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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 3rd March 1857.

No. 85. Read the following Memorandum from Captain C. C. JOHNSTON, Acting Superintending Engineer Northern Circle, in charge of the Central office of Public Works; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated 9th February 1857, No. 10138.

The preparation of the comparative statement is delayed, pending the receipt of a copy of the estimate* of Rupees 77,620, from the Superintendent of the East Coast Canal, the original having been mislaid. A memorandum† in the Central office, of which a copy is forwarded, shows, that the estimate was sent to the Government office on the 22nd December 1856, but on enquiry it is stated never to have been received there.

* When the estimate is received the comparative statement will be duly forwarded.

† Dated 22nd December 1856.

2. The accompanying letter having been signed by the Chief Engineer, the Acting Superintending Engineer Northern Circle is unwilling to detain it any longer especially as the Superintendent of the Canal is now at a long distance from Madras, on his way to Incole.

No. 86. ORDER THEREON, No. 408; dated 3rd March 1857.

Ordered that the foregoing Memorandum be recorded.

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

No. 146.

"Immediate"

Memo.

Requested for reference, the undermentioned papers.

Letter from the Superintendent of the E. C. Canal

Estimate for Rupees 77,620- for widening and deepening the new canal from Ameen Covil to Doogoorazpa-tam.

Referred to in the Chief Engineer's letter to Government No. 2269 dated 30th October '56.

Recd. 29th Jan. '57 E.S.

Letter, 6 & 1 vast in my 31st Inst. E.S.

Estimate, 12th Inst. E.S.

Sd/- C. Thillainayagam

Asst. Secy. to Govt.

Sd/- C. T. Chittambalam

Dy. Regr.

P. W. Dept.

Govt. Office,

29th December, '56.

To,

The Chief Engineer's Office.

A True Copy.

W. Austin Captain.

Actg. Supt. Engr. N. Circle.

In Ch. of the Central Office of P.W.

No. 10138

Memorandum

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When the Estimate is received the Comparative Statement will be duly forwarded.

Dated 22nd December 1856

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Enclosures 2

1 Letter from the Chief Engineer

1 Copy of a Memo:

Central Office of P. Works,
Fort Saint George,
1st February 1857.

Virtue Lieutenant
A. Supt. Engr. N. Circle
In ch. of the Central Office P.W.

To,
The Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Copy of a Memorandum from No. 10138 dated 1st February 1857 from the Central Office P.W.D. to the Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Dated 1st February 1857.

Received

No. 10138.

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Copy for information from the Dr. Engr. in the Genl. Office P.W.D. Requesting to furnish for reference certain documents in the Office of widening and deepening the new Canal from Cuncum Gil to Doug. Nellore.

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From The Sec. Supt. Engr. Nr Circle
In Ch. of the Central Office of
P.W.

To The Secretary to Government
P.W.D.

Dated 6th
Received 9th February 1857

N. 11138.

1 Enclosure

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Informing that the preparation
of the Comparative Statement is
delayed pending the receipt of Copy
of the Estimate for Rs. 77,620
from the Supt. P. C. Canal
the original having been mislaid.

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Fort St. George 3d March/57

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C/g 7 July R 26th