marine Department,

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Sir,

In G.O., Marine, No. 4, dated 10th January 1893, the Government approved of an arrangement by which a permanent Clerk on Rupees 20 per mensem at the Cochin Port Office was dispensed with and 2 temporary Clerks on Rupees 15 each were engaged for 8 months every year. The experience since gained by this arrangement shews that the period for which these men are engaged each year is insufficient. This year the port re-opened for business as early as on the 13th of August with daily arrivals of Steamers and Native Craft, and the clerical work of the Port Office has increased also in connection with the Plague Regulations. The Port Officer recommends therefore that the two temporary clerks be retained for 10 months in the year, as in fact June and July are the only months when the port may be said to be practically closed. I concur with this view and submit the Port Officer's proposal for the favourable consideration of Government.

2. In view of the urgency of the matter, I have sanctioned the present proposal in anticipation of Government sanction and beg that my action may be approved.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

H. A. Street

Commander, R.I.M.,

Presidency Port Officer.