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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1547	Press Mis.
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No. 41. Read the following Circular from Major R. STRACHEY, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, 19th July 1858, No. 3358.

SIR,

I am directed to forward herewith a blank Form, in accordance with which you are requested to submit, for the information of the Government of India, within ten days of the receipt of this letter, the best approximate estimate of the probable expenditure on Public Works during the Financial year 1858-59, in the Madras Presidency, that can be prepared within that period.

2. You will also be good enough to submit a revised Return in the same Form, with strict punctuality, on the 1st November next, and another on the 1st February next, in which the original entries should be corrected, as far as practicable, by help of the ascertained past expenditure and the more accurate knowledge which will then be had of the future demands of the Department.

3. Prompt attention to this call is particularly requested.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC WORKS FOR THE YEAR 1858-59.

Nature of charges.	Works.		Establishments, Contingent and other charges.	Total.
	Ordinary.	Extraordinary		
Military.				
All other.				
Total.....				

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, No. 1547; dated 5th August 1858.

Ordered to be communicated to the Officiating Chief Engineer with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation, dated 3rd August 1858, No. 1524.

2. As the Government of India expect to be supplied with the information called for in the above letter within 10 days after its receipt here, Major Lawford will be requested to give his immediate attention to the subject.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

CIRCULAR.

No. 3358

FROM

MAJOR R. STRACHEY,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,

TO

W. A. Bayley Esqr

Acting Secretary to the Govt of Fort St George

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,

Fort William, 19th July 1858.

Public.

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~~4. A copy of this has been sent direct to the~~
~~but with orders to submit his Returns through you in the usual course.~~

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC WORKS FOR THE YEAR 1858-59.

Nature of Charges.	Works.		Establishments, Contingent and other Charges.	Total.
	Ordinary.	Extraordinary.		
Military —				
All other —				
Railway —				
Contg. Estab.t and Land —				
Total —				

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From the Chief Engr. 9th July 59 No. 353 with 22 Encls.
March No. 72 & 73.

No. 141 & 142.

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No. 1747.

From the Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India

Dated 19th July
Received 8th Augt. } 1858

No. 3358

From the Chief Engr. 2nd Divn. 16th Augt. 1858
No. 1761 & Encls. 10 = pp 63 & 65.
From Bo. 5th Nov. 58 No. 2623 with Encls.

Requesting that Govt. will furnish within 10 days of the receipt of this letter an approximate Estimate in the form therein noted of the probable expenditure on Public Works during the Financial Year 1858/59 and a revised Return in the same form on the 1st December next and another on the 1st February next.

William Arder

No. 1547

Ordered to be recommended to the Officiating Chief Engineer and to forward to Govt. Minute of Consideration 3rd August 1858 No. 1524.

As the Government of India expect to be supplied with the information called for in the above letter within 10 days after the receipt hereof, Major Crawford will be requested to give his immediate attention to the subject.

Fort St. George
5th August 1858

Chief Secy.

Forwd. to the Offg. Chief Engr. Pub. Dept.
4 Encls. Copy to Do. for info.