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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Cons. 29-7-57

G.O. No.	<i>1462</i>	Press
		Mis.
<i>114-15</i>		
Dated	<i>28-7-</i>	1857

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Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 28th July 1857.

No. 114. Read the following letter from ED. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal ; to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Fort William, the 20th June 1857, No. 985.

SIR,

1. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 433, dated 5th March last, requesting information as to the practice, obtaining in Bengal of paying Travelling allowances to Office Establishments both in the Revenue and Public Works Departments.

2. In reply I am to inform you that in the Public Works Department, there is no prescribed scale of Travelling allowances for Office Establishments, and in the absence of any fixed rule on the point, the Chief Engineer Lower Provinces allows bona fide Travelling expenses upon proper vouchers whilst in the Revenue and other Civil Departments the rate at which Travelling allowances are paid to office servants is 4 annas per mile when Travelling by Dawk viz., 3-10th of salary when absent on duty from the Sudder Station. This rate has been prescribed by the orders of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 541, dated 19th July 1845.

3. As it seems to the Lieutenant Governor only fair that the rate obtaining in other Departments should be extended to the Public Works Department, a reference has been made to the Government of India submitting the point for their favorable consideration.

No. 115. ORDER THEREON, No. 1462; dated 28th July 1857.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be recorded.

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

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No 985

From B. ...
The Officiating Assistant Secretary
to the Government of Bengal.

To
The Officiating Secretary to the
Government of Port of George.
Dated Port William, the 26 June 1857.

Pub. Works
Public.

Sir,
I am directed to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter No 438 dated 5th
March last requesting information as to
the practice, obtaining in Bengal of
giving travelling allowances to Office Estab-
lishments both in the Revenue and P.W.
Departments

2. In reply I am to inform you
that in the Public Works Department
there is no prescribed scale of travelling
allowances for Office Establishments, &
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point, the Chief Engineer Lower Provinces
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proper vouchers whilst in the Revenue and
other civil Departments the rate at
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when travelling by Dawkhaz 3/10th of
Salary when absent on duty from the
super Station. This rate has been
prescribed by the orders of the Government
of India in the Home Department No.
541 dated 19th July 1845

3. It is found to the Honble
Governor only that the rate of travelling
in other Departments should be
extended to the Public Works Department,
in reference has been made to
the Government of India mentioning
the point for their favorable consideration.
Done.

I have the honor to be
Dear Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt

Edmund
Offg Assistant Secretary to the
Govt of Bengal

Copd to
Comptroller

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June 10th / 1886

Public Works Dept
June 28th July

No. 10381

From Col. G. B. Smith
to the Govt of Bengal

Dated 29th June 1886
Received July 1886

No. 985

Supplying information
from as to the position of
fencing in District of
Pondicherry travelling allow
to officers & establishment
both in the Revenue
and Public Works Dept.

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Received
25th July 1887