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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
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Fort St. George,
12th August 1857.

No. 1574.

From

H. FORBES, ESQ.,

Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George.

To

LIEUT.-COLONEL W. E. BAKER,

Secretary to the Government of India, D. P. W.

SIR,

With reference to the orders of the Government of India communicated in your endorsement No. 2140, dated 12th October 1855, I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to submit a Statement shewing the several works, of which the estimated cost exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees, ordered by this Government, during the month of July 1857, to be executed on emergency, to the amount noted in the margin.

	Rs.
Communications.....	3,600
Buildings	2,340
Total.....	5,940

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Statement shewing the several works of which the estimated cost exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees ordered by this Government during the Month of July 1857, to be executed on emergency.

No.	District.	Particulars of works.	Date of sanction.	Amount of Estimate.	Explanation.
				Rupees.	
		Communications.			
1	Madras.....	For the construction of a dwarf groin to arrest the encroachment of the sea between the Custom House and Clive's Battery.	13th July 1857, No. 1345	3,600	The work was represented to be one of necessity, so urgent indeed as to be the only means of restoring a beach and road gained at considerable expense; and to avoid further damage to the road from the rapid encroachment of the sea, sanction was granted for commencing the work on emergency.
		Total Communications.....	.....	3,600	
		Buildings.			
2	Do.	For re-building the fallen and bulged portion of the compound wall to the Government House.	18th July 1857, No. 1376	2,340	The work was sanctioned for immediate execution as it was feared that any delay in re-building the fallen and bulged portion of the compound walls would have caused further injury.
		Total Buildings.....	.....	2,340	

ABSTRACT.

	Rs.
Communications.....	3,600
Buildings	2,340
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Fort Saint George,
12th August 1857.

Acting Secretary to Government.

Statement Showing the Several Works of which the Estimates could exceeded in each case a thousand Rupees ordered by this Government during the Month of July 1857. to be executed on Emergency.

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No.	District	Particulars of Works	Date of amount sanction of Estimate	Explanation
		Communications		
1	Madras	For the construction of a Groin to arrest the encroachment of the Sea between the Custom House and Clives Battery	13th July/57 3,600 No 1365	The work was represented to be one of necessity, & urgent indeed as to be the only means of restoring a beach and road gained at considerable expense, and to avoid further damage to the Road from the rapid encroachment of the Sea, sanction was granted for commencing the work on Emergency.
		Total Communications ——— 3600		
		Buildings		
2	Do	For rebuilding the fallen and bulged portion of the Compound wall to the Government Garden Houses.	18th July/57 2340 No 1376	The work was sanctioned for immediate Execution as it was feared that any delay in rebuilding the fallen and bulged portion of the Compound walls would have caused further injury to the wall.
		Total Buildings ——— 2340		

Abstract

Communications —— Rs 3600.
Buildings —— 2340
Total Rs —— 5940.

Public Works Department

No 1574

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To

Colonel H. E. Baker

, Secretary to the Government of

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Enclosure No 1

to be credited on account, to the amount noted in the margin.

I have &c

Fort. St. George
12th Augt. 1857

Commissariat Rs 3,600
Buildings ——— " 2340
Total 5,940

Public Works 1857 Dep.t
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No 1574.

To The Secretary to the
Government of India.
Dr 12.th August 1857.

Submitting a Statement,
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