

Marine (1899) Department.

G.O., No. 509-510 Mar

✓ DATED 8 June '99

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Harbour Master, Madras

Directing that the Govt of India be requested by telegraph to give sanction to the entertainment of a Substitute in place of Mr. Evans, Junior — on full pay, and stating that the question of mileage compensation must be settled in its merits.

Telegram to the Govt of India.

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Marine (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 658

Order to 509 Mar 28 June 99

From

The Chairman,
Harbour Trust Board,
Madras.

The entertainment of a Harbour Master on the 300 per mensem in place of Mr. Evans on furlough goes beyond the provision of the Civil Service Regulations, and thus requires the prior sanction of the Govt of India. As the case is urgent, sanction will be requested by telegraph in anticipation of the submission of a regular proposition statement which should be sent up by the Presidency Sub. officer without delay.

The question of exchange compensation allowance must be settled on its merits. The officer appointed may prefer his claim in the usual form when it will be duly considered. The general question as to the title of Harbour Master to be

No. 185

Dated 16.5.99

Despatched 17-a-

Received 19 May 1899

Enclosures 1

Spare copies

SUBJECT.

Harbour Masters.

Submitting for orders of Government copy of resolution of Harbour Board's meeting regarding the entertainment of a temporary Harbour Master during the absence of Mr. Evans on furlough.

Note for the monitoring clerk
File the returns here
And abstract to be sent to Master for
Sd/- 21/6/99

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this allowance has not yet been definitely decided.

L.S.

L. H. S.

8. 6. 99

The R.F.O.
Ch H. J. B. A.
Acct Genl the
the Financial Dept

H. E. 510 May 8 1899

Telegram

From Madras Marine

To Finance - Simla

One Harbour Master Madras on Rupees 400 left on furlough. Impossible to pilot shipping etcetera with remaining two men. Entertain ment of substitutes on Rupees 300 necessary. Please wire sanction. Case urgent. Proposition statement follows -

L.S.

L. H. S. 8. 6. 99

Telegram despatched 8 June 99

EXTRACT of Proceedings of the TRUSTEES OF THE HARBOUR OF MADRAS, at a Meeting held at the Offices of the Board on Friday the 12th day of May 1899.

Read letter No. 183 H dated 6th May 1899, from the Dy. Port Conservator bringing to notice that in his opinion it is necessary to maintain the staff of Harbour Masters at not less than three, and suggesting that one should be entertained to take the place of Mr. Evans while absent on furlough.

Resolved that Government be addressed.

(True Extract)

HARBOUR TRUST
MADRAS 16 MAY 99
SECRETARY'S OFFICE

C. P. Vincent

Secretary,

Harbour Trust Board.

J. S.

Harbour Trust Office.

MADRAS, 16th May 1899.

No. 185

FROM

Herbert Bradley Esq I.C.S.,

CHAIRMAN, HARBOUR TRUST BOARD,

MADRAS.

To

W.B.deWinton Esq.,

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Marine Department.

Sir,

Referring to G.O.No.763 Marine dated 27th August 1897 in which Government decided that a fourth Harbour Master was not necessary, and to the Board's resolution No.4 dated 16th December 1898 to the same effect, I have now the honour to submit for the information of Government and for favour of orders extract of proceedings No.4 at the last meeting of the Trustees.

2. The junior Harbour Master Mr Evans has left Madras on one year's furlough, and the Dy.Port Conservator has brought to notice that in his opinion it is necessary to maintain the staff of Harbour Masters at not less than three, and in this the Trustees concur.

3. So long as the two remaining Officers keep in health they would under ordinary circumstances be able to pilot vessels in and out of the Harbour without causing detention to steamers calling at the port; but if one should be unable from any cause to attend to his duties one man could not carry on the pilotage.

4. There is however an additional reason why Mr Evans place should be filled during his absence, which is that the dredger "Wenlock" will probably require to be piloted in and out several times daily, which with the time taken for mooring and

unmooring

unmooring her and in depositing the dredgings outside the Harbour occupies a longer time than is necessary to bring in or take out a seagoing steamer.

5. Under these circumstances the Trustees recommend that a temporary Harbour Master be entertained on Rs 300 per mensem with free quarters in the Biden Home, for the twelve months that Mr Evans is absent on furlough.

6. This will entail an extra expenditure of Rs 100 per mensem Mr Evans pay being Rs 400, half of which will be saved during his absence. Provision can be made in the revised estimate.

7. I therefore request that Government will be pleased to sanction the engagement of a temporary Harbour Master for 12 months on Rs 300 per mensem, plus exchange compensation allowance, as European qualifications are necessary in the case of Harbour Masters.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

Secy.

John B. Paddy
Chairman,
Harbour Trust Board.

*This is in
accordance with
the 250. limit which
the Harbour Trust
can sanction.*
C. P.
19 Aug 89

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Urgent

Read the following:—

Letter from the Chairman, Harbour Trust Board, No. 185
dated 16th May 1899

Entertainment of a Harbour Master as
a temporary measure

Circulated to

For Orders

As the rate of pay is in excess
of Rs 300 per annum, the sanction
of the Government of India will
be necessary to the proposed ap-
pointment.

To the Financial Department
for consideration

2. The question of Exchange
Compensation allowance must be
settled on its merits. It has not
yet been finally settled that
Harbour Masters per se are
entitled to the allowance, and
even if this is decided in the
affirmative, the holder of the
appointment has still to establish
his individual claim to draw it.

3. As the case is urgent, it is
suggested ~~submitted~~ that the Government
of India be asked by telegraph
to sanction the entertainment
of

of a man at once in anti-
cipation of the submission of
a formal application.

R.S.

W. H. S. 19.1.89

Recd. 20.5.89

Financial Dept

For the C.S.

The proposal is apparently
to appoint an Ag. Harbour Master
on Rs 300 per month. Mr. Evans
pay is Rs 400 per month +
the salary of any ^{one who has not a Substantive app't} appointed
to act in his place would be
restricted, under article 158 of
the C.S.R. to ~~Rs~~ half the pay
of the app't - viz Rs 200 p. m.

The grant of Rs 300 to ~~such~~ a
person so app't is not admissible
under the C.S.R. and India's
Sanction would be necessary

Ans. 26.5.89

Since the man is a European
and ~~appointed~~ he paid
over 200 Rs a month
What his app't and India's
Sanction in this matter

Ans. 26.5.89

Not for the C.S.

Submitted that it will under article



Health Genl's Office
29 MAY 1899

Ref. No 55

Recd in Reference 11 AM. today
8.1.5/1899

In the C.S.

With reference to the
C.S. pencil note, it is submitted
that the appointment of a
non-Statutory Native would
apparently require India's
sanction - under § 773 of the C.A.
Code Vol II. & the rules in
which apply, it is understood,
to apply. & Harbour Master.
Perhaps the AG's opinion might
be obtained (u.o)

Ans. 26.5.89

A. G. u. a. No 1377
26.5.89

26.5.89

I do not think Art. 773 (a) was
intended to apply to appointments paid
from Port Funds, but under ^{Art. 87 C.S.R.} Art. 287
C.A. the sanction of the Govt. of India
will be required if a higher rate of
acting allowance than Rs 200 is to be allowed
or if a temporary appointment involving the
payment of more than Rs 250 p.m. is to be
sanctioned for a period of more than 6 months

Ans. 59 2/1-6-89

In the C.S.

Subd. that the file may
now be returned to Marine
No. 10 with reference to the
foregoing notes

Cont.
5/6/99

Marine No. 10 1502 7546-99

H.
5/6/99

to as the Act General has
decided that the note of
19.5.99 is in order.
It is now submitted
to His Excellency for
sanction

H. B. C.
6.6.99

Sanctioned

4.9.99

7.6.99

For the purpose of the Act